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# 2021 MAEAP COST SHARE APPLICATION

*Instructions: Fill out top section and give to your local MAEAP Technician for cost-share consideration*

<b>Participant Name:</b>
<b>Business name:</b>
<b>Address:</b>
<b>Phone:</b>
<b>Township, County:</b>
<b>Tell us about your resource concern, and how you will use MAEAP cost-share:</b>
<b>Producer Signature:</b>
<b>Date:</b>

MAEAP cost share is available to farms in Mason, Manistee, and Western Lake counties to help assist with achieving MAEAP verification. Farms eligible to apply, must be one or two practices away from MAEAP verification. All MAEAP projects approved for cost share will receive a 50% reimbursement, up to a maximum of \$500 per producer.

### Eligible items for 2021 Cost Share

- Impermeable surface for fuel transfer
- HDPE plastic or rubber liner
- Stationary double wall tank or container exceeding the volume of dry or liquid product(s) stored
- Building modification
- Anti-backflow valve
- Mobile nurse tank
- Plumbing extension for clean water or rinse water
- Excavation/earthwork
- Vegetation planting
- Livestock fencing
- Soil Samples
- Abandoned/unused well Closure

<b>Actual practice cost:</b>
<b>50% cost-share amount:</b>
<b>Technician's description of farm's progress towards verification goals:</b>
<b>Board Signature:</b>
<b>Effective Date:</b>
<b>District Manager's Signature:</b>
<b>Check Printing Date:</b>

## MAEAP Practice

## Description of Cost Share Item

Impermeable surface for fuel transfer	Concrete pad, High Density Poly Ethylene (HDPE) secondary containment liner, or Sealed asphalt for gasoline (excludes diesel)
Secondary containment for agrichemical storage within 150 ft distance of well	Concrete pad with curb Portable HDPE plastic or rubber liner with sidewalls Double wall tank or large container exceeding volume of total product(s) stored
Underground fuel storage tanks	Tanks removed or filled with inert material
Floor drains in Farm Buildings	Drains go to sump, or, are made inoperable with cover/plug, Double wall tank or large container exceeding volume of total product(s) stored
Structure for dry fertilizer storage	A building or storage device capable of preventing dry fertilizer contact with precipitation and/or surface water
Mix-load pad required if pesticides/fertilizer not field mixed, no mixing within 150 ft of well without secondary containment or 50 feet with secondary containment	Concrete pad Portable HDPE plastic or rubber liner Nurse tank can be purchased for field mixing. RPZ valve, double check valve or chemigation valve If fertigation/chemigation mixing areas are within 150 ft. of a well, plumbing can be used to increase isolation distance.
Rinse water from mix-load pad or spray building applied on crops at agronomic rate	Specialty mobile tank to apply rinse water onto growing crops Irrigation lines to passively apply rinse water on growing crops
Fertigation/chemigation within 200 feet of surface water, down to 50 feet	If fertigation/chemigation storage or mixing areas are within 200 ft. of a surface water, longer plumbing used to extend setback
Anti-backflow device to prevent siphoning of agrichemical mixtures into water supply	Reduced Pressure Zone (RPZ) valve, double check valve or chemigation valve, with 6" air gap system to increase protection
Irrigation pump fuel storage within 50 ft. of a surface water or designated wetland	Double wall tank Concrete pad with sidewalls
Diversion of unwanted drainage from becoming contaminated by manure	Clean water directed from livestock lots through roof gutters French drains to collect & divert clean water on the ground Lagoon or woodchip bioreactor to collect & treat water that contacts manure
Livestock lot runoff directed to vegetated area	Grading or French drains to prevent surface flow or ponding; Vegetation planted between lot and surface water
Pasture managed to protect surface water	Fencing used to prevent stream banks from losing vegetation Vegetation planted between livestock lot and surface water
Unused and abandoned wells are properly sealed to prevent groundwater contamination	Professional well driller properly seals abandoned or unused well Well owner seals well on their own with bentonite