A PHOSPHORUS REDUCTION INITIATIVE USING COVER CROPS AND SOIL SAMPLING

The Soil Health Program

The Program:

Offers financial incentives to farmers to improve soil health, reduce nutrient loss and improve nutrient management planning by utilizing soil sampling and cover cropping. Watershed farmers are eligible to receive the following funding during 2021:

$10.00 / acre (frost-terminating cover crop species)
$12.50 /acre (over-wintering cover crop species)
50% cost share for grid or zone soil sampling (cap $500 / farm business)

How it works:

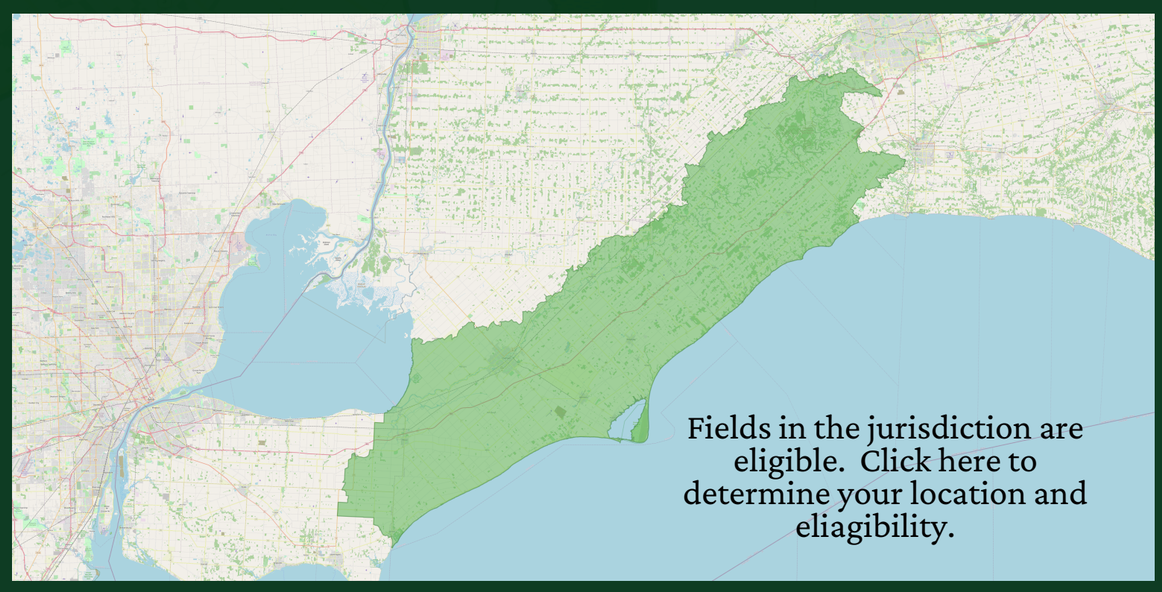
- Apply by contacting the Agricultural Program Coordinator to discuss your application prior to starting your project.
  colin.little@ltvca.ca or 226-868-6005
- Cover crops cannot be terminated through fall tillage to be eligible for funding.
- Environmental farm plan suggested but not required for eligibility.
- You complete the project, submit your claim and invoices, we verify and reimburse you.

Online Resources:

Program Details

Application Form

Claim Form



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