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This document contains the display ranking information for Indiana's fiscal year 2021 ranking pools for the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (RCPP) and the Regional Cooperative Conservation Program (RCPP) – EQIP.

Local NRCS representatives will rank your application in all applicable ranking pools.

In addition to the display ranking criteria below, CART uses information about the practices, resource concerns and offered land to calculate environmental benefits as a portion of an application ranking score.



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

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Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock (Active)



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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Will any practice in the application be used to address resource concerns related to managing livestock manure or livestock mortality? This includes any of the following items: 1)Improving existing or adding manure storage/mortality management structures; 2)Implementing a practice to address a resource concern related to land application of manure (whether the producer generates or receives the manure); 3)The application will implement any conservation practice identified in an existing CNMP.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana NRCS Area corresponding to the service center where the application will be managed.	NE	--
	NW	--
	SE	--
	SW	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:</p>	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?	Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.	--
	Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)	--
Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Confined Livestock Priorities: Application includes any of the following practices or option (choose all that apply):	None of the other options in this section are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Application includes practices that will limit nutrient runoff from silage and other feed storage areas. (3 points)	3
	Application is part of a group project to distribute manure to neighboring farms (the farms providing and receiving manure have applied for EQIP 590). (20 points)	20
	CPS 472 Access Control to limit livestock on farmstead access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies and/or woodlands. (10 points)	10
	Application will result in the relocation of an existing waste storage system or winter sacrifice area/heavy use area from proximity of a water body or floodplain to more suitable location. (Existing facility will be closed using CPS 360 Waste Facility Closure). (9 points)	9
	Application includes CPS 558 Roof Runoff Structure to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4
	Application includes CPS 367 Roofs and Covers or CPS 362 Diversions to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)	5
	CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)	10
	A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)	15
	The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)	5
	CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)	5
	The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)	5
Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)	5
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)	5
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)	1
Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)	10
	CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)	5
	CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Confined Livestock Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. 15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

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Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the application only for one or more Conservation Activity Plans (excluding CAP 128, 136 and 138)?	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the primary Conservation Activity Plan Type. If the application includes more than one CAP type, choose the most applicable category.	102 Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan CAP	--
	104 Nutrient Management Plan CAP or 114 Integrated Pest Management CAP	--
	106 Forest Management CAP	--
	All other CAP types	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Program Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the application for one or more CAP(s)?	Yes (200 points)	200

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Conservation Activity Plans Resource Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the application for one or more CAP(s)?	Yes (200 points)	200



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
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Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
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Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Applicability Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The application is for EQIP and the majority planned land use of the offered land is cropland (greater than 50% by acres).	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Category Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana NRCS Area corresponding to the service center where the application will be managed.	NE	--
	NW	--
	SE	--
	SW	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
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	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
	<p>Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)</p>	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Cropland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. 15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Pasture and Hay Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Pasture and Hay Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

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Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
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Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The application is for EQIP and the majority planned land use of the offered land is forestland (greater than 50% by acres).	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana NRCS Area corresponding to the service center where the application will be managed.	NE	--
	NW	--
	SE	--
	SW	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
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State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
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	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
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<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.	--
	Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Will greater than 80 percent of the offered land in the assessment be converted from cropland to forestland (trees) using CPS 612 and applicable supporting practices?</p>	Yes (150 points)	150
	No (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.*</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	<p>0</p>
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	<p>20</p>
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	<p>10</p>
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	<p>5</p>
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	<p>8</p>
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	<p>2</p>
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)*</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	<p>0</p>
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	<p>5</p>
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	<p>10</p>
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	<p>15</p>
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	<p>5</p>
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	<p>5</p>
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	<p>5</p>

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Forestland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):*	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)	5
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)	5
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)	1
Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):*	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)	10
	CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)	5
	CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)	1
Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:*	The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)	2
	CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. 15 points)	15
	Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)	10
	CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)	8
	CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)	4
	The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)	3
	Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)	3



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health

Program: EQIP

Template: GLRI Nearshore

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	40	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	30	40
Program Priorities	Default	5	5	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Each land unit in the application is located at least 50% within an eligible GLRI watershed?	All land units are located in the GLRI watershed. This means each land unit in the assessment is at least 50% within the GLRI Priority watershed.	--
	At least one land unit in the assessment is not primarily in the GLRI watershed. This means greater than 50% of one land unit is outside the GLRI watershed. The assessment is not applicable to the GLRI Nearshore Health ranking pool.	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the GLRI Nearshore Health category.	GLRI Nearshore Health 2021	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the application for an eligible Conservation Activity Plan? If the response is "yes", choose the applicable CAP response for all other questions. (Eligible CAPs for GLRI: 102 CNMP, 104 Nutrient Management Plan, 130 Drainage Water Management Plan) (Yes=200 points)	YES	200
	NO	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the application for an eligible Conservation Activity Plan? If the response is "yes", choose the applicable CAP response for all other questions. (Eligible CAPs for GLRI: 102 CNMP, 104 Nutrient Management Plan, 130 Drainage Water Management Plan) (Yes=200 points)	YES	200
	NO	0
Is any land in the assessment located in any GLRI Phosphorus priority watersheds?	Yes	80
	No	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 GLRI Nearshore Health Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland OR the application is for a GLRI CAP OR none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland OR the application is for a GLRI CAP OR none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland OR the application is for a GLRI CAP OR none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	7
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	4
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	2



