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*****Attach All Field Maps*****

2025 CLEAN FARM FAMILIES SOIL HEALTH INCENTIVE PROGRAM CONTRACT

Name	Phone	Email	
Address	City	State	Zip

(This section to be completed by LWM Representative)

Soil Health Practice	Field Name	Total acres	Date Practice Applied	Years Paid	Payment Rate	Paid Acres	Payment Amount
<i>Total CFF Reimbursement for Soil Health Practices</i>							
<i>Ozaukee LWM Rep Initials & Date</i>							

TERMS & CONDITIONS

- I have, or will be, installing the above-listed soil health practices. By signing this document, I understand and agree to the following conditions:
- For Cover Crops, the practice has been installed in time to provide substantial growth and/or ground cover before winter. The cover crop species can winter kill, or over winter, but the field must be left un-tilled until spring. Harvesting the cover crop the following spring as forage, or grain for seed for personal use, is allowed. Harvesting as grain for market, e.g. winter wheat and oats, is not allowed.
 - For the No-Till planting incentive done in spring, the field must have been no-tilled in the previous fall to qualify. For the no-till planting incentive done in fall, no prior tillage can be done before fall no-till planting. Airseeding does not qualify for the no-till incentive payment.
 - For Low Disturbance Manure Application/Injection, fields shall remain no-tilled through the calendar year. Surface applications on established alfalfa and cover crops at rates compliant in 590 Nutrient Management Plans, yet below 10,000 gallons/acre are acceptable for payment.
 - For Harvestable Buffers, they do not need to meet NRCS standards unless NRCS funds are contributed, but a minimum width of 15 feet is required and it must stay in place for a minimum of ten years.
 - For Planting Green, the field must be at least 50% covered with a living cover crop to receive incentive payment.
 - For Establishing Grazing, covered costs are limited to converting suitable areas into long-term pasture. This could include costs like fencing, water systems, seed, etc. Receipts are required to be submitted.
 - For Equipment Conversions, costs are limited to planting equipment that successfully lessens soil disturbance. Receipts are required to be submitted.
 - For Nutrient Testing, costs are limited to forage, manure, pre-sidedress nitrate, tissue samples, and biomass. Receipts and/or analyses are required to be submitted.
 - For Pollinator/Native Seeding, the seed mix must include a minimum of 3 species. All species must be native, perennial, and include 2 forbs and 1 grass. A seed tag ticket must be submitted to receive payment.
 - I am giving the Milwaukee River Watershed Clean Farm Families and Ozaukee County permission to utilize the map and conservation practice information for public educational purposes.

_____	_____
Grower Signature	Date



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SOIL HEALTH INCENTIVE SURVEY

Farm Type (circle): Dairy Beef Hog Crop Other (describe): _____

Type of Land Managed	# of acres
Cropland (include owned & rented total)	
Pasture	
Grassland/CRP	
Forest	
Wetland	

Total Livestock Head (Total youngstock + adult animals. If multiple species, include # of each, i.e. 100 dairy, 200 beef):

Your most common crop rotation in recent years: _____

Are you following a 590-compliant Nutrient Management Plan (NMP)?
 Do not include acres that receive manure from your farm, but you don't manage.

Circle: Yes or No _____ acres

Soil Health Practice Implemented	# of acres
Cover Crops (does not include alfalfa)	acres
No-Till	acres
Of the acres planted with no-till, how many also had cover crops?	acres
Reduced tillage (i.e. vertical till, strip till)	acres
Of the acres planted with reduced tillage, how many also had cover crops?	acres
Planting Green (circle below) Termination: pre-planting or post-planting	acres
Low Disturbance Manure Injection/Application	acres
Rotational Grazing	acres
Pollinator/Native Seeding areas	acres
Harvestable Buffers	acres
Grassed Waterways	acres