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## Funding Opportunities



Cover Cropping		
Shoulder season, multi-species full season, intercropping, or polycropping		\$35/acre
Nitrogen Management		
Polymer Coated Urea (PCU)		85% of increased cost
Combined Use of Nitrification and Urease Inhibitors or Dual Inhibitors		85% of cost
Split Application of Fertilizer		85% of cost
Soil Testing		85% of cost
Agronomic Support		50% of cost
Soil Mapping		50% of cost
Adding legumes to crop rotation		\$35/acre
Upgrading Seeder Equipment to allow for banding, side dressing, and injection of fertilizer		\$200/foot
Upgrading manure injection and incorporation equipment		Variable
Offsetting high cost of synthetic fertilizer (manure, compost, digestate)		Variable
Rotational Grazing		
Rotational grazing fencing and watering systems		\$18,000/quarter
Improving pasture composition (seeding legumes like alfalfa or sanfoin)		\$35/acre
Rotational grazing management plan		50% of cost
Riparian Area Enhancement		
Exclusion fencing for riparian areas		Up to 100% of cost
Alternative watering system		75% of cost
Conservation Contracts		
<i>Annual payments of \$25-75/acre for 10 years</i>		
Receive annual payment for <u>protecting</u> class 1-2 wetlands, native prairie, or native forest.		\$25-100/ac annually for 10- yrs
Receive annual payment for <u>maintaining</u> EIWD upland enhancement or water storage/wetland establishment projects.		\$25-100/ac annually for 10- yrs
Upland Enhancement		
Perennial grass/forage on marginal land	100% of seed costs	Conservation Contract: \$25-100/ac annually for 10- yrs
Pollinator buffer strips		
Eco-buffer shelterbelts	Seedling and mulch provided by EIWD + access to tree planter & mulch applicator	
Reforestation		
Prairie Establishment	Variable	
Water Storage/Wetland Enhancement		
Water Retention / Backflooding / Water Storage	100% of construction costs	Conservation Contract: \$25-100/ac annually for 10- yrs
Wetland Enhancement	Variable	
Well Sealing		
Seal abandoned well		\$1,000/well

Program funding is competitive and subject to specific program terms and conditions. Please speak to an EIWD representative to see if you qualify.

Funding amounts may be higher in watershed priority areas or if projects result in high ecological goods and services return (e.g. protection of endangered species habitat, significant downstream flood/nutrient loading mitigation).