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021

Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Did the applicant self-certify as meeting the Historically Underserved Beginning Farmer/Rancher Category on the NRCS-CPA-1200?	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the HU Category.	Beginning Farmer/Rancher	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Did the applicant self-certify as Veteran Farmer or Rancher on the NRCS-CPA-1200?	Yes (20 Points)	20
	No (0 points)	0
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
	Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. 15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Beginning Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Confined Livestock Priorities: Application includes any of the following practices or option (choose all that apply):</p>	None of the other options in this section are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Application includes practices that will limit nutrient runoff from silage and other feed storage areas. (3 points)	3
	Application is part of a group project to distribute manure to neighboring farms (the farms providing and receiving manure have applied for EQIP 590). (20 points)	20
	CPS 472 Access Control to limit livestock on farmstead access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies and/or woodlands. (10 points)	10
	Application will result in the relocation of an existing waste storage system or winter sacrifice area/heavy use area from proximity of a water body or floodplain to more suitable location. (Existing facility will be closed using CPS 360 Waste Facility Closure). (9 points)	9
	Application includes CPS 558 Roof Runoff Structure to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4
	Application includes CPS 367 Roofs and Covers or CPS 362 Diversions to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

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Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Did the applicant self-certify as meeting the Historically Underserved Limited Resource Farmer/Rancher Category on the NRCS-CPA-1200?	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the HU Category.	Limited Resource Farmer/Rancher	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
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	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
	Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. 15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Limited Resource Farmer Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Confined Livestock Priorities: Application includes any of the following practices or option (choose all that apply):</p>	None of the other options in this section are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Application includes practices that will limit nutrient runoff from silage and other feed storage areas. (3 points)	3
	Application is part of a group project to distribute manure to neighboring farms (the farms providing and receiving manure have applied for EQIP 590). (20 points)	20
	CPS 472 Access Control to limit livestock on farmstead access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies and/or woodlands. (10 points)	10
	Application will result in the relocation of an existing waste storage system or winter sacrifice area/heavy use area from proximity of a water body or floodplain to more suitable location. (Existing facility will be closed using CPS 360 Waste Facility Closure). (9 points)	9
	Application includes CPS 558 Roof Runoff Structure to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4
	Application includes CPS 367 Roofs and Covers or CPS 362 Diversions to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021

Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer (Active)

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

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Did the applicant self-certify as meeting the Historically Underserved Socially Disadvantaged Farmer/Rancher Category on the NRCS-CPA-1200?	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the HU Category.	Socially Disadvantaged Farmer/Rancher	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Did the applicant self-certify as Veteran Farmer or Rancher on the NRCS-CPA-1200?	Yes (20 Points)	20
	No (0 points)	0
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. 15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 HU Socially Disadvantaged Farmer

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Confined Livestock Priorities: Application includes any of the following practices or option (choose all that apply):</p>	None of the other options in this section are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Application includes practices that will limit nutrient runoff from silage and other feed storage areas. (3 points)	3
	Application is part of a group project to distribute manure to neighboring farms (the farms providing and receiving manure have applied for EQIP 590). (20 points)	20
	CPS 472 Access Control to limit livestock on farmstead access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies and/or woodlands. (10 points)	10
	Application will result in the relocation of an existing waste storage system or winter sacrifice area/heavy use area from proximity of a water body or floodplain to more suitable location. (Existing facility will be closed using CPS 360 Waste Facility Closure). (9 points)	9
	Application includes CPS 558 Roof Runoff Structure to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4
	Application includes CPS 367 Roofs and Covers or CPS 362 Diversions to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI

Program: EQIP

Template: MRBI (Mississippi River Healthy Watersheds Initiative) FY21

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

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

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI (Active)

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

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Each land unit in the application is located at least 50% within an eligible MRBI watershed? Refer to the Conservation Desktop layer "Initiative_MRBI_Implementation" to evaluate if the offered land meets this criteria.	All PLUs in the assessment are at least 50% in the MRBI watershed.	--
	At least one PLU in the assessment is not at least 50% in the MRBI watershed.	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Select the MRBI Project applicable to the application.	Middle Wabash Deer	--
	Big Walnut Creek	--
	Treaty Creek Wabash River	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Program Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0	

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 MRBI Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Does any of the land in the assessment intersect a critical source area within the project area?	Yes, land in the assessment intersects the layer Indiana MRBI Critical Source FY21 (80 points)	80
	None of the land in the assessment intersects the layer Indiana MRBI Critical Source FY21. (0 points)	0
Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment) in a critical source area. (100 points)*	Yes (100 points)	100
	No (0 points)	0
Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment) but no land intersects with the critical source areas within the project areas.*	Yes (20 points)	20
	No (0 points)	0



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI

Program: EQIP

Template: NWQI (National Water Quality Initiative) FY21

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

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

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI (Active)

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

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Each land unit in the application is located at least 50% within an eligible 2021 NWQI watershed? Refer to the Conservation Desktop layer "Initiative_NWQI_Implementation" to evaluate if the offered land meets this criteria.	Each land unit in the assessment is at least 50% located in an eligible FY20 NWQI watershed.	--
	At least one land unit in the assessment is located more than 50% outside an eligible NWQI watershed.	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the applicable NWQI project for the assessment.	Upper Sinking Blue	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 NWQI Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Does any of the land in the assessment intersect a critical source area within the project area?</p>	Yes, land in the assessment intersects the layer Indiana NWQI Critical Source FY21 (80 points)	80
	None of the land in the assessment intersects the layer Indiana NWQI Critical Source FY21. (0 points)	0
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment) in a critical source area. (100 points)*</p>	Yes (100 points)	100
	No (0 points)	0
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment) but no land intersects with the critical source areas within the project areas.*</p>	Yes (20 points)	20
	No (0 points)	0



