



Conservation Management Planning

Oregon Agricultural Heritage Program



Eligible Applicants

- a) Entities eligible to hold a conservation easement as defined in ORS 271.715, other than a state agency;
- b) Watershed councils; and
- c) Tax exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

**Individual landowners must collaborate with these entities to apply.*

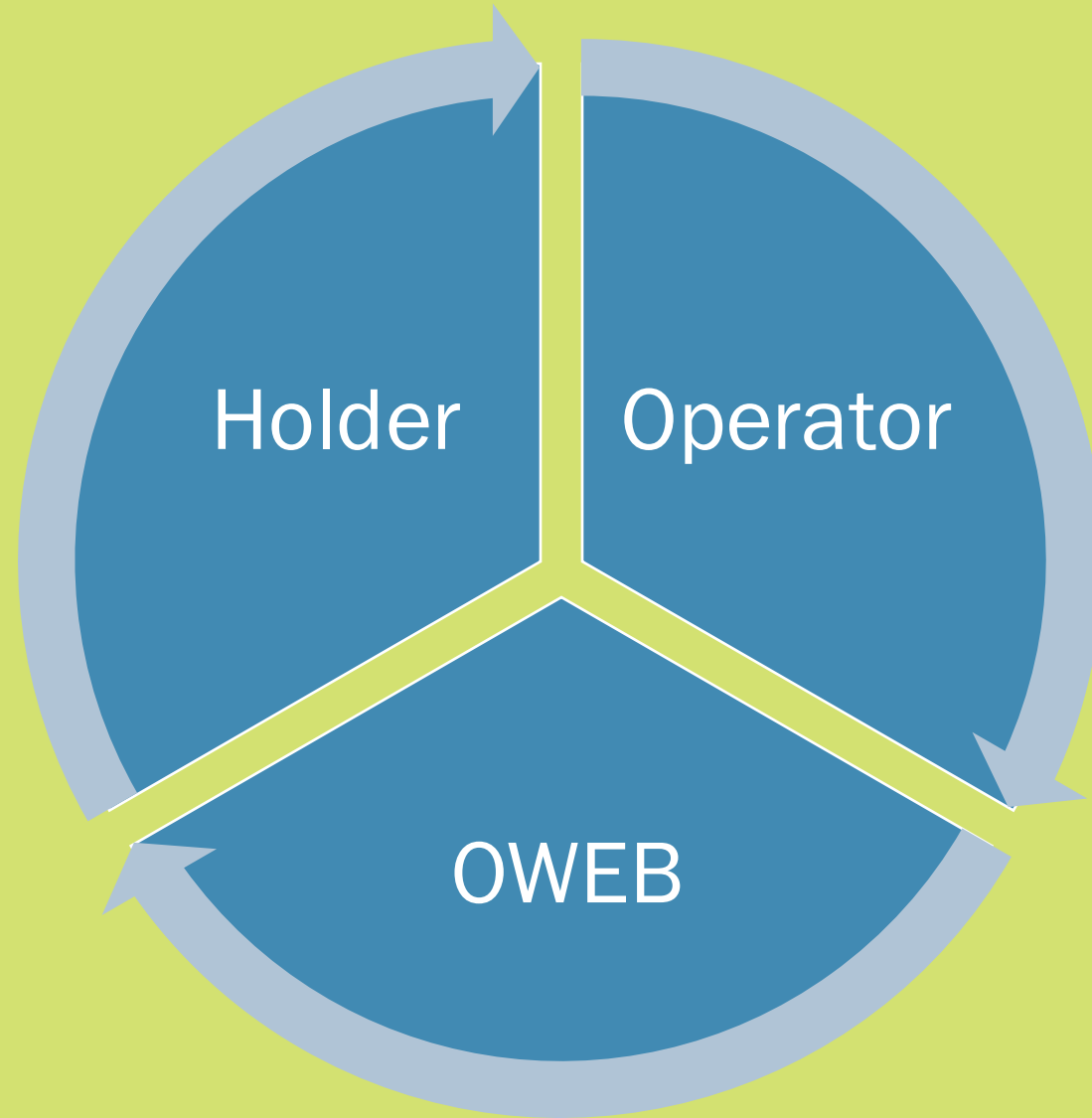


Eligible Properties



“Working land” that is actively used by an agricultural operator for an agricultural operation that includes, but need not be limited to, active engagement in farming or ranching.

