

2025 Truterra[®] Financial Assistance – A USDA-Supported Program

OPENING FINANCIAL PATHWAYS FOR ELIGIBLE FARMERS TO TRANSITION TO CONSERVATION AGRICULTURE PRACTICES

Transitioning to new conservation agriculture practices can feel like a major undertaking, which is why the **Truterra Financial Assistance – A USDA-Supported Program** aims to streamline and support the transition with the intent of enabling farmers to embrace regenerative practice change opportunities with greater confidence.

Eligible farmers can potentially experience enhanced economic benefits by pre-enrolling in both the Truterra financial assistance – a USDA-supported program and the Truterra carbon program.

- 2025 Truterra[®] financial assistance – a USDA supported program payment details (on up to 500 acres):
 - \$20/enrolled acre for conversion to strip/no-till
 - \$80/enrolled acre for cover crop adoption
 - \$100/enrolled acre for tillage conversion and cover crop adoption
- 2024 Truterra[®] carbon program payment details:
 - \$30/metric ton* with a \$2/acre minimum for the program.
- Potential payment for dual-program enrollment on 500 acres:
 - Truterra[®] financial assistance – a USDA-supported program: \$100/Ac. for tillage conversion and cover crop adoption X 500 Ac. = \$50,000
 - Truterra[®] carbon program: \$12/Ac. (\$30 x .4 tonnes/acre**) X 500 Ac. = \$6,000
 - Total potential payment (500 Ac.): \$56,000

Truterra Financial Assistance – A USDA-Supported Program Details

FARMER INCENTIVE	\$20/acre for conversion to strip/no-till, \$80/acre for cover crop adoption, \$100/acre for conversion to strip/no-till <u>and</u> cover crop adoption, On up to 500 acres
ENROLLMENT PERIOD	Aug 1, 2024 – June, 2025
DUAL ENROLLMENT	Fields may be enrolled in this program plus the Truterra carbon program, or another commercially funded Truterra program. Fields must meet eligibility requirements for all programs in which they enrolled, and may not be involved in another publicly funded program funding the same practice change on the same land.
FIELD ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS	
GEOGRAPHIES	Available in all states except: AK, HI, NM
CROPS (2025 CASH CROP)	Corn (grain or silage), soybeans, cotton, wheat (grain or silage) in crop year 2025

FARMER ENROLLMENT CAP	Maximum of 500 acres per farmer across one or more field boundaries
PRACTICE CHANGES	Conversion to strip/no-till, and/or addition of cover crops in crop year 2025. <i>Eligible cover crops would be planted in fall 2024 or spring 2025. Practices must follow NRCS Practice Standards.</i>
FSA DOCUMENTS	Subsidiary print and certified field map with farm, tract and field ID numbers
PAYMENTS AND CONTRACTING	
CONTRACTED YEAR	2025
CONTRACT LENGTH	One year
ESTIMATED PAYMENT TIMELINE	January 2026
DATA REQUIREMENTS	
DATA COLLECTION YEARS	Crop year 2025 + three historical years or a full rotation of historical data (whichever is longer)
DATA COLLECTION DEADLINE	Dec 1, 2025

To successfully participate in the **2025 Truterra Financial Assistance – A USDA-Supported Program**, eligible farmers will need to provide the following data points for each field enrolled, for each required data collection year:

WINTER CROP (COVER CROP)	TILLAGE	SUMMER CROP (CASH CROP)	FERTILIZER APPLICATIONS
Crop type	Type (depth) of each pass	Crop type	Product & type
Planting date	Date of each pass	Planting date	Application date(s)
Harvest/termination date		Harvest/termination date	Rate (field average)
Yield (field average) if harvested		Yield (field average)	Total N, P, K applied
Termination method		Residue removal	Additives used
Residue removal			

Additional data points collected may include:

residue removal • conservation practices • pest management strategies • irrigation • drainage • grazing headcount/duration • marketing information • prior climate smart practices

How to get started: Visit Truterraag.com/enroll or scan the QR code to complete our 30-second pre-enrollment form today.



*Carbon reduction is measured using emissions factor with corresponding practice change data. Near-term and long-term adopters are offered the same potential incentive. **Soil organic carbon sequestration rates vary depending on soil type. 0.4 metric tonnes per acre is based on the average carbon sequestration value within the COMET-Planner tool (USDA NRCS and Colorado State University, 2024) for the states and practices eligible under the 2024 Truterra® Carbon Program.

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