

# Virginia DEQ Agricultural BMP Loan Program

*Cost Effective Financing for Agricultural Best Management Practices (BMPs)*



## Loan Terms

- All loans at 0% interest
- Debt repayment begins 6 months after project completion
- Up to 10 year repayment schedules available, depending on loan amount and asset useful life
- Disbursements of loan proceeds made on a reimbursement basis

## Program Incentives

- Potential for principal forgiveness
- Expanded list of eligible practices
- Expanded list of eligible applicants



## Eligible Practice Types

BMPs for water quality, Manure Composting, Woodland (Riparian) Buffer, Livestock Exclusion with Riparian Buffers, Livestock Exclusion with Reduced Setback, Shoreline Stabilization, Terrace System Grazing Systems, Alternative Water Systems, Stream Exclusion, Support Extension of Watering Systems, Animal Travel Lane Stabilization, Sediment Retention, Streambank and Channel Stabilization, Stream Crossing, Stream Protection with Fencing, Animal Waste Control Facility, Dairy Loafing Lot Management System, Composter Facilities, Animal Waste Structure Pump Equipment, Animal Mortality Incinerator Facilities, Stormwater Retention Pond, Ag Chemical & Fertilizer Handling Facility, Surface Water Runoff Impoundment, Relocation of Confined Feeding Operations, Water Table Control Structure, Constructed Wetlands



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