

BMP: NITROGEN MANAGEMENT PROJECT – Upgrading Seeder Equipment

Upgrading Seeder Equipment to Allow for Banding / Side Dressing / Injection of Fertilizer – \$200/ft or 50% of the purchase price, whichever is the lesser amount (up to a maximum of \$15,000). Equipment Upgrades must be accompanied by another PWCP-funded practice (previous PWCP-funded projects count as accompanying); OR the applicant must report on the change in nitrogen fertilizer use (fertilizer rates before and after the equipment upgrade)

By checking and initialing, I confirm that the following is true:

_____ This project is a new practice for my operation, or it is an expansion of a practice that I have implemented on new land/acres than previous years. _____ Initials

Equipment Type	Upgrade Type (side banding, side dressing or Injection of Fertilizer)	Vendor	Invoice #	Total Cost	Equipment Width	Costs OFFICE USE
Is there an accompanying practice? Yes or No.	If yes, list the practice and implementation year. (Attach an additional sheet if needed).	District Initials Verification	If no, the applicant must submit a completed 'Appendix A' form to the delivery agent before payment is sent. Select 'I Agree'.	Applicant Initials		
Upgrading Seeder Equipment Totals:						

_____ Verified by staff: _____ staff initial

Why are you implementing this practice?

OFFICE USE			
<i>File #</i>		<i>Total Acres</i>	
<i>Project Type</i>	NM—Equip Upgrades	<i>Total In-Kind</i>	
<i>Sub-District</i>		Total Eligible Costs	



Appendix A – Historical Nitrogen Rate Usage Reporting

This document must be completed by applicants who are applying for Soil Testing; Soil Mapping; and/or Upgrades to Seeder Equipment, and do not have an accompanying practice. The purpose of this document is to collect the historical nitrogen fertilizer rate usages for applicants/operations that are applying for one of the aforementioned PWCP-funded practices.

The applicant must report how much nitrogen fertilizer was applied on acres (only acres where this piece of equipment was utilized) before the equipment upgrade; and how much nitrogen fertilizer is being used after the upgrade on those **same** acres.

Upgrades to Seeder Equipment

Nitrogen Fertilizer Rate Usage Before Upgrade		
*Total acres	*Metric Tonnes of Nitrogen applied (MT of fertilizer applied)	*Fertilizer Type
*Legal Land Descriptions		

Nitrogen Fertilizer Rate Usage After Upgrade		
*Total acres	*Metric Tonnes of Nitrogen applied (MT of fertilizer applied)	*Fertilizer Type
*Legal Land Descriptions		

NOTE: When reporting on the MT of fertilizer applied after the equipment upgrade, you can report on the implemented **OR** planned changes in nitrogen fertilizer rates.