

SURFACE WATER MANAGEMENT - APPLICATION FORM
for implementing Water Retention & Field Erosion Control projects

Seine Rat Roseau Watershed District

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Objective: To sustainably manage surface water to enhance water quality and water quantity by reducing downstream flooding and reducing erosion.

Activities: Create water retention areas through designing and constructing innovative, site-specific structures for high water control with culverts and spillways to reduce downstream flooding;
Create erosion control areas through designing and implementing innovative, site-specific techniques to reduce the loss of topsoil from cultivated fields and prevent sediment deposits in waterways.

Applicant: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Legal Description of Project Site (Qtr, Sec-Twp-Rge): _____

Civic Address (driveway number & road) _____

Are you interested in applying for an annual payment to install this project (ALUS payment)? Yes No

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Water Retention

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Field Erosion Control

Project Site Sketch:

Please sketch the rough idea of your project, if known, or describe the problem for us. Please include any known helpful information such as direction of water flow, property lines, access roads, present land use, and any other features that may be important to this project.

Terms and Conditions

Cost-share:

The SRRWD will determine the cost-sharing for a Water Storage/Retention Project and a Field Erosion Control Project by the benefits associated with the creation of the project such as, reducing water flow, reducing erosion or siltation and providing an area for nutrient filtration.

- When the project provides direct benefits to the landowner, the landowner will contribute 20% of the total project cost and the SRRWD will contribute 80%.
- When the project has multiple benefits downstream, the SRRWD may pay up to 100% of the total project costs

The Landowner Shall:

- Indemnify and save harmless the Watershed District from any and all actions, claims, suits, demands, damages, injuries, or other loss no matter howsoever arising as a result of the construction, operation, or maintenance of the project
- Not alter, change, remove, or modify the project without written consent from the Watershed District
- Notify the Watershed District in the case of new ownership or rental change of said project land
- Keep track of in-kind contributions made towards the completion of the project;
- Where applicable, operate the control structure of the project under a plan agreed upon by the Watershed District and affected landowners
- Allow the Watershed District to place a project sign at the site to recognize the project partnership between the landowner and the SRRWD

The Seine Rat Roseau Watershed District shall:

- Approve all applications prior to construction
- Supervise the project construction, and inspect project the following spring after establishment
- Maintain the structure in co-operation with the landowner for a period of five years and cost share the maintenance at the same cost share % as the original agreement
- Reserve the right to undertake maintenance of the project in the case where the Watershed District Board has deemed that there is landowner negligence which is having negative implications on the site and structure, and to bill the landowner for related maintenance costs at the same cost share % as the original agreement
- Draft a document outlining the annual maintenance program for the project site and the operational responsibilities of the structure

I, _____ hereby authorize you, your engineers, agents, and/or employees with the necessary equipment, to enter upon the aforementioned land for the purpose of water retention. I hereby declare that I have read the Conditions and I agree to abide to the said Conditions. I further agree to cooperate with the Watershed District in this regard.

Applicant signature

Date

OFFICE USE ONLY

Sub-district _____

Approved

Denied

Comments

Sub-district Recommendation:

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Board Recommendation:

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Resolution #: _____ Work Order #: _____