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## Illinois Programs


### Climate Smart Commodities Payment

PRACTICE	COMPENSATION	REQUIREMENTS
Cover Crop - New in 2023	\$25/acre	Must provide FSA documents and FSA subsidiary print and will be shared with NRCS/USDA. Cannot be paid for cover crop on the same acres by federally funded programs like EQIP/CSP/RCP. Has to be new practice or expanded practice. Must have wheat, corn, or soybeans in rotation.
Cover Crop - New in 2018 to 2022	\$15/acre	Must provide FSA documents and FSA subsidiary print and will be shared with NRCS/USDA. Cannot be paid for cover crop on the same acres by federally funded programs like EQIP/CSP/RCP. Acres could not have cover crop prior to 2018. Must have wheat, corn, or soybeans in rotation.

### Standard Practice Payment

PRACTICE	COMPENSATION	REQUIREMENTS
Plant a cover crop in 2023	\$10/acre	Plant a cover crop no later than NRCS accepted date. Previous cover crop practice allowed on field. Can be in other federally funded program. Must have wheat, corn, or soybeans in rotation.
ISCC Emissions Scoring	\$0.02-\$0.04/bu corn, \$0.05-\$0.07/bu soybeans delivered	Score acres for smaller payment and beat local benchmark for greenhouse gas emissions for higher payment on field level basis. Sign a self-declaration document. Premium paid bi-annually on all bushels delivered to ADM locations from Sept. 1, 2023-Aug. 31, 2024. Corn and Soybeans accepted at Decatur, Curran, Hume, Macon, Mt. Auburn, Niantic, Oakland, Sullivan, Taylorville, and Tuscola. Soybeans only accepted at Weldon and Patoka.

### Additional Wheat Payments

PRACTICE	COMPENSATION	REQUIREMENTS
No-Till or Strip Till	\$2/acre	Only applicable on wheat fields planted in 2022. Can be in other federally funded programs.
Living Root	\$3/acre	Only applicable on wheat fields planted in 2022. Not stackable with cover crop payments above. Have a living root established on field year round. (Double cropped soybeans after wheat, cover crop that is harvested)
 Nitrogen Balance	\$5/acre	Only applicable on wheat fields planted in 2022. Stackable with all payments above. Nitrogen levels must fall within N-Defense safe zone. Scan QR code for more info.

## Requirements for all:

- 1 Must not be part of any private regenerative ag or carbon program on acreage signed up
- 2 Completion of enrollment survey/agreement (5-10 min) through FBN link
- 3 Completion of data collection with FBN and closing survey (15-45 min)
- 4 A small subset of farmers will be randomly selected and compensated \$1,000 for onsite verification of practices

## Important Dates:

**Enrollment Deadline for Planned Practices:** November 17, 2023

**Data Collection Deadline:** December 1, 2023

**Payment Date:** May 31, 2024

**Increase your regenerative ag practice revenue with these opportunities.**

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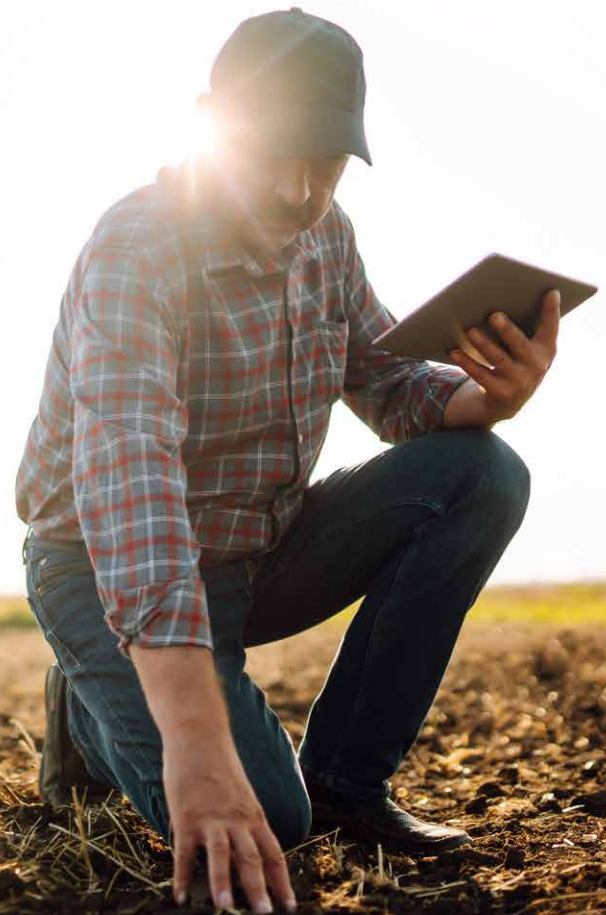
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### Information on Technical Assistance Partner

American Farmland Trust is a national organization focused on protecting farmland, promoting sound farming practices, and keeping farmers on the land. For more information about its Midwest Programs visit <https://farmland.org/midwest> or scan the QR code.



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