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021

Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Practices


Practice	Practice Code	Practice Type
Energy Efficient Lighting System	670	P

Practice	Practice Code	Practice Type
Energy Efficient Building Envelope	672	P
Agricultural Energy Management Plan - Written	128	P
Irrigation Water Management	449	P
Pumping Plant	533	P
Farmstead Energy Improvement	374	P
Agricultural Energy Design Plan - Written	136	P

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
The assessment includes one of the National On Farm Energy Initiative (NOEFI) Conservation Activity Plans 128 or 136 or any other NOEFI core practices which have been evaluated in an written CAP 128 or 136.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana EQIP on Farm Energy Category.	On Farm Energy Practices	--
	136 Ag Energy Design or 128 Ag Energy Management Plan CAP	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The NOFEI application is for CAP 128 and/or 136.	Yes (200 points)	200
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 On Farm Energy Initiative Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The NOFEI application is for CAP 128 and/or 136.	Yes (200 points)	200
	No (0 points)	0
On Farm Energy Priorities: choose the best response.*	None of the other options apply. (0 points)	0
	As calculated with the Energy Cost Efficiency Worksheet, the estimated cost-efficiency of EACH core practice included in the application will be 50 percent or more? (150 points)	150
	As calculated with the Energy Cost Efficiency Worksheet, the estimated cost-efficiency of ANY one core practice in the application will be less than 50 percent? (1 point)	1



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	Organic	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	Organic	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	Organic	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	Organic	--	--	--	--	--
Water	Organic	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	Organic	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative (Active)

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

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Did the applicant submit the organic self-certification worksheet to identify as certified-organic, transitioning to organic certification or exempt from organic certification and the applicant wants to be considered in the National Organic Initiative ranking pool? Note: Practices funded through this ranking pool are subject to the EQIP organic payment limitations.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the appropriate organic certification status or the organic CAP category.	Certified Organic	--
	Transitioning to Organic	--
	Exempt from Organic Certification	--
	138 Conservation Plan Supporting Organic Transition	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Organic Initiative Priorities: Choose any of the following options that are applicable for the application:	The application is for CAP 138. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (200 points)	200
	None of the other options are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	The assessment show that the planned practice points will equal or be greater than the threshold for both concentrated erosion and wind/water erosion on any land unit. 5 points)	5
	The assessment show that the planned practice points will equal or be greater than the threshold for both concentrated erosion and wind/water erosion on all offered land. (25 points)	25
	The application includes the establishment of buffer zones with any vegetative practice that will mitigate offsite contaminates from entering the farm on any land unit in the operation (5 points)	5
	The application includes the establishment of buffer zones with any vegetative practice that will mitigate offsite contaminates from entering the farm on every land unit in the operation (25 points)	25

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Resource Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
CAP 138 Question: Choose Yes if the application is for CAP 138. (200 points)	Yes (200 points)	200
	No (0 points) - If this option is selected, continue evaluating the remaining land use priorities.	0
Confined Livestock Priorities: Application includes any of the following practices or option (choose all that apply):*	None of the other options in this section are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Application includes practices that will limit nutrient runoff from silage and other feed storage areas. (3 points)	3
	Application is part of a group project to distribute manure to neighboring farms (the farms providing and receiving manure have applied for EQIP 590). (20 points)	20
	CPS 472 Access Control to limit livestock on farmstead access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies and/or woodlands. (10 points)	10
	Application will result in the relocation of an existing waste storage system or winter sacrifice area/heavy use area from proximity of a water body or floodplain to more suitable location. (Existing facility will be closed using CPS 360 Waste Facility Closure). (9 points)	9
	Application includes CPS 558 Roof Runoff Structure to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4
	Application includes CPS 367 Roofs and Covers or CPS 362 Diversions to keep rainwater and other "clean" water from coming into contact with manure. (4 points)	4

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)*</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):*</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or non of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):*</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Organic Initiative Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture.*</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils.15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.*</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The application is for EQIP and the majority planned land use of the offered land is pastureland (greater than 50% by acres).	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana NRCS Area corresponding to the service center where the application will be managed.	NE	--
	NW	--
	SE	--
	SW	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0	

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
	<p>Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)</p>	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Will greater than 80 percent of the offered land in the assessment be converted from cropland to grazed pasture using CPS 512 and applicable supporting practices?</p>	Yes (150 points)	150
	No (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:*</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils. (15 points)</p>	15
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	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Forage and Biomass Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Cropland Priorities: General: Application includes any of the following practices (choose all that apply)*</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Pastureland Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):*	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)	5
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)	5
	CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)	1
Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):*	The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)	10
	CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)	5
	CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)	1
Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.*	The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)	20
	Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)	10
	Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)	5
	Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)	8
	Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)	2



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

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Land Uses

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Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
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Ranking Component Weights

