

# MANURE STORAGE CONSTRUCTION & CLOSURE

## MANURE STORAGE CONSTRUCTION

*Impoundment made by constructing embankments, excavating a pit or dugout, or fabricating a structure and related practices needed for the environmentally safe storage of manure*

### COST SHARE

- 1) Program will pay up to 70% of the cost or in cases of financial hardship 90%.
- 2) In kind labor and equipment use can be used towards landowner's cost.

### ELIGIBLE COSTS

- 1) Constructing the system
- 2) Can include design
- 3) Includes transfer system and other necessary components

### INELIGIBLE COSTS

- 1) Costs to design a manure storage system that is not installed.
- 2) Costs for equipment used to apply manure to land
- 3) Any manure storage system if all of the manure from that operation could be applied to land according to the NRCS technical guide nutrient management standard 590 without causing or aggravating nonattainment of water quality standards.

### CONDITIONS

- 1) No manure from the system is applied to frozen or saturated ground.
- 2) The landowner establishes a nutrient management plan, and agrees to comply with that plan and maintains the manure storage system for 10 years unless the landowner discontinues the animal feeding operation.
- 3) System is designed adhering to NRCS design standards
- 4) Other conditions may apply but are not typical and have not been listed here.

## MANURE STORAGE CLOSURE

*Means permanently disabling and sealing a leaking or improperly sited manure storage system*

### COST SHARE

- 1) Program will pay up to 70% of the cost or in cases of financial hardship 90%.
- 2) In kind labor and equipment use can be used towards landowner's cost.

### ELIGIBLE COSTS

- 1) Costs to design and remove any constructed soil liner, concrete liner or membrane liner.
- 2) Costs to remove and dispose of soil saturated with manure.
- 3) Costs for filling, shaping, and seeding the site to provide surface drainage away from the closed site.