



Cody Ringnecks

Wildlife Habitat Improvement Program

Habitat Practice	Cost-Share	Maximum Per Applicant	Habitat Practice	Cost-Share	Maximum Per Applicant
<u>Nesting Cover Program</u>			2. Unharvested Grain Crops: \$50 per acre \$200		
1. Establishing Grasses:	\$30/acre	\$500	Landowners may receive payment for leaving small areas of unharvested grain for winter food. Food plots must be within ¼ mile (preferably less) of good quality winter cover such as heavy weeds, shrubs or tall grass. Areas must be at least one, but not more than 5 acres in size. Owners of approved sites will be paid \$50/acre with a maximum of \$100 per site. Sites must remain undisturbed through March 15.		
Provide a cost share the establishment of wildlife grass mixtures for a 5 year contract. The established cover must remain undisturbed for the 5 year contract.					
2. CRP-MAP Interseedings:	\$25 per acre	\$500	<u>Fencing Wildlife Habitat</u>	\$6.00 per rod	\$500
Pheasants Forever will provide legume seed, without cost, to CRP landowners who are upgrading 25 percent of their contract acreage to comply with requirements for the CRP program. Any CRP is eligible, but preference is given to landowners enrolled in CRP-Map.			Pheasants Forever will cost share the materials to fence out quality habitat areas with a new 3 strand fence.		
<u>Woody Cover</u>	65%	\$400	<u>Abandoned Farmsteads</u>		
Pheasants Forever will cost share on establishment of certain types of tree and shrub plantings. Plantings must be at least one quarter mile from farmsteads or feedlots and located so as not to cause snow drifting on public roadways.			Pheasants Forever will pay up to \$100 per year for abandoned farmsteads with habitat consisting of weeds and woody cover. Sites must be free of disturbance by livestock of any kind. Amount of payment will depend on quality of site.		
<u>Food/Winter Cover Plots</u>			<u>Other Habitat Projects</u>		
1. Pheasants Forever Mix:			The Cody Ringnecks chapter of Pheasants Forever is open to all habitat development ideas, landowners are not limited to the practices listed on this sheet. Please contact a habitat committee member with your ideas for a habitat		
Provide landowners with free seed for up to 10 acres of food/cover plots. Food/cover plots must remain undisturbed until March 15.					

All projects and funding are subject to approval by the habitat committee

Wildlife Habitat Application

Mail To: **Dan Rochford**
321 Prairie Road
North Platte, NE 69101

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

Project Idea: _____

Type of Seed Wanted: _____

Each project receiving funding is required to be posted with a Pheasants Forever habitat project sign

The Cody Ringnecks chapter has absolutely no input or rules for landowners or tenants regarding hunting rights. All rights and decisions are left with the landowner and tenants.

Please attach an aerial photograph of the site which can be obtained at the FSA office. Mark the location of the project on the photo if possible.

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Cody Ringnecks Pheasants Forever Habitat Committee

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