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Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Application land use is primarily (>50% of acres) for an orchard, vineyard, high tunnel system, truck crops, subsistence crops or non-commodity crops.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the primary production type associated with the application based on the estimated cost of the practices associated with the production type applicable to this ranking pool.	Orchard, Vineyard, or Truck Crops	--
	Small Produce Farm (e.g. Subsistence Agriculture, High Tunnel Systems, etc.)	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The applicant (by tax ID) had an EQIP or CSP contract that was terminated in the last three years or has an active contract under a non-compliance agreement. The non-compliance or termination must have been due to circumstances within the control of the participant. Completed non-compliance agreements are not applicable. (Yes= -200 points, No=0 points)	YES	-200
	NO	0
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
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	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0	
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
	<p>Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)</p>	--
<p>Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*</p>	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Specialty Crops, Orchards, and Vineyards Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>High Tunnel System Priorities: Application includes CPS 325 High Tunnel System or is to support and existing High Tunnel and any of the following options (choose all that apply):*</p>	None of the options in this section are applicable. If selected, do not choose any other options in this section. (0 points)	0
	Applicant has not received funding for a high tunnel (under any practice standard) in the last three years. (30 points)	30
	Application includes CPS 340 Cover Crops to support the high tunnel system (new or existing). (8 points)	8
	Application includes CPS 590 Nutrient Management to support the high tunnel system (new or existing). (7 points)	7
	Application includes CPS 328 to support the crops in the high tunnel system or the high tunnel system will be rotated (new or existing). (10 points)	10
	Application includes a vegetative practice to establish pollinator habitat adjacent to the new or existing high tunnel. (20 points)	20
<p>Orchard/Vineyard/Truck Crop Priorities: Application focus is for orchards, vineyards, or other non-commodity crops, truck crops, small farms, etc and the application includes any of the following options:*</p>	None of the options in this section are applicable. If selected, do not choose any other options in this section. (0 Points)	0
	CPS 595 Pest Management System (35 points)	35
	CPS 329 or 345 (10 points)	10
	CPS 328 (30 points)	30
	CSP 590 (10 points)	10
	CPS 340 (10 points)	10
	Pollinator habitat will be established anywhere on the offered land. (30 points)	30

USDA Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

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Last Modified: 2021

Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
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Ranking Component Weights

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Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Each land unit in the application is located at least 50% within an eligible WLEB watershed?	All land units are located in the WLEB watershed. This means each land unit in the assessment is at least 50% within the WLEB Priority watershed.	--
	At least one land unit in the assessment is not primarily in the WLEB watershed. This means greater than 50% of one land unit is outside the WLEB watershed. The assessment is not applicable to the WLEB ranking pool.	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the WLEB category.	WLEB	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Phosphorus Reduction: If the assessment shows Planned Practice points for both the Nonpoint Phosphorus Leaching Loss and Nonpoint Phosphorus Surface Loss resource concerns, choose the soil test phosphorus level from tests provided by the applicant and verified by any sample size on any of the offered land (choose only one option):	Greater than 200 PPM (100 points)	100
	100-200 PPM (50 points)	50
	No soil test available but 590 is planned (50 points)	50
	40-100 PPM (25 points)	25
	Less than 40 PPM (5 points)	5
Phosphorus Management: Which of the following phosphorus management strategies will be used for the majority of the phosphorus rate on at least 50% of the offered land for all crops in the rotation? Choose only one option by selecting the highest point option that will be adopted.	Phosphorus will be injected/banded in the summer following wheat harvest with a cover crop or no phosphorus will be applied by implementing a drawdown strategy. (100 points)	100
	Phosphorus will be injected and a cover crop seeded, or injected into a growing cover crop (80 points)	80
	Phosphorus will be injected/banded at planting. (75 points)	75
	Phosphorus will be injected/banded in the spring prior to planting. (50 points)	50
	Phosphorus will be injected during fall strip tillage operations. (20 points)	20
	Phosphorus will be broadcast and incorporated within 48 hours of being applied. (10 points)	10
None of the other options are applicable. (0 points)	0	

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Resource Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Confined Livestock Priorities: Application includes any of the following practices or option (choose all that apply):</p>	None of the other options in this section are applicable. Do not select any other options if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Application includes practices that will limit nutrient runoff from silage and other feed storage areas. (3 points)	3
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Resource Questions

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	<p>CPS 329 Residue and Tillage Management-No Till for three consecutive years. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 328 Conservation Crop Rotation (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>A combination of all of the following practices on any of the offered cropland acres (at least one PLU): 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers along all water bodies. This choice can be in addition to other choices in this list. (15 points)</p>	15
	<p>The offered cropland includes a tile riser or surface inlet and includes all of the following practices on the PLU surrounding the tile risers or surface inlets: 328, 329, 590, 340, and buffers around the inlet. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 620 Underground Outlet - Blind Inlet for Water Quality to replace an existing inlet riser. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>The offered cropland has karst soils or features and includes all of the following practices around the feature: 328, 329, 590, 340, buffers. (5 points)</p>	5
<p>Cropland Priorities: Nutrient Management: Application includes one of the following 590 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic scenario (commercial or manure) (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - Basic Precision, Small Farm or Adaptive Management scenarios. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 590 for three consecutive years - VRT, Deep Placement payment scenario (commercial or manure) (1 points)</p>	1
<p>Cropland Priorities: Cover Crops: Application includes one of the following 340 options (choose the highest level planned):</p>	<p>The application does not include any cropland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 340 Multi-Species scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 340 Basic scenario (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>CPS 340 Winter Kill or small farm scenario (1 points)</p>	1

