

# Ranking Pool Report

**Ranking Pool** FY25 NH- IRA EQIP Forestry -  
BFR\_SDFR v2

**Program** EQIP

**Pool Status** Active

**Tags** HU, IRA

**Template** IRA EQIP

**Template Status** Active

**Existing Practice Included** No

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**National Pool** No

**Include States** NH (Admin)

## Land Uses and Modifiers

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

## Resource Concern Categories

Categories			
Category	Min %	Default %	Max %
Aquatic habitat	0	6	100
Concentrated erosion	0	22	100
Degraded plant condition	0	22	100
Inefficient energy use	0	6	100
Pest pressure	0	22	100
Terrestrial habitat	0	22	100

Aquatic habitat			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Aquatic habitat for fish and other organisms	0	50	100
Elevated water temperature	0	50	100

Concentrated erosion			
Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Bank erosion from streams, shorelines or water conveyance channels	0	30	100
Classic gully erosion	0	35	100

## Concentrated erosion

Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Ephemeral gully erosion	0	35	100

## Degraded plant condition

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

## Inefficient energy use

Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Energy efficiency of equipment and facilities	0	50	100
Energy efficiency of farming/ranching practices and field operations	0	50	100

## Pest pressure

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

## Terrestrial habitat

Resource Concern	Min %	Default %	Max %
Terrestrial habitat for wildlife and invertebrates	0	100	100

## Practices

Practice Name	Practice Code	Practice Narratives	Practice Type
Wildlife Habitat Planting	420	00N	Conservation Practices
Alley Cropping	311	00N	Conservation Practices
Critical Area Planting	342	00N, 00N-CRP-R	Conservation Practices
Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment and Renovation	380	00N, 00N-CRP-R	Conservation Practices
Riparian Herbaceous Cover	390	00N, 00N-CRP-R, 01N	Conservation Practices
Riparian Forest Buffer	391	00N, 00N-CRP-R	Conservation Practices
Hedgerow Planting	422	01N, 00N, 02N	Conservation Practices
Tree/Shrub Establishment	612	00N, 00N-CRP-R, 01N	Conservation Practices

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Restoration of Rare or Declining Natural Communities	643	01N, 00N-CRP-R	Conservation Practices
Forest Stand Improvement	666	00N	Conservation Practices
Fuel Break	383	00N	Conservation Practices
Silvopasture	381	01N	Conservation Practices
Woody Residue Treatment	384	01N, 00N	Conservation Practices
Forest Farming	379	00N, 01N	Conservation Practices

## Ranking Weights

Factors	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	10	40
Planned Practice Effects	Adjustment (D)	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	55	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	10	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

## Display Group: FY25 NH- IRA EQIP Forestry SDFR-BFR DG v2 (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
Is this an SDFR and/or BFR forestry or forestry related application?	YES	--
	NO	--

## Survey: Category Questions

Section: Category		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is this application BFR and/or SDFR? (Select All that Apply)	SDFR	--
	BFR	--

## Survey: Program Questions

Section: Program		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Does the application intersect a source water protection watershed by at least 50%?	Yes, the application intersect a source water protection watershed by at least 50%?	25
	No, Otherwise	0
Is 51% of the land in this application within a New England Cottontail Focus Area?	It is at least in 51% NEC area.	25
	Otherwise	--
Is 51% of the land in this application within a Turtle Habitat Focus Area?	51% of the land in this application withing Turtle Habitat Focus Area?	25
	Otherwise	--
Has the participant cancelled an application, contract, or specific CIN in an attempt to reapply and receive higher cost share rates, within the last two years?	YES	-250
	NO	--
Is the applicant a BFR, AND a veteran farmer/rancher? (Based on selection on NRCS-CPA-1200)	YES	20
	NO	--

## Survey: Resource Questions

Section: Resource		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Does the EQIP schedule of operations include one or more practices with the intent of increasing habitat for pollinators, beneficial insects, or both? Only consider practice(s): 327, 420, 595, 612.	YES	10
	NO	--
Does the application address at least 1 State Priority Resource Concern? (1) Aquatic Habitat; (2) Concentrated Erosion; (3) Degraded Plant Condition; (4) Field Sediment, Nutrient and Pathogen Loss; (5) Pest Pressure; (6) Soil Quality Limitations; (7) Terrestrial Habitat; (8) Wind and Water Erosion	YES	50
	NO	--

## Detailed Assessments

Name	Type	Jurisdiction	Status
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