

Wisconsin FY23 Environmental Quality Incentives Program

Workload Prioritization Worksheet: Wisconsin Valley-Forestry and Wildlife

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

Instructions:

This workload prioritization worksheet must be completed for each eligible producer applying for EQIP sign-ups that do not have their own unique worksheet. 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 worksheet 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 worksheet should be filed with the applicant case file or EQIP program file and unless the application is determined to be ineligible, the workload prioritization (high, medium, or low) must be recorded in ProTracts. Upon request, a copy of any completed workload prioritization worksheet may be provided to the applicant.

Detailed Screening Criteria Worksheet – Complete for Each Eligible EQIP Applicant		
Applicant Name:	County:	
Application No:	Field Office:	
Evaluator Name:	Date:	
Priority Determination for ProTracts – Select One:		
<p><u>High Priority Category:</u></p> <p>Implementation of this application will; exclude livestock from the woodland by contracting 472-Access Control, OR Implement 612-Tree/Shrub Establishment or 420-Wildlife Habitat Planting when converting cropland to forest or wildlife, OR 666-Forest Stand Improvement, 314-Brush Management (min. of 2 years), or 490-Tree/Shrub Preparation is included in the application as recommended in an approved forest management plan.</p>		High
<p><u>Medium Priority Category:</u></p> <p>612-Tree/Shrub Establishment or 420-Wildlife Habitat Planting is applied for as recommended in an approved management plan.</p>		Medium

<u>Low Priority Category:</u> All applications that do not qualify as “high” or “medium” priority.	Low
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The priority determination of high, medium, or low must be recorded in ProTracts for this applicant.

D.C. Approval:		Date Approved:	
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