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 WLEB Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Pasture Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to pasture:</p>	<p>The application does not include any pasture or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>CPS 528 High Intensity scenario on any portion of the offered pasture acres. (2 points)</p>	2
	<p>CPS 472 Access Control to limit grazing livestock access to streams, creeks, other natural water bodies, woodlands, and/or karst features/soils.15 points)</p>	15
	<p>Application will convert expiring CRP or HEL cropland to pasture or perennial hay. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>CPS 512 Pasture and Hay Planting, Native scenario. (8 points)</p>	8
	<p>CPS 512 Pasture and Hay Planting, scenario to convert endophyte-infected tall fescue to improved forages. (4 points)</p>	4
	<p>The offered land includes karst soils or features and includes 528 Prescribed Grazing on all offered land units with karst soils. (3 points)</p>	3
	<p>Application includes an HUAP that will provide a more suitable location for feeding hay/winter feeding. (3 points)</p>	3
<p>Forest Priorities: Application includes any of the following options (choose all that apply). These responses also apply to land transitioning to forest.</p>	<p>The application does not include any forestland or none of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)</p>	0
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Forest Openings (20 points)</p>	20
	<p>Forest Management Plan has an objective of oak regeneration by implementing CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Medium scenario (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application will restore or connect existing forests with a tree planting using CPS 612, 391, 422, 420, 380 or others as approved by the State Office. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application includes CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife edge feathering, heavy scenario.(8 points)</p>	8
	<p>Application will any forestland related resource concern and is located adjacent to an existing protected forested area (state or national property) (2 points)</p>	2



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail in Working Grasslands

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
All of the following criteria are met for this application: 1)The objective of the application includes the establishment/management of Northern Bobwhite Quail habitat OR the management of working grasslands to benefit N.Bobwhite Quail; 2)An appropriate WHEG has been completed meeting a planned condition of "good" and increasing from the current score?	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana Wildlife Habitat Northern Bobwhite Quail Category	Northern Bobwhite Quail in Working Grasslands	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Northern Bobwhite Quail Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Application meets any of the following criteria (choose all that apply):	None of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	The project is located in a high priority county in Indiana with a National Bobwhite Conservation Initiative (NBCI) ranking of high. This includes the following counties: Bartholomew, Brown, Clay, Crawford, Daviess, Dubois, Gibson, Green, Harrison, Jackson, Johnson, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Orange, Owen, Perry, Pike, Putnam, Spencer, Sullivan, Warrick, Washington. (30 points)	30
	The project will result in a planned landscape habitat suitability index score of "Excellent" (20 Points)	20
	The project will implement patch-burn grazing following a Prescribed Grazing plan (minimum canopy heights do not apply to the most recently burned/grazed patch) (WHEG option 3 is selected). (25 points)	25
	The project will implement rotational grazing following a Prescribed Grazing plan following recommended minimum grazing heights? (WHEG question 3, option B plus prescribed grazing plan for rotational grazing). (50 points)	50
	The project will implement a continuous grazing strategy following the recommended canopy heights? (WHEG question 3 option B plus prescribed grazing plan for continuous grazing). (25 points)	25
	The stocking density of the offered grazed acres is less than 0.5 animal units per acre. (25 points)	25
	The project will result in the planting of three or more species of native grasses and five or more species of native forbs/native legumes through any vegetative practice. (25 points)	25



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat

Program: EQIP

Template: FY2021 EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021

Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Water	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	10	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	20	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
All of the following criteria are met: 1-The objective includes the establishment or management of new or existing wildlife habitat, 2-An appropriate WHEG has been completed and shows an increase from the current score, 3-The assessment includes CPS 644 or 645 as planned.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the wildlife habitat category according to the criteria defined.	Habitat General - WHEG has been completed and shows an increase from the existing score and none of the planned practices are intended for the treatment of invasive species.	--
	Pollinator Habitat - WHEG has been completed and shows an increase from the existing score and a planned score of good to establish pollinator habitat. None of the planned practices are intended for the treatment of invasive species.	--
	Invasive Species - WHEG has been completed and shows an increase from the existing score and a planned score of good with the primary purpose of treating invasive species.	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Program Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by the applicable FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant, applying for EQIP within the last year of the CRP contract (10 points)	10
	Applicant is an FSA-eligible CRP-TIP participant who is beginning the organic certification process (10 points)	10
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0	

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Habitat General: Application includes any practice in the list or meets any of the following criteria (choose all that apply):*	If yes was selected for the cropland conversion to habitat choose this response. Otherwise make the appropriate selection: None of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Any practice that will establish native warm season grasses and forbs or trees on land where neither currently exist. (20 points)	20
	CPS 658 Wetland Creation (5 points)	5
	CPS 659 Wetland Enhancement (5 points)	5
	CPS 657 Wetland Restoration (20 points)	20
	CPS 647 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management, Disking scenario (20 points)	20
	CPS 315 Herbaceous Weed Control, Light or Medium Spot Treatment (20 points)	20
	CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (20 points)	20
	CPS 649 Structures for Wildlif, Edge feathering scenario. (20 points)	20
	CPS 644 Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management for more that one year. (10 points)	10
	CPS 645 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management for more than one year (10 points)	10
	Any practice where the seeding or planting component will meet the pollinator specification in the Indiana Seeding Tool (even if pollinators are not the target species). (20 points)	20
	The project will result in a planned landscape habitat suitability index score of Excellent (20 points)	20

