

Funding Application Procedures

1. The Conservation District and NRCS will handle distribution of funding application.
2. Funding Application will be completed by the cooperator(s).
3. Cooperator will contact the District to obtain project approval for the project plan to be implemented.
4. Once the funding application has been completed, the document will be returned to the Conservation District
5. Conservation District will approve/disapprove funding application
6. Conservation District affirms inspections will occur, at a minimum, upon completion of the project.
7. The original funding application will be filed at the Conservation District office.

Arkansas Agriculture Water Quality Loan Program FUNDING APPLICATION

APPLICANT: _____ **CO-APPLICANT:** _____
 Same Address? Yes No
ADDRESS: _____ **ADDRESS:** _____

LAT: _____ **LONG:** _____
Number of acres the practice will affect or be implemented: _____
Estimated Project Cost: _____ **Estimated Loan Amount:** _____

LIST OF PRACTICES

No.	NRCS Practice Name	Practice Number	Estimated Cost	No.	NRCS Practice Name	Practice Number	Estimated Cost
1				4			
2				5			
3				6			

NOTICE TO APPLICANT(S):

- 1) Approval of this funding application by the Conservation District (District) does not constitute approval of the loan.
- 2) Upon approval of the funding application, you will be informed of participating financial institutions to which you may apply for a credit application.
 - a) AS PART OF THE AGRICULTURE WATER QUALITY PROGRAM YOU MUST AGREE WITH THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS:
 - i) The project I am applying for will have a positive impact on water quality and reduce NPS pollution that impacts water quality.
 - ii) The project will be constructed to meet Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) standards.
 - iii) The project will be inspected by the Commission, NRCS and/or the District at any time during construction, at completion and during the term of the loan.
 - iv) The project will be maintained for the term of the loan.

My signature indicates I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE STATEMENTS:

APPLICANT: _____ **CO-APPLICANT:** _____
Date: _____ **Date:** _____

NOTICE TO APPLICANT(s): Upon completion of Funding Application, submit to your **Conservation District** for approval.

TO BE COMPLETED BY CONSERVATION DISTRICT:

PRACTICE APPROVED: 1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____ 4 _____ 5 _____ 6 _____

I have reviewed the above-mentioned project and certify it is in compliance with the individual project plan. In addition, I affirm that I or a duly designated representative of the District will perform project inspections.

District Conservationist Name (Printed) _____ **Phone:** _____
District Conservationist Signature _____ **Date:** _____
Conservation District: _____ **County:** _____

NOTICE TO CONSERVATION DISTRICT: Upon completion of Funding Application, file original at Conservation District office & send a copy to **Arkansas Department of Agriculture, Natural Resources Division:** AGRI.Applications@arkansas.gov