

Grazing Management Enhancement Activities - New Jersey



Enhancement Activities

The Conservation Security Program (CSP) offers a limited number of enhancement payments as incentives to reward or encourage improved grazing management on agricultural operations.

Benefits

These activities will provide observable improvements in the herd health by

- improving the type and use of forage through better pasture management, and
- reducing direct livestock impacts to surface water bodies.

CSP Payments

A participant can earn payments by initiating or maintaining any of the following activities:

- Manage access to riparian areas through proper fencing.
- Manage pasture systems so that clover or other legumes are maintained in the pastures without tillage.
- Meet the requirements for a Management Intensive Grazing system under the NRCS Prescribed Grazing Standard (NJ-528A).

CSP Enhancement Activity Task Sheet
Grazing Management:

Client's Acknowledgement Statement:

I have elected to use the following Grazing Management activities and understand the requirements of the selected activities (Check all that apply):

- Manage access to riparian areas through proper fencing. (NJGrazing01)
- Manage pasture systems so that clover or other legumes are maintained in the pastures without tillage. (NJGrazing02)
- Meet the requirements for a Management Intensive Grazing system under the NRCS Prescribed Grazing Standard (NJ-528A). (NJGrazing03)

I agree that the following information will be provided to NRCS upon request:

- Written documentation of the activity performed (Use attached worksheets or equivalent.)
- Copies of dated receipts for equipment or services purchased.

I understand that CSP Enhancements earnings are subject to payment caps and that my actual payments will depend on my CSP Tier level, the land area affected and the number of activities performed.

I understand that it is my responsibility to obtain all necessary permits and to comply with all laws, regulations and ordinances pertaining to the application of these activities.

Accepted by: /s/ _____

Date: _____