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
	Make the appropriate selection: None of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Any practice that will establish native warm season grasses and forbs on land where neither currently exist. (25 points)	25
	CPS 658 Wetland Creation (5 points)	5
	CPS 659 Wetland Enhancement (5 points)	5
	CPS 657 Wetland Restoration (20 points)	20
	CPS 644 Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management for more that one year. (20 points)	20
	CPS 645 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management for more than one year (20 points).	20
	CPS 647 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management, Disking scenario (5 points)	5
	CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (10 points)	10
	CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife, Edge feathering scenario. (10 points)	10
Pollinator Habitat: Application includes any practice in the list or meets any of the following criteria (choose all that apply):*	Any practice where the seeding component will meet, at a minimum, the Specialized Habitat Requirements payment scenario under CPS 420 (minimum of 15 species and 30 seeds per square foot). (15 points)	15
	The project will result in a planned landscape habitat suitability index score of Excellent (25 Points)	25
	The planting mix will include at least one species of milkweed (5 points)	5
	The planned seeding mix includes at least 1 species per blooming period from the list of nectar plants beneficial to monarch butterflies. Refer to the Indiana monarch Species List for species rated high or very high to meet this criteria. (5 points)	10
	The planned location of the pollinator habitat area will be at least 30 feet from any area that will receive insecticides (crop, pasture, lawns, orchards, etc.). (10 points)	10
	The planned pollinator seeding mix includes at least 1 flowering shrub in addition to the forbs. Refer to the 612 Pollinator Tree-Shrub list for species that meet this criteria (found on the IN SharePoint under Technology Tab) or consult with the NRCS State Forester. (20 points)	20

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Wildlife Habitat Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Invasive Species: Application includes any practice in the list or meets any of the following criteria (choose all that apply):*	None of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses if this choice is selected. (0 points)	0
	Any practice that will establish warm season grasses and forbs on land where neither currently exist. (25 points)	25
	CPS 658 Wetland Creation (5 points)	5
	CPS 659 Wetland Enhancement (5 points)	5
	CPS 657 Wetland Restoration (20 points)	20
	CPS 644 Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management for more that one year. (20 points)	20
	CPS 645 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management for more than one year (20 points).	20
	CPS 647 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management, Disking scenario (5 points)	5
	CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (10 points)	10
	CPS 649 Structures for Wildlife, Edge feathering scenario. (10 points)	10
	Any practice where the seeding component will meet, at a minimum, the Specialized Habitat Requirements payment scenario under CPS 420 (a minimum of 15 species and 30 seeds per square foot). (10 points)	10
	The project will result in a planned landscape habitat suitability index score of Excellent (20 Points)	20
	The project area includes sites with recent colonization (i.e. colonization is 1-3 years old OR is equal to or less than 10% canopy cover) of invasive species eligible for treatment. (25 points)	25
	Kudzu is one of the the identified species that will be treated. (25 points)	25



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat

Program: EQIP

Pool Status: Active

Template: Working Lands for Wildlife (WLFW) Monarch Butterfly (MOBU)

Template Status: Active

Last Modified By:

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	15	20	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	15	15	15
Resource Priorities	Default	20	50	60
Program Priorities	Default	5	5	15
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat (Active)

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Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Applicability Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is any of the offered land within the Working Lands for Wildlife Monarch Butterfly project area?	Land in the assessment is in the WLFW Monarch Butterfly project area.	--
	None of the land in the assessment is in the WLFW Monarch Butterfly project area.	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Category Question

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Indiana Monarch Butterfly Habitat Project Category	Indiana Monarch Butterfly Habitat Project	--

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Program Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Program Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:	Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)	5
	Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by the applicable FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)	5
	Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)	10
	Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)	5
	None of the options are applicable. (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Resource Questions

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Resource Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Habitat Priority: Do any of the PLUs in the assessment fall within the WLFW Monarch Butterfly priority areas for conservation?	Assessment falls within the Monarch Butterfly priority area. (30 points)	30
	Assessment does not fall within the Monarch Butterfly priority area. (0 points)	0
Direct Target Species Benefits -Choose only one response regarding the establishment or management of monarch butterfly habitat for the assessment.	None of the choices are applicable. (0 points)	0
	Seeding mix will include two or more species of milkweed. (70 points)	70
	Seeding mix will include one species of milkweed. (50 points)	50
Is the planned habitat area adjacent to ag lands that are treated with insecticides, excluding seed treatment? If the WHEG V (IR) score is 0.2 or less, answer "yes".	Management of existing habitat will increase existing milkweed and floral resources. (25 points)	25
	Yes (-20 points)	-20
	No (40 points)	40

Section: Indiana EQIP 2021 Monarch Butterfly Habitat Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the center point of any of the planned habitat areas less than 125 feet from ag lands treated with insecticides? If the WHEG V (IR) score is less than 1.0, answer "yes".	Yes (-40 points)	-40
	No (20 points)	20
Choose the proximity of the planned project to existing monarch habitat. (i.e. natural areas, land enrolled in CRP, etc. with abundant milkweed or other plants beneficial to monarch butterflies)	Planned Monarch Butterfly project is less than 0.2 miles from existing habitat. (20 points)	20
	Planned Monarch Butterfly project is between 0.2 and 0.5 miles from existing habitat. (10 points)	10
	Planned Monarch Butterfly project is greater than 0.5 miles from existing habitat. (0 points)	0
If the project is less than 0.5 miles from existing habitat, is the existing habitat protected for conservation purposes by an easement or long-term lease (>5 years)?	Yes (20 points)	20
	No (0 points)	0



