

BMPs ELIGIBLE FOR COST-SHARE THROUGH LAKE MONROE WATERSHED CONSERVATION COST-SHARE PROGRAM

Eligible BMPs are identified in the Lake Monroe Watershed Management Plan on pages 156-157 and are listed in the table below. Cost-share rates for the BMPs listed will be reviewed by the Advisory Committee regularly during the life of the grant and will be adjusted as needed to spend the cost-share funds equitably among the producers of the Watershed.

Conservation Practice (NRCS Code)	Pollutant(s) Addressed	Cost Share (% of Bills Paid)	Notes
Access Road (CPS 560)	Sediment	75%	Must be used as approach to stream crossing (578) or Heavy Use Area Protection (561).
Compost Facility (CPS 317)	Nutrients, E. coli	75%	
Conservation Cover (CPS 327)	Nutrients, Sediment	50%	
Cover Crops (CPS 340)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	Cover crop cannot be mechanically harvested for grain, seed or forage; grazing is only allowed if used under a grazing plan; funds may be used to establish cover crops only and do not include termination; eligible for cost-share a maximum of two times per field. Equipment modifications are eligible (e.g. adding a seeder box to a combine) but will not be reimbursed until the equipment has been used to plant cover crops.
Critical Area Planting (CPS 342)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	
Field Border/ Filter Strip (CPS 386, 389)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	
Forage & Biomass Planting (CPS 512)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	

Forest Management Plan (CPA 106)		50%	Forestry sites must have active erosion concerns.
Forest Trails & Landings (CPS 655)	Sediment	75%	Forestry sites must have active erosion concerns. Practice must be used for long-term erosion control and improvement of water quality.
Grade Stabilization Structure (CPS 410)	Sediment	50%	This practice may not be used in Waters of the States unless appropriate permits have been obtained.
Grassed Waterway (CPS 412)	Sediment, Nutrients	75%	
Heavy Use Area Protection (CPS 561)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	
Livestock Exclusion Fencing (CPS 382)	Sediment, <i>E. coli</i>	75%	Must be used to exclude livestock from streams or feature of concern. May be used for pasture management.
Livestock Pipeline (CPS 516)	Nutrients, Sediment, <i>E. coli</i>	75%	Only to be used in conjunction with Watering Facility (614) or Spring Development (574).
Mulching (CPS 484)	Sediment	50%	Only eligible to support another practice for the purpose of establishment of permanent vegetative cover.
Nutrient Management; Precision Agriculture Updates (CPS 590)	Nutrients, Sediment, <i>E. coli</i>	75%	Nutrient Management Plans must be developed by a Technical Service Provider. Recent soil test is required. Precision agriculture upgrades to reduce excess nutrient application (AutoSteer, AutoSwath, Variable Rate Controllers) are eligible but will not be reimbursed until the equipment has been used for nutrient management.
Pest Management (CPS 595)	Nutrients, Sediment, <i>E. coli</i>	75%	PMPs must be developed by a Technical Service Provider.

Pond (CPS 378)		50%	Only eligible where livestock are excluded from streams, ponds, or wetlands currently being used as a watering source for grazing livestock. Livestock must be excluded from accessing the pond. Confined livestock operations are not eligible.
Prescribed Grazing (CPS 528)		75%	Must follow the "Additional Criteria to Improve or Maintain Surface and/or Subsurface Water Quality and Quantity" in the standard.
Pumping Plant (CPS 533)		75%	Only eligible where livestock are excluded from streams, ponds, or wetlands currently being used as a watering source for grazing livestock.
Residue and Tillage Management: No Till (CPS 329)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	Equipment modifications are eligible but will not be reimbursed until the equipment has been used. Applicant must not have no-tilled for more than 5 consecutive years in order to be eligible. Must develop Nutrient Management (590) and Pest Management (595) systems specific to a no-till system if not already in use.
Riparian Forest Buffer (CPS 391)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	
Riparian Herbaceous Cover (CPS 390)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	
Roof Runoff Structure (CPS 558)	Sediment	75%	
Spring Development (CPS 574)		50%	Only eligible where livestock are excluded from streams, ponds, or wetlands currently being used as a watering source for grazing livestock.
Stream Crossing (CPS 578)	Nutrients, Sediment, <i>E.coli</i>	75%	May only be used in conjunction with exclusion fencing (382) to limit livestock access to water of the State, or for equipment crossing in conjunction with Access Road (560). For livestock access, the practice must be sited and constructed in a manner to deter loafing time in the stream.
Terrace (CPS 600)	Sediment	75%	

Tree and Shrub Establishment (CPS 612)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	Must be used for long-term erosion control and improvement of water quality.
Underground Outlet (CPS 620)	Sediment	75%	Must be used in conjunction with a Grassed Waterway (412), Diversion (362), Drainage Water Management System (554), WASCORB (638), or other approved BMP in which subsurface drainage is necessary.
Water and Sediment Control Basin (CPS 638)	Sediment	75%	1. Nutrient Management (590) and Integrated Pest Management (595) must already be implemented or implementation started within the year the structure is being built. 2. Fields within the watershed of the structure must be managed to "T", or practices must be installed in the year the structure is built that brings the soil loss to "T". 3. All of these requirements apply within the entire drainage area of the WASCORBs, whether on the applicant's land or adjacent land.
Water Well (CPS 642)		75%	Only eligible where livestock are excluded from streams, ponds, or wetlands currently being used as a watering source for grazing livestock.
Watering Facility (CPS 614)	Nutrients, Sediment, <i>E. coli</i>	75%	Only eligible where livestock are excluded from streams, ponds, or wetlands currently being used as a watering source for grazing livestock.
Wetland Creation, Enhancement, Restoration (CPS 656, 657, 659)	Nutrients, Sediment	75%	