

Wisconsin FY23 Environmental Quality Incentives Program

Workload Prioritization Tool: **Northcentral Wisconsin – Cropland**

A Workload Prioritization Tool must be completed for each eligible EQIP application.

Instructions:

This workload prioritization tool must be completed for each eligible producer applying for this EQIP fund pool. Applications will be accepted on a continuous basis; however, application periods are established for purposes of evaluation, ranking, and funding decisions. The goal of this workload prioritization tool is to ensure that conservation technical assistance and the EQIP program benefits are managed efficiently to address priority conservation needs related to this initiative.

Completion of this worksheet and documentation does not constitute agreement to provide EQIP program benefits nor approval of a program contract. The original workload prioritization tool should be filed with the applicant case file or EQIP program file and unless the application is determined to be ineligible, the workload priority (high, medium, or low) must be recorded in the appropriate business tool. Upon request, a copy of any completed workload prioritization tool may be provided to the applicant.

Detailed Workload Prioritization Tool – Complete for Each Eligible EQIP Applicant	
Applicant Name:	County:
Application No:	Field Office:
Evaluator Name:	Date:
Priority Determination for business tools – Select One:	
<p><u>High Priority Category:</u> This application includes at least 1 of the LWG Cropland fund pool priority practices; 612 Tree/Shrub Establishment, 340 Cover Crop, 329 Residue and Tillage Management - No Till, 412 Grassed Waterway, 325 High Tunnel System.</p>	High
<p><u>Medium Priority Category:</u> The application includes practices practices that addresses Soil Erosion or Surface Water Groundwater Quality Resource Concerns or Soil Quality Limitations or Source Water Protection or Terrestrial Habitat.</p>	Medium
<p><u>Low Priority Category:</u> All applications that do not quality as "high or "medium" priority.</p>	Low

The priority determination of high, medium, or low must be recorded in Business Tools for this applicant.

D.C. Approval:		Date Approved:	
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