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Watershed Partnership

Program: RCPP-EQIP

Template: RCPP-EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021

Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	25	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	20	20	35
Resource Priorities	Default	5	15	25
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	20
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine (Active)

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Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Applicability Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the land in the assessment located in the Big Pine watershed in Benton, Tippecanoe, Warren, or White county?	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Category Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
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Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Category Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Big Pine Watershed Partnership category.	RCPP EQIP Big Pine Watershed Partnership	--

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Program Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 2 priority. (20 points)	20
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 3 priority. (17 points)	17
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 4 priority. (14 points)	14
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 5 priority. (12 points)	12
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 6 priority. (9 points)	9
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 7 priority. (8 points)	8
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 8 priority. (6 points)	6
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 9 priority. (5 points)	5
	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
	None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Resource Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
If the application includes CPS 340 Cover Crop, select the planned cover crop seeding option. Note that these options are different from a similar EQIP Cropland ranking question.	Basic or Winter Kill scenario (one species) (5 points)	5
	Any scenario that will include two or more species (10 points)	10
	Any scenario that will include two or more species including a legume. (15 points)	15
	None of the other options are applicable. Do not select any other options if this option is selected. (0 points)	0

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Big Pine Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Nutrient Management Priorities: Choose the CPS 590 scenario planned in the assessment, if any.	None of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other options if this option is selected. (0 points)	0
	Basic or Basic w/Manure and/or Compost (10 points)	10
	Basic Precision or NM Grid/Zone Sampling, Variable Rate - Deep Placement (30 points)	30
Does the land in the assessment fall in one of the Big Pine priority watersheds?	None of the land in the assessment falls within a Big Pine priority watershed (white). (0 points)	0
	High priority (red) (40 points)	40
	Medium priority (orange) (30 points)	30
	Low priority (yellow) (20 points)	20
Is the applicant willing to provide data for the Fieldprint Calculator as part of implementation of a nutrient management plan?	YES	40
	NO	0
Is any of the land in the assessment adjacent to a main water body or tributary?	YES	20
	NO	0
Are both CPS 340 Cover Crops and CPS 590 Nutrient Management included as planned practices in the assessment?	YES	40
	NO	0



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Grasslands for Gamebirds and Songbirds

Program: RCPP-EQIP

Template: RCPP-EQIP

Last Modified By:

Pool Status: Active

Template Status: Active

Last Modified: 2021


Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	25	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	20	20	35
Resource Priorities	Default	5	15	25
Program Priorities	Default	5	15	20
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Grasslands for Gamebirds and Songbirds (Active)

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Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Applicability Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Applicability Question

Question	Answer Choices	Points
The land in the assessment is located in an eligible area in any of the eligible GGS counties: Benton, Clay, Daviess, Dekalb, Gibson, Greene, Jackson, Jasper, Jennings, Lagrange, Newton, Noble, Pike, Ripley, Scott, Spencer, Steuben, Sullivan, Warren, Warrick, White.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Category Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Grasslands for Gamebirds and Songbirds category.	RCPP EQIP Grasslands for Gamebirds and Songbirds	--

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Program Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Program Questions		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>Local Priorities: Select all of the options below that correspond with this application. The resource concern threshold must be met or exceeded per the conservation assessment for any land in the application OR any part of the offered land must be within a priority watershed identified by the local working group.</p>	The application will address the county local working group's Number 1 priority. (28 points)	28
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	The application will address the county local working group's Number 10 priority. (1 points)	1
None of the other options are applicable (0 points)	0	

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Resource Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP GGS Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Does the assessment include any of the following practices as planned: 422 Hedgrow Planting, 643 Restoration of Rare or Declining Natural Communities, 386 Field Border, 649 Structures for Wildlife, or 315 Herbaceous Weed Treatment?	YES	80
	NO	0
Choose the planned WHEG average for the offered land.	WHEG score of at least 1.0 (120 points)	120
	WHEG score of at least 0.7 (60 points)	60
	WHEG score of at least 0.6 points (30 points)	30



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land

Program: RCPP-EQIP

Pool Status: Active

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Land Uses

Land Use	Modifier 1	Modifier 2	Modifier 3	Modifier 4	Modifier 5	Modifier 6
Crop	--	--	--	--	--	--
Forest	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pasture	--	--	--	--	--	--
Farmstead	--	--	--	--	--	--
Associated Ag Land	--	--	--	--	--	--

Ranking Component Weights

Category	Algorithm	Allowable Min	Default	Allowable Max
Vulnerabilities	Default	25	40	40
Planned Practice Effects	Default	20	20	35
Resource Priorities	Default	5	20	25
Program Priorities	Default	5	10	20
Efficiencies	Default	10	10	10

Display Group: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land (Active)

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Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Applicability Question

