Morgan County SWCD Seeding for Soil Health Program 2025 Application

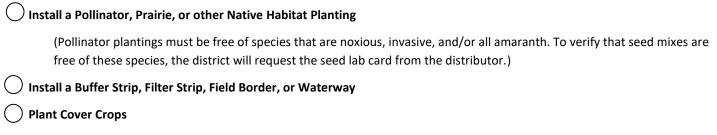
REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY-For your application to be considered, it must meet the following criteria:

♦ Project must be within Morgan County

Name of applicant

- ♦ Grant is only available to private landowners and non-governmental not for profit organizations.
 (Organizations that are publicly funded or are a taxing body are ineligible.)
- Project has not qualified for or received funding from another federal or state funded program

I am applying to receive technical and financial assistance to:



(For cover crop cost share programs, the maximum cost share is 75% of the total final cost of the practice, with 25% of the cost being the responsibility of the landowner, and a maximum dollar cap at \$30/ac. Seeding rates, planting dates, and seed tags will be required with the submission of receipts for reimbursements.)

If your application is considered for funding, a representative from Morgan County SWCD will be in contact with you to schedule a site visit of the project area to evaluate the conservation concern that funding is being requested for and begin the process of providing a conservation plan for you to follow. Once approved, you will be asked to sign an agreement with the SWCD. Funds will be reimbursed at 75%/25% rate based on receipts provided, up to a maximum of \$3,000 reimbursement. Reimbursements of expenses will NOT be made on any work done or purchases made prior to SWCD board approval or without a properly signed agreement. Any work done by the landowner or a representative of the landowner, that is not a professional company, cannot be billed for more than \$35 an hour for work done on a project and can only count towards in-kind match. Indiana Custom Farm Rates, published by Purdue Extension, annually, will be used to calculate in-kind match for equipment usage by participants for all in-kind match for projects. All funds will be reimbursed after the completion of the project, timely submission of all supporting documentation, and a final site review has been completed. Conservation practices shall comply with USDA-NRCS Field Office Technical Guide specifications for that practice. The applicant is responsible for locating underground utility location, obtaining all permits and complying with local ordinances, state statutes and federal regulation, if applicable.

Applicant Address	
Telephone number	_Email address
Brief explanation of project:	
If planting cover crops, is this the first time that you have	planted cover crops?

*This program gives priority to participants who are installing a practice for the first time, installing a practice in a location for the first time, installing a practice adjacent to or near a waterway, and who intend to use no-till methods to plant. SWCD No-Till Drill rental fees will be reimbursed for those participants who choose to use the Morgan County SWCD No-Till Seed Drill, though a damage deposit will be collected and damage fees will apply if returned in poor condition. A separate drill rental agreement is required for use of the drill.



<u>Field/Project En</u> Type of Consery			Ti	otal acres or square feet enrolled		
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				Cover Cropped in the last 5 years? Y/N		
			using the SWCD No-Till Seed I			
			ill/Aerial seeding/Other			
Planned Cover C	anned Cover Crop MixAdd'l Acres planted without Cost-Share Assistance					
For Office Use	Only: UTM Northin	g	UTM Easting	HUC 8 Watershed		
Field/Project En	rollment:					
Type of Conserv	ation Practice		T	otal acres or square feet enrolled		
Farm #	Tract #	Field(s) #	or Address_			
Is this HEL (High	ly Erodible) or Floodp	lain <u>Y/N</u> Has it	been previously tilled Y/N	Cover Cropped in the last 5 years? Y/N		
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				Cover Cropped in the last 5 years? Y/N		
Is this field adja	cent to a waterway?	<u>Y/N</u> Do you plan on	using the SWCD No-Till Seed I	Orill to plant? Y/N		
Method for plan	nting cover crops: Bro	adcast/Drill/vertical t	ill/Aerial seeding/Other			
Planned Cover C	Crop Mix		Add'l Acres planted without Co	ost-Share Assistance		
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I understand the	hat upon completion	of this project, a staff	for board member of the Mor	gan County Soil and Water Conservation		
District will do	an inspection of the	completed project to	determine if it is carried out a	s written and approved in the plan and will		
	= -	= -		s project is not completed as per the plan o		
				eimbursement. I accept liability, financial or		
				ty. I also give the Morgan County Soil and		
	•	•	of said project and to use these	e pictures publicly for promotion and		
marketing of t	he SWCD and this pro	gram.				
Landowner/En	ntity Signature			Date		
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OFFICE/E	BOARD USE ONLY:	<u>.</u> <u>-</u>				
o Complete Application submitted			O Application Points			
o Site Visit Scheduled						
	Provided					

Please fill out completely and return this application with required documentation to:

Morgan County Soil and Water Conservation District 180 S. Main Street, Suite 002, Martinsville, IN 46151

Or you can email it to SWCDoffice@MorganCounty.IN.Gov

Please call (765)349-2060 with questions.