

CRAWFORD COUNTY AGRICULTURAL LAND PRESERVATION BOARD
Landowner's Agricultural Conservation Easement Application Form

I. General Information

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

County _____

Is your farm in an Agricultural Security Area? _____

Reference: (Name) _____ Book _____ Volume _____ Page _____

Street location of farmland tract _____

Directions from nearest state route _____

Total acreage of farmland tract _____

Total acreage offered _____

Crops grown on farmland tract _____

Number and kinds of livestock _____

Deed reference: Book _____ Volume _____ Page _____

Tax account numbers of each parcel _____

Date of U.S.D.A. NRCS Conservation Plan, if any _____

Date of any Nutrient Management Plan _____

Names(s), address and phone number of person(s) to contact to view the farmland tract

II. Map

The applicant is required to provide the following maps as part, of this application:

1. Locational Map - A United States Geographical Survey Topographical map showing the location of the farmland tract.

2. Soils Map - The soils map of the farmland tract must be color coded by land capability class as follows:

Capability	Class I	Green
Capability	Class II	Yellow
Capability	Class III	Red
Capability	Class IV	Blue
Capability	Class V-VIII	White (Uncolored)
Wetlands		Cross Hatch or include on separate map

3. Tax Map - Tax map for property is available from the Crawford County Tax Assessment Office.

The applicant is required to provide a soils report for the farmland tract as part of the application.

III. Soil Report

IV. Land Capability Class Table

The applicant is required to provide a table showing the capability class and use of the land as part of this application.

	Acres of Cropland/Pasture	Acres of Other Land	Total Acres
Capability Class I	_____	_____	_____
Capability Class II	_____	_____	_____
Capability Class III	_____	_____	_____
Capability Class IV	_____	_____	_____
Other	_____	_____	_____
Total	_____	_____	_____

V. Crop Production Information

The applicant must provide crop production information for the farmland tract for the most recent crop year for which comparable statistics are available from the Pennsylvania Agricultural Statistics Service (PAAS). For commodities not reported by PASS, two year's production should be reported.

	Commodity	Acres Grown	Yield/Acre	Gross Receipts
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____	_____

VI. LIVESTOCK

The applicant shall provide livestock production information below for the farmland tract for the most recent calendar year. For commodities reported by Pennsylvania Agricultural Statistics Service, production information for one year is sufficient.

	Livestock	Average Numbers	Product Sold	Gross Receipts
1.	_____	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____	_____
5.	_____	_____	_____	_____

Total Annual Gross Receipts \$ _____ for year 20_____.

VII. SELLING PRICE

I would consider selling an Agricultural Conservation Easement to the Crawford County Agricultural Land Preservation Board and/or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for not less than:

1. \$ _____ for the entire farm, or
2. \$ _____ per acre, or
3. _____ an amount to be determined by appraisal and acceptable to buyer and seller (please check).

VII SIGNATURE(S)

It is necessary for all owners of the farmland tract to give their approval and consent to this application.

Signed _____

Date _____

Please submit this application to:

Crawford County Agricultural Land Preservation Board
Crawford County Conservation District
21742 German Road
Meadville, PA 16335

Please call the Crawford County Conservation District 814-763-5269, if you have any questions or would like assistance in filling out this application.