

Chippewa SWCD- FY2014

BWSR Grants

State Cost-share: \$11,213

Funds Returned to State

Grant Period (incl. extensions)

From: July 1, 2013

To: June 30, 2015

State Cost-Share Expenditures by Category

Technical Assistance Funds	
Tech & Ad- min Funds	
Total TA Funds	
Implementation Funds	
Field Wind- breaks	
Farmstead Windbreaks	
Grassed Waterways	
Terraces	
Total State Cost-Share Implemen- tation Ex- penditures	\$0.00

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Project Title: FY 2014 State Cost-Share Program



Overall Project Description (abstract)

The State Cost-Share Program was established in 1977 and is administered locally by the Chippewa Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD). The State Cost-Share Program provides financial assistance to landowners for installing conservation practices that protect and improve water quality by controlling soil erosion and reducing sedimentation. The program provides up to 75% of the total eligible cost of a practice. Often the SWCD combines the State Cost-Share dollars with the Federal Cost-Share dollars to come up with the 75%. The SWCD provided technical assistance to landowners to install conservation practices by:

- Conducting a site investigation with the landowner
- Working with the landowner to determine the best management practice (BMP) for the given situation
- Surveying and designing the project
- Producing a rough cost estimate
- Providing the landowner with a designed plan for submission of bids
- Performing a pre-construction conference with the contractor and landowner
- Supervising construction
- Certifying completion of the project

