

Cattle and Sheep Industry Enhancement Program Application

Applications will be accepted until **December 20, 2019** Version 3

Eligibility Requirements Checklist:

1. Program Funding Registration Form
 - New client to programs since 2019 to complete form
 - Returning client to update form as necessary
2. Is a farm that is currently and properly registered in the correct income category under the *Farm Registration Act*
3. Generate an annual eligible gross commodity income of **\$30,000 or more**
Is proof of income attached? Yes No *Already submitted*
4. Is in good standing with:
 - SPANS under the *Agriculture and Marketing Act* and/or
 - NSCP Licensing and Levy requirements under the *Natural Products Act*
5. Valid Premise ID: _____; _____; _____;
_____;
6. Is at least 19 years of age

NOTE: The above requirements must be met or the application will not be processed. Reference program guidelines for eligible projects, project timelines, claim dates etc.

Reference No.:	Date Received
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Section 1 - Applicant Information

Business/Farm Name		Applicant Name	
Applicant Title/Position			
<input type="checkbox"/> Owner/Operator/Partner	<input type="checkbox"/> Executive Director	<input type="checkbox"/> President	
<input type="checkbox"/> CEO	<input type="checkbox"/> Director	<input type="checkbox"/> Manager	
<input type="checkbox"/> Project Lead	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/> Shareholder	
Telephone	Cellular	Email	

Section 2 - Details about your Business

Do your projects take place on rented/leased land?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes – requires attachment of a copy of the lease agreement		<input type="checkbox"/> No
Acres Owned:	Acres Rented / Leased	Acres Total:
Current Herd Size	Number of Cattle Sold in 2018	Are you currently Enrolled in NSDA Herd Health Program <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Current Flock Size	Number of Sheep Sold in 2018	Are you currently Enrolled in NSDA Flock Health Program <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you have a Farm Vaccination Protocol?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		

Section 3 – Proposed Projects

Stream 1 – Performance Evaluation (refer to guidelines for project max funding)

Projects & Activities	Quantity	Total Cost	
Bulls	<input type="checkbox"/> Residual Feed Intake (RFI) Measurement includes, Average Daily Gain (ADG) & Weight per Day of Age (WDA)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Breeding Soundness Evaluation (BSE)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Carcass Measurement Evaluation (rib-eye, back fat and intramuscular fat%)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Genomics Testing (Nationally Accredited Lab)	#	\$
Heifers	<input type="checkbox"/> Residual Feed Intake (RFI) Measurement includes, Average Daily Gain (ADG) & Weight per Day of Age (WDA)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Breeding Soundness Evaluation (BSE)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Genomics Testing (Nationally Accredited Lab)	#	\$
Rams	<input type="checkbox"/> Residual Feed Intake (RFI) Measurement includes, Average Daily Gain (ADG) & Weight per Day of Age (WDA)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Breeding Soundness Evaluation (BSE)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Genomics Testing (Nationally Accredited Lab)	#	\$
Genetic Selection Consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Flock Genetic Plan (one-time 50% cost share to a max of \$500.00)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Herd Genetic Plan (one-time 50% cost share to a max of \$500.00)	#	\$
Stream 1 - Total Project Cost		\$	

Stream 2 – Sheep Safe Handling, Animal Health and Pasture Management (Max Funding \$2000.00)

SHEEP - Barn / Handling Location	Barn/Handling Size	PID # (Land)	Premise ID #
SHEEP - Pasture Location	Pasture Size	PID # (Land)	Premise ID #

Current Pasture Use:		Past Pasture Use:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Vacant <input type="checkbox"/> Livestock <input type="checkbox"/> Forage	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Vacant <input type="checkbox"/> Livestock <input type="checkbox"/> Forage	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

System Design(s) & Materials Attached:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sheep Handling Design(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Material List(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sheep Pasture Design(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Material List(s)

