## 2024 COVER CROP COST-SHARE PROGRAM APPLICATION KANKAKEE COUNTY SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT



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Cost-share will cover <u>75%</u> of cover crop seed & planting costs up to \$40 per acre for single species and/or winter kill species, and up to \$60 per acre for a multi-species mix. Applications will be accepted from August 19th to August 30th on a first come, first serve basis. Fields must be in Kankakee County and have never been planted with cover crops. Midwest Cover Crop Council cover crop guidelines must be followed. Agreements will be for 1 year. For more visit our website at kankakeecountyswcd.org/cost-share.

If you are applying to receive cost-share on multiple fields, please fill out 1 application per field. Operator Name (First, Last): Phone Number: Email: Address: Check box if operator and landowner information is the same.  $\Box$ Landowner Name (First, Last): \_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: **COVER CROP INFORMATION** 1 List previous experience with cover crops. If none, write none. (2) Have you planted cover crops on this field in the past? (3) Number of acres to be enrolled in the cost-share program: \_\_\_\_\_ acres (4) What type of cover crop species/mix do you plan to plant? **CROP AND TILLAGE HISTORY** TILLAGE TYPE YEAR CASH CROP FALL/SPRING % RESIDUE 2022 2023 2024 LOCATION (1) Farm & Tract Number: \_\_\_\_\_ (2) 12-digit Parcel Tax Number (find at www.k3gis.com) \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Please include a map and highlight the field or portion of field to be enrolled in cost-share. Applicant understands that, if selected, they will enter into a 1-year agreement with the Kankakee County Soil and Water Conservation District to plant, maintain, and terminate cover crops. Kankakee County SWCD will make routine field visits to document cover crop growth. Qualifications for payments are at the discretion of the Kankakee County Soil & Water Conservation District. Receipts and seed tags must be sent to the District before cost-share payments can be awarded.

Applicant's Signature: Date: