

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR

Cover Crops

IN THE SHELL ROCK & WINNEBAGO WATERSHEDS

DEADLINE: JUNE 3RD, 2025

ELIGIBILITY:

Any producer who would like to incorporate cover crops into their farms rotation and that's located within the Shell Rock or Winnebago Watersheds! Producers who have been using cover crops must make a new or different change to be eligible for the program.

PAYMENT RATES:

Rates range from \$45-\$60 per acre. Rates vary depending on the number of species in the cover crop mix. Contract lengths from 1-3 years.

TO APPLY:

Applications can be found on freebornswcd.org or in our office. Drop off or send completed applications to: **Freeborn County SWCD, 1400 W. Main Street, Albert Lea, MN**

QUESTIONS:

Contact: lindsey.cornell@mn.nacdnet.net, call 507-373-5607 ext. 3 or visit our office.



WHO IS THE FREEBORN COUNTY SWCD?

The Freeborn County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) provides financial and technical assistance for conservation efforts on land across Freeborn County. The SWCD collaborates with landowners in both rural and urban areas to promote and implement initiatives aimed at conserving water, soil, and related resources.

WHAT OTHER COST-SHARE IS AVAILABLE?

In addition to the Shell Rock Winnebago Comprehensive Watershed Management Plan, the Freeborn County SWCD has many different financial & technical assistance opportunities. If you are interested in what may be possible on land you own or rent, contact the Freeborn County SWCD at 507-373-5607 ext. 3. We can help with grassed waterways, water and sediment control basins, grade stabilization structures, water storage, wetland restoration, CRP opportunities and much more!



FREEBORN COUNTY SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Hours of Operation: 8:00am-4:30pm

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