

**Wisconsin FY23 Environmental Quality Incentives Program**

**Workload Prioritization Worksheet: CPA, DIA, CEMA**

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

Instructions:

This worksheet must be completed for each eligible producer applying for EQIP CPA/DIA/CEMA signup. Applications will be accepted on a continuous basis; however, application periods are established for the purpose 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 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 priority (high, medium, or low) must be recorded in appropriate business tools. Upon request, a copy of any completed worksheet may be provided to the applicant.

<b>Detailed Workload Prioritization Criteria Worksheet – Complete for Each Eligible EQIP Applicant</b>	
Applicant Name:	County:
Application No:	Field Office:
Evaluator Name:	Date:
<b>Priority Determination – Select One:</b>	
<p><b><u>High Priority Category:</u></b></p> <p>1. Application includes Forestry Management Plan CPA (106) and/or Forest Management DIA (165) <b>AND</b> no prior or current forest stewardship plan exists.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>-OR-</b></p> <p>2. Application includes any other offered CPA, DIA, and/or CEMA (excluding 106 and 165).</p>	<b>High</b>
<p><b><u>Medium Priority Category:</u></b></p> <p>1. Application includes Forestry Management CPA (106) and/or DIA (165) <b>AND</b> a prior or current forest stewardship plan exists.</p>	<b>Medium</b>
<p><b><u>Low Priority Category:</u></b></p> <p>1. Application does not meet High or Medium priority</p>	<b>Low</b>

D.C. Approval:		Date Approved:	
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## **Conservation Planning Activities (CPAs), Design and Implementation Activities (DIAs), and Conservation Evaluation and Monitoring Activities (CEMAs)**

- Conservation Planning Activities
  - Code 102 – Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP).
  - Code 106 – Forest Management Plan.
  - Code 116 – Soil Health Management Plan.
  - Code 138 – Conservation Plan Supporting Organic Transition.
  - Code 199 – Conservation Plan.
  
- Design and Implementation Activities
  - Code 101 – Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan (CNMP)
  - Code 120 – Agricultural Energy Design.
  - Code 140 – Transition to Organic Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 144 – Fish and Wildlife Habitat Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 148 – Pollinator Habitat Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 157 – Nutrient Management Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 158 – Feed Management Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 159 – Grazing Management Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 160 – Prescribed Burning Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 161 – Pest Management Conservation System Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 162 – Soil Health Management Design and Implementation Activity.
  - Code 163 – Irrigation Water Management Design.
  - Code 164 – Drainage Water Management Design.
  - Code 165 – Forest Management Design and Implementation Activity.
  
- Conservation and Evaluation Monitoring Activities
  - Code 207 – Site Assessment and Soil Testing for Contaminants Activity.
  - Code 216 – Soil Health Testing.
  - Code 217 – Soil and Source Testing for Nutrient Management.
  - Code 218 – Carbon Sequestration and Greenhouse Gas Mitigation Assessment.
  - Code 228 – Agricultural Energy Assessment.