



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: KS FY24 EQIP IRA ACT NOW FOREST

Program: EQIP

Pool Status: Active

States: KS (Admin)

Template: EQIP General National Ranking Template - Amended October 2023

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Land Uses and Modifiers

Land Use	Grazed	Wildlife	Irrigated	Hayed	Drained	Organic	Water Feature	Protected	Urban	Aquaculture
Forest	--	--	--	N/A	N/A	--	--	--	--	--

Resource Concern Categories

Categories			
Category	Min %	Default %	Max %
Degraded plant condition	0	50	100
Pest pressure	0	50	100

Degraded plant condition			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Plant productivity and health	0	50	100
Plant structure and composition	0	50	100

Pest pressure			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Plant pest pressure	0	100	100


Practices

Practice Name	Practice Code	Practice Type
Forest Stand Improvement	666	Conservation Practices

Ranking Weights

Factors	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	30	40
Planned Practice Effects	Adjustment (D)	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	40	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	5	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: KS FY24 EQIP IRA ACT NOW FOREST (Active)

 An asterisk will be displayed to show that it is a conditional section or conditional question.

Survey: Applicability Questions

Section: applicability		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Kansas (Majority of planned land unit acres within the State of Kansas)	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Category Questions

Section: category		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Select category.	Statewide-Kansas	--

Survey: Program Questions

Section: program		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Has the client in the past 5 years, had a terminated Farm Bill Contract?	YES	-100
	NO	50
Does the application provide financial assistance for implementing Conservation Planning Activity (CPA), Design and Implementation Activity, (DIA), and/or Conservation Evaluation and Monitoring Activity (CEMA)?	YES	15
	NO	0
Does the applicant meet the NRCS definition of a veteran farmer or rancher? (Veteran who served in the active military, naval, or air service; was released from the service under conditions other than dishonorable; AND meets the definition of Beginning Farmer/Rancher OR who first obtained status as a veteran during the most recent 10 year period.)	YES	15
	NO	0

Section: program		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Kansas Forest Service potential for forest stewardship (GIS)	HIGH	100
	MEDIUM or HIGH	75
	Otherwise	0
Planned land units intersect Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) identified high priority TMDL watershed for total suspended solids (TSS)--(GIS)	Yes	20
	NO	0

Survey: Resource Questions

Section: resource		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Does the applicant have a Forest Stewardship Plan or a Forest Management Plan provided to them by the Kansas Forest Service?	YES	150
	NO	5
Application provides financial assistance for Climate Smart Agriculture and Forestry (CSAF) practices. Select all choices that apply.	314-Brush Management	25
	666-Forest Stand Improvement	5
	612- Tree-Shrub Establishment	20