

IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL LANDS Incentive Proposal

Title of incentive: _____

Name of submitting organization: _____

Contact Information

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City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

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Date of submittal: _____

INCENTIVE DESCRIPTION

1. Who is the primary beneficiary of this incentive? (check one)

- Farmer(s) (owns land and farms)
- Farmer(s) (leases land for farming)
- Farmer(s) (owns & farms land & leases land for farming FROM other(s))
- Farmer(s) (owns & farms land & leases land for farming TO other(s))
- Landowner(s), non-farmer
- Other(s): Please describe: _____

2. Number of acres farmed by beneficiary identified in No. 1

- 0 acres
- 1-9 acres
- 10-49 acres
- 50-179 acres
- 180-499 acres
- 500-999 acres
- 1000+ acres

3. Describe the incentive and how it will:
 - a. Promote long-term use and protection of important agricultural lands for agricultural use;
 - b. Promote agriculture viability; or
 - c. Sustain growth of agriculture industry.

4. Describe the expected short-term (1-3 years) and long-term (3+ years) outcomes and how the outcomes will be measured.

5. Identify the administering, spending, and monitoring entity(ies)

6. Eligibility

a. Identify eligibility criteria

b. Describe how eligible parties will become aware of the incentive

7. Identify the effective date of the incentive: _____

8. Identify the sunset date of the incentive: _____

9. Describe any pre-conditions for the incentive's implementation

10. Identify any partner involvement

- a. Describe any partners whose participation and support is crucial for the achievement of the outcome(s) of this incentive, e.g. counties, federal government, other organizations.
- b. Describe or provide evidence of the support of your partners

11. Cost of Incentives
 - a. Estimate the costs and provide the assumptions used in developing the estimates;
 - b. Identify which entity(ies) will incur the costs
 - c. Identify any “cap” on the cost of the incentive

12. Estimated Revenues
 - a. Does the incentive generate any revenue for the State, and if yes, provide an estimate, including assumptions and description of revenue source(s).
 - b. Describe how any revenue will be accounted for and its disposition.

13. Estimate the number of jobs created or saved by this incentive. Provide assumptions made in the estimate.

