

Contract No. 017-172
“Red River Basin Wildlife and Water Quality Enhancement Pilot Program”
 Submitted by North Dakota Game and Fish Department
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PARTICIPANTS

Sponsor	Cost Share
North Dakota Game and Fish Department and Department of Environmental Quality	\$275,000.00
Subtotal Cash Cost Share	\$275,000.00
Producer	\$275,000.00
Producer	\$180,000.00
NDDEQ/SCDs	\$271,400.00
SCD	\$42,000.00
Subtotal In-kind Cost Share	\$768,400.00
North Dakota Industrial Commission	<u>\$270,000.00</u>
Subtotal OHF funding	<u>\$270,000.00</u>
<u>Total Project Cost</u>	<u>\$1,313,400.00</u>

Project Schedule

Contract Date – 12/31/2021
 Start Date – 1/1/2021
 Completion Date – 12/31/2025

Project Deliverables

Status Report: 12/31/2021 ✓
 Status Report: 12/31/2022
 Status Report: 12/31/2023
 Status Report: 12/31/2024
 Final Report: 12/31/2025

OBJECTIVE/STATEMENT OF WORK:

Establish 3,000 acres of habitat through Conservation Cover, Critical Area Planting, Filter Strip, Grassed Waterway, Pollinator Habitat, Forage & Biomass Planting, Range Planting, Riparian Forest Buffer, and Riparian Herbaceous Cover.

STATUS:

The contract has been fully executed.

January 2022

Two contracts were developed in Cass County. One contract contained 29.75 acres of new grass and a producer management agreement. One contract contained 20.0 acres of expired CRP to be maintained in a producer management agreement. Direct Producer Contacts (i.e., one-on-one) - 95 Indirect Producer Contacts (i.e., newsletters, articles, meetings, etc.) ? 7000+. Program promotion: ND Soybean magazine, SCD newsletters, ND Outdoors magazine and media, and upcoming ND CornSoy Expo, Feb. 2022.

Dated: 1/24/22