Section: Indiana RCPPEQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Is the land in the assessment located in one of the counties eligible for the RCPP-EQIP Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Lands Project? Eligible counties include: Clay, Daviess, Dubois, Greene, Gibson, Knox, Pike, Sullivan, Warrick, Vigo.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Category Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Lands category.	RCPP-EQIP Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Lands	--

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Program Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
<p>State Priorities: Choose any of the options below that are true for this application:</p>	<p>Application will result in the implementation of any the practices identified in an existing CNMP or other Conservation Activity Plan. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application will only use wildlife friendly grasses as identified by applicable the FOTG standard for the vegetative practice. (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>Application will result in a beneficial change in land use from cropland to grazed pasture, perennial hayland, forest or wildlife habitat on any portion of the offered land. (10 points)</p>	10
	<p>Application includes CPS 338 Prescribed Burning (5 points)</p>	5
	<p>None of the options are applicable. (0 points)</p>	5
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<p>None of the other options are applicable (0 points)</p>	0	
<p>Source Water Protection: Does land in the application intersect the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21?</p>	<p>Yes, land in the assessment intersects the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points) This application is eligible for EQIP water protection practices that carry higher payment rates for source water protection. In this case planners should schedule the (WP-) scenario if any of the following practices are included in the application. Includes CSP: 328, 554, 582, 587, 605, and 620.</p>	--
	<p>Land in the assessment does not intersect the the layer Indiana_SWPA_FY21 (0 points)</p>	--

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Program Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Application addresses a ground or surface water resource concern (as documented in the assessment). Note, this question only appears if land in the assessment is located in Indiana's priority source water protection areas.*	Yes (15 points)	15
	No (0 points)	0

Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Resource Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Soil Health on Reclaimed Mine Land Resource Questions

Question	Answer Choices	Points
Soil Health on Reclaimed Mineland Priorities: Choose all of the options that apply to the land in the assessment.	None of the other options are applicable. Do not choose any other responses in this section if this option is selected. (0 points)	0
	The drainage for any land in the assessment is more than 50% offsite. (30 points)	30
	Any land in the assessment has a slope greater than 5% (30 points)	30
	The application will include the following three conservation practices with specific activities, each for three consecutive years on the same land: 329 No-till; 590 Nutrient Management (withno fall commercial nitrogen applications for spring-seeded crops unless an inhibitor is used, fall DAP and MAP are allowed if injected, but not into frozen or snow-covered ground); 340 Cover Crops (will remain unharvested but can be grazed). (140 points)	140



Ranking Pool Report

Ranking Pool: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative

Program: RCPP-EQIP

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Display Group: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative (Active)

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Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Applicability Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Applicability Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Does all of the land in the assessment fall within one of the eligible counties for this project? Eligible counties: Bartholomew, Brown, Clark, Clay, Crawford, Daviess, Dearborn, Decatur, Dubois, Fayette, Floyd, Fountain, Franklin, Gibson, Greene, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Jennings, Johnson, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, Monroe, Morgan, Ohio, Orange, Owen, Parke, Perry, Pike, Posey, Putnam, Ripley, Scott, Spencer, Sullivan, Switzerland, Vanderburgh, Vermillion, Vigo, Warrick, Washington.	YES	--
	NO	--

Survey: Indiana RCPPEQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Category Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Category Question		
Question	Answer Choices	Points
Choose the Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative category.	RCPP EQIP Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative	--

Survey: Indiana RCPPEQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Program Question

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Program Question		
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Survey: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Resource Questions

Section: Indiana RCPP EQIP 2021 Southern Indiana Young Forest Initiative Resource Questions

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<p>Choose any of the options from the list that are applicable to the assessment.</p>	None of the other options are applicable. Do not select any other options if this options is selected. (0 points)	0
	The assessment includes planned CPS 666 Forest Stand Improvement - Temporary Forest Openings, patch clearcuts. (35 points)	35
	The assessment includes planned CPS 645 Upland Wildlife Habitat Management - Habitat monitoring and management, high intensity and complexity (15 points)	15
	Is any land in the assessment located less than one mile from areas potentially managed for young forest species? Eligible areas include: Hoosier National Forest, Crane Naval Base, Federal/State wildlife refuges, The Nature Conservancy lands, Areas managed by IDNR. Additional data sources may be available at the local level if they are noted in the CD assistance notes when used. (30 points)	30
	Invasive brush and vine species (those listed under CPS 314) under control or not present (are less than or equal to 10% cover on the offered land). (25 points)	25
	Any land in the assessment has an existing management plan with an identified resource concern or land owner objective "early successional habitat" or "forest openings". CAP 106, IDNR Stewardship Plans, or any plan meeting CAP 106 or Fish and Wildlife CAP are considered eligible. (15 points).	15
<p>Targeted Locations: County Level Canopy Cover: Choose the applicable category for the land in the assessment..</p>	Less than 25% forested: Daviess, Decatur, Fayette, Fountain, Gibson, Johnson, Knox, Posey, Sullivan, Vanderburgh, Vermillion (10 points)	10
	26% - 49% forested: Bartholomew, Clark, Clay, Dubois, Floyd, Franklin, Greene, Harrison, Jackson, Jennings, Lawrence, Morgan, Ohio, Parke, Pike, Putnam, Ripley, Scott, Vigo, Warrick, Washington (20 points)	20
	50% or more forested: Brown, Crawford, Dearborn, Jefferson, Martin, Monroe, Orange, Owen, Perry, Spencer, Switzerland (30 points)	30