Application Summary
The 2017 Environmental Quality Incentives Program Air Quality Initiative is a continuous sign-up and applications may be submitted at any time. Applications will be evaluated periodically as funding becomes available.

Application Deadline
April 21, 2017

Eligible Counties
AFO/CAFO-FY17 Category:
Adams, Franklin, Grant, Yakima, Skagit, Snohomish, King, Thurston

PM2.5-FY17 Category:
Benton, Franklin, Yakima, Chelan, Okanogan, Grant

PM10-FY17 Category: Adams, Benton, Douglas, Franklin, Grant, Lincoln, Okanogan, Walla Walla, Yakima, Klickitat

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Financial and technical assistance is available for agricultural producers through the Environmental Quality Incentives Program Air Quality Initiative. There are three categories to the Air Quality Program in FY17. The AFO/CAFO-FY17 Category will treat particulate matter, ozone, greenhouse gases, and odors from livestock operations. The PM10-FY17 Category will focus on PM10 that is mechanically generated by actions that disaggregate the soil on crop and pastureland. Lastly, the PM2.5-FY17 Category will focus on PM2.5 in orchards and vineyards as a result of frost control methods that burn wood or petroleum based oils (smudge pots). This is a competitive program, and you may be able to receive assistance to implement some of the following conservation activities:

- Conservation Cover
- Residue and Tillage Management
- Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment
- Combustion System Improvement
- Nutrient Management
- Waste Recycling
- And more (see list of core practices on back).
### Partial List of Core Practices for AQI

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