

Sheet/Rill & Gully Erosion

County maximum of \$6,000.00 per year/ per landowner. Erosion must be above the tolerable (T) level.

DSL-1, Permanent Vegetative Establishment (Grass Seeding)

Assistance is authorized for lime and fertilizer, eligible seed, seeding operation and seedbed prep. Conventional tillage or the no-till method may be used for establishment. Maintenance Agreement – 5 years

DSL-2, Permanent Vegetative Enhancement (Legume Overseeding)

Assistance for seeding of legumes into permanent vegetation and for lime, phosphate and potash, and chemicals necessary to establish the legumes. Lime is required 6 months in advance of the legume seeding. The legumes may be applied as a dormant seeding or drilled in the spring. Maintenance Agreement - 5 years.

DSL-4, Terrace System

Assistance necessary for establishing Terrace Systems is provided. Cost-share is allowed to convert an old system to a new system, if the present system is not serving its intended conservation purpose. Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.

DSL-44, Terrace System with Tile

This practice is the same as DSL-4 with the addition of tile. Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.

DSL-5, Diversion

Assistance for diversions, ditches, dikes, or subsurface drains where necessary for the proper functioning of the diversion. Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.

DSL-11, Permanent Vegetative Cover on Critical Areas

This practice is used to stabilize critical areas such as gullies, banks, roadsides, field borders, and similar problem areas on farms. Assistance for measures needed to stabilize a source of sediment, such as grading and shaping, the establishment of grasses, including lime and fertilizer, mulching, trees or shrubs, or fencing to exclude livestock from new plantings. Maintenance Agreement – 5 years.

DSL-111, Permanent Vegetative Cover - Confined Animal Feed Lots

This practice receives the same assistance as a Critical Area Treatment. It is used to address erosion problems associated with animal confinement areas, feedlots, hog pens, and other areas where livestock have been confined or allowed continuous access. The following requirements apply: Cost-share is limited to 5 acres per farm. The maximum cost share is \$500 per acre not to exceed \$2,500. Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.

DSL-15, No-Till Systems (Incentive)

To establish no-till system of farming with residue management. Maintenance Agreement – 1 year.

DWC-1, Water Impoundment Reservoir

This practice is to control active gully erosion and to provide water for agriculture uses, fire protection, and/or wildlife benefits. *Water Impoundment Reservoirs practices must provide water source for livestock as well as meeting erosion factor. They may not be constructed in heavily wooded areas or close to a residential facility.* A watering system and fencing is required. Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.

DWP-1, Sediment Retention Erosion or Water Control Structures

Structures such as erosion control dams (dry holes), de-silting reservoirs, sediment basins, debris basins, or similar structures. Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.

DWP-3, Sod Waterways

To establish waterways through site prep and establishing permanent non-woody vegetative cover.
Maintenance Agreement – 10 years.