Roles



Program Components

Conservation Management

Plan Development

1. Purpose
2. Context
3. Goals
4. Resource Analysis
5. Long Range Opportunities
6. Action Plan
7. Expected Outcomes
8. Stewardship

Outlining conservation measures tailored to the land's specific needs.

Implementation and Monitoring

1. Install Conservation Practice(s)
2. Annual Site Visits
3. Annual Reporting
4. Annual Payments

Executing the strategies detailed in the CMPs and regularly assessing their effectiveness.

Financial Incentives

1. Plan Development
2. Annual Monitoring
3. Ecosystem Service Delivery

Annual Payments for approved conservation practices with rates varying based on expected ecosystem service value.

Code	Practice Name	Annual Payment/Acre	Riparian Bonus	Lifespan (Years)
327	Conservation Cover	\$240		10
329	Residue and Tillage Management, No Till	\$21		1
336	Soil Carbon Amendment	\$15		1
338	Prescribed Burning	\$100		5
340	Cover Cropping	\$10		1
342	Critical Area Planting	\$90		10
345	Residue and Tillage Management, Reduced Till	\$15		1
379	Forest Farming	\$6	\$150	1
380	Wind Break/Shelterbelt Establishment and Renovation	\$30	\$150	10
390	Riparian Herbaceous Cover	\$225		5
391	Riparian Forest Buffer	\$505		15
393	Filter Strip	\$225		10
412	Grassed Waterway	\$90		10
420	Wildlife Habitat Planting	\$115	\$150	5
512	Pasture and Hay Planting	\$115		10
528	Prescribed Grazing	\$10		1
548	Grazing Land Mechanical Treatment	\$6		5
550	Range Planting	\$15		10
570	Stormwater Runoff Control	\$90		1
590	Nutrient Management	\$24		1
601	Vegetative Barrier	\$90		5
604	Saturated Buffer	\$135		10
612	Tree and Shrub Establishment	\$130	\$150	15
635	Vegetated Treatment Area	\$135		10
643	Restoration and Management of Rare or Declining Habitats	\$100	\$150	15
644	Wetland Wildlife Habitat Management	\$100		1
645	Upland Wildlife Habitat Management	\$100		1
647	Early Successional Habitat Development/Mgt	\$100		15
656	Constructed Wetland	\$225		25
657	Wetland Restoration	\$15		5
658	Wetland Creation	\$15		15
666	Forest Stand Improvement	\$30		10

Grant Award
Up to \$200,000 over 4 years

Draft Conservation Management Plan

Modify Conservation Management Plan

Conservation Management Plan Approved

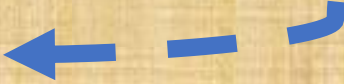
Implement Conservation Management Plan

Monitor Conservation Management Plan

Submit Annual Report

Annual Ecosystem Services Payment *

** Payments for Planning, Drafting and Monitoring the plan can be requested at any time*



Grant Solicitation Timeline

START



Applications Open

February 3, 2025

Pre-Application
Consultations

February - March 2025

Webinar

February 12, 2025
3pm

Application
Evaluations

April - May 2025

Applications Due

April 1, 2025 @ 4pm

Technical
Review Team
Meeting

Mid May 2025

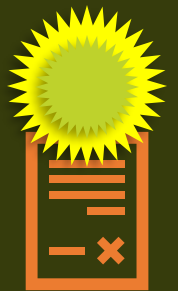
OAHC Meeting

Mid June 2025

OWEB Board
Meeting

Late July 2025

AWARD





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Thank You!