

Practices Eligible for Cost-Share

- partial listing**
- (340) Cover Crop
 - (327) Conservation Cover
 - (612) Tree Establishment
 - (657) Wetland Restoration
 - (393) Filter Strip
 - (472) Access Control
 - (558) Roof Runoff Structure
 - (329) Residue Management, No Till
 - (590) Nutrient Management
 - (342) Critical Area Planting
 - (390) Riparian Herbaceous Cover
 - (391) Riparian Forest Buffer
 - (635) Vegetated Treatment Area
 - (512) Forage and Biomass Planting
 - (412) Grassed Waterway
 - (528) Prescribed Grazing
 - (367) Waste Facility Cover
 - (658) Wetland Creation
 - (332) Contour Buffer Strip
 - (386) Field Border
 - (580) Streambank Protection
 - (582) Two Stage Ditch
 - (747) Denitrifying Bioreactor
 - (585) Strip Cropping
 - (561) Heavy Use Protection Area
 - (578) Stream Crossing
 - (638) Water and Sediment Control Basin
 - (659) Wetland Enhancement

**For a complete list of eligible practices download the Deer Creek-Sugar Creek Cost-Share Program from our website and contact your local SWCD office.*

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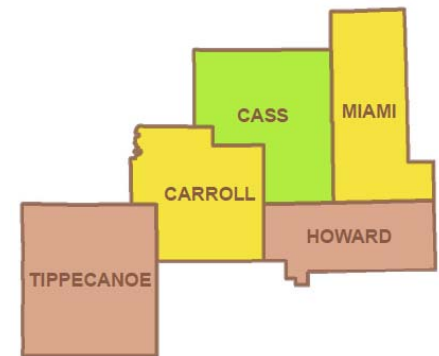
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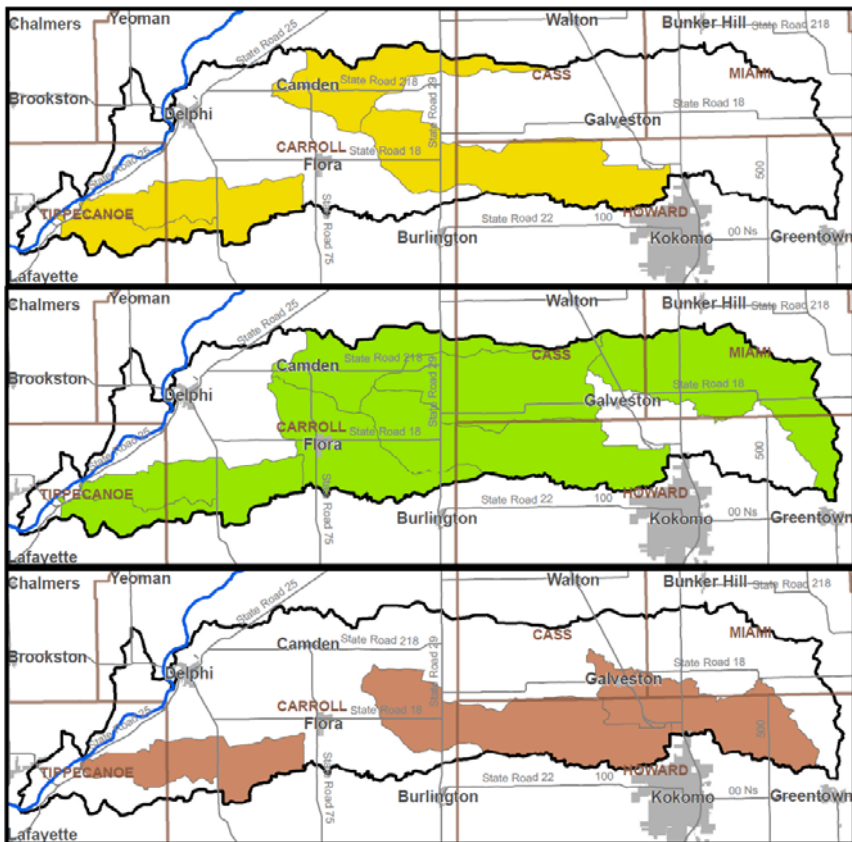
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Deer Creek-Sugar Creek Watershed Critical Areas



Map A—Areas Critical for Nitrogen and Phosphorus Loading

(see Cost-Share Program Page 3 for BMPs eligible for funding in these areas)

Map B—Areas Critical for *E. coli* Loading

(see Cost-Share Program Page 4 for BMPs eligible for funding in these areas)

Map C—Areas Critical for Sediment Loading

(see Cost-Share Program Page 5 for BMPs eligible for funding in these areas)

Landowners in critical areas of the Deer Creek-Sugar Creek Watershed are eligible to apply for cost-share funding to implement best management practices. Eligible practices include those that will reduce loading of Nitrogen and Phosphorus (Map A), *E. coli* (Map B), and Total Suspended Solids (Map C) in water runoff. Additional practices to keep livestock out of creeks are also eligible for funding. Approved applicants will receive up to 75% of the installation cost. Practices are installed according to NRCS standards and are approved by the Deer Creek-Sugar Creek Technical Review Committee, which includes local District Conservationists. Practices previously installed are not eligible.

Important Dates

Application Period: **Jan 1 - Mar 2, 2015**
(site visits conducted to applicant sites as necessary)
 Funding Decisions: **March 31, 2015**
 Program Closes: **January 31, 2016**

Pick up and submit application packets at your local SWCD office. Learn more about the project on our webpage

<http://www.wabashriver.net/deer-creek-sugar-creek/>



Scan here for more information on our cost-share program

Eligibility—your practice must be installed in a critical area of the Deer Creek-Sugar Creek watershed.

To Apply—Application packets are available at your local NRCS and SWCD Offices. They are also available to download from our website.

Ranking & Review—The Deer Creek-Sugar Creek Technical Review Committee will review, rank, and approve installation of BMPs according to NRCS standards. Site visits may be part of the review process.

Permits for BMPs—Any required permits will be the responsibility of the property owner. Permit-ready projects rank higher.

Maintaining BMPs—Recipients will operate and maintain all BMPs according to the following schedule: vegetative practices for 5 years, cover crops for 1 year, and structural BMPs for 10 years.

Deadlines—Applications are due on March 2, 2015. All recipients must submit invoices and documentation within 30 days of practice installation. The cost share program will end on January 31, 2016 or when all money has been allocated or spent.

Notification & Reimbursement—Recipients will be notified by letter or email. Cost-share funds are paid **after** installation of practices and all invoices have been received by the Watershed Coordinator. Reimbursement takes approximately 8 weeks after paperwork and invoices have been received by the Watershed Coordinator.