

Oregon Agricultural Heritage Program is Now Accepting Conservation Management Planning Grant Applications



The Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB) is now accepting applications for the Oregon Agricultural Heritage Program (OAHP) Conservation Management Planning grant offering. Applications are due by **5 pm on April 1st, 2025**. These grants are supported by General Funds from the Oregon Legislature and available statewide.

OAHP Staff will host a virtual informational webinar about the 2025 solicitation on February 12th at 3 pm. Potential applicants are invited to attend through the following methods:

- **Zoom:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81461701897?pwd=1Xs9LIJY9a3kDLuQGrxbFkcp4dmZ2l.1>
- **YouTube Recording:** youtube.com/channel/UC0dl-TOWlt4Sp--i1KEa_OA.

Who can Apply?

501(c)(3) not-for-profit organizations, watershed councils, SWCD's, and entities eligible to hold a conservation easement as defined in ORS 271.715 (not including state agencies).

Eligibility Requirements

Proposed projects for this grant offering must take place on lands that are actively used by an agricultural owner or operator for an agricultural operation that includes, but need not be limited to, active engagement in farming or ranching.

This grant solicitation utilizes the Natural and Working Lands Fund which has the additional intent of providing support to help Tribes, landowners, land managers, and environmental justice communities adopt natural climate solutions.

Actions Eligible for Funding

Funding may be utilized to develop, implement, or monitor Conservation Management Plans. Implementation of a Conservation Management Plan includes annual ecosystem services payments to agricultural operators.

Application Guidance

Detailed information about the grant program and application guidance may be found on the [OAHP webpage](#). The guidance documents outline important information about the grant program's structure and guide potential applicants to determine if proposed projects are appropriate for the OAHP Grant Program.

Applicants are strongly encouraged to connect with the OWEB staff identified below to schedule a pre-application consultation.

Questions? If you have questions about OWEB's Oregon Agricultural Heritage Program grant offering contact OAHP Coordinator, Taylor Larson at 971.701.3248, or taylor.larson@oweb.oregon.gov.



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