Stream 2 – Sheep Projects & Activities		Quantity	Total Cost
Sheep Health Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Load Bars	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Scales	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Scale Heads	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Scale Connecting Wiring	#	\$
Sheep Safe Handling Resources	<input type="checkbox"/> Corral Panels & Gates	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Crowding Tubs	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Handling Alleys	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Handling Crate	#	\$
Permanent Fencing Page Wire (Sheep Pasture Management)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fence Posts	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Fence Staples	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Page Wire	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Arm’s Length Labour		\$

Stream 2 – Sheep Projects & Activities (con't.)		Quantity	Total Cost
Permanent Fencing Electric (Sheep Pasture Management)	<input type="checkbox"/> Fence Insulators	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Fence Posts	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Wire	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Wire Tensioners	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Wire Expansion Springs	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Arm's Length Labour		\$
Sheep Portable Fencing (Sheep Pasture Management)	<input type="checkbox"/> Netting	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Fencing Posts	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Wire	#	\$
Fencer (Sheep Pasture Management)	<input type="checkbox"/> Electric Energizer	_____ (Type / Make and Model)	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Grounding Rods	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Solar or Wind Powered Energy Source (solar panels, storage batteries, connecting wires)	#	\$
Mobile Remote Water Systems (Sheep Pasture Management)	<input type="checkbox"/> Tanks	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Pumps	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Watering Tubs (including floats)	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Connecting Hoses	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Solar or Wind Powered Energy Source (solar panels, storage batteries, grounding rods & connecting wires)	#	\$
Stream 2 - Total Sheep Project Costs			\$

Stream 3 – Cattle Safe Handling and Animal Health Management (Max Funding \$4000.00)

CATTLE - Barn/Handling Location	Barn/Handling Size	PID # (Land)	Premise ID #

System Design(s) & Materials Attached:

- Cattle Handling Design(s)
- Material List(s) **(Brand Name and Model # of Immobilizing Head Gate Must be included)**

Projects & Activities	Quantity	Total Cost	
Cattle Health Management	<input type="checkbox"/> Load Bars	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Scales	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Scale Heads	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Scale Connecting Wiring	#	\$
Cattle Safe Handling Resources	<input type="checkbox"/> Corral Panels & Gates	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Crowding Tubs	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Handling Alleys	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Immobilizing Head Gates	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Locking Head Gates – Dairy Operation Only	#	\$
	<input type="checkbox"/> Squeeze Chutes	#	\$
Stream 2 - Total Cattle Project Costs		\$	

Section 4 - Statement of Certification

By submitting this application form, I acknowledge and agree with the following:

- to the best of my knowledge and ability, that the information provided on this application form is accurate;
- that I have read the Program Guidelines and, if the application is approved in whole or in part, I agree to abide by the terms and conditions as set out in the Program Guidelines;
- I consent to the audit and verification of the information at any time prior to project commencement, during work, or upon completion of the project. Such audit and verification may be performed by the Department of Agriculture, federal government or other parties chosen by Department of Agriculture for audit and verification purposes;
- I consent to the use and disclosure of the information by officials of the Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture, officials of programs offered by the Government of Canada or Province of Nova Scotia, and cooperating funding partners, where the information is relevant for the purposes of audit, analysis, evaluation, program development and determining assistance;
- I agree to repay any amount determined through audit or inspection that is deemed to have been provided in excess of the government contributions to which I am entitled;
- I consent to the release of my name and the amount of any support received under the Program as public information, to be actively disseminated by the Province of Nova Scotia and Government of Canada;
- I acknowledge that any other information provided, unless disclosed in the manner and for the purposes to which I have consented above, will be subject to the confidentiality and disclosure provisions of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOI/POP)*; and
- I confirm that I have the authority to bind the applicant.

Applicant Name (print)

Applicant Signature

Date

Return completed form and documents to:

Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture
Programs and Business Risk Management Division
74 Research Drive
Bible Hill, NS B6L 2R2

Questions? Call 902-893-6377 or 1-866-844-4276, Fax: (902) 893-7579

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