



Conservation

Status - End of September 2016

Current Active Contracts	General	16.86 mil. ac.
	Continuous (non-CREP)	5.45 mil. ac.
	Farmable Wetland	0.40 mil. ac.
	CREP	1.17 mil. ac.
	Total	23.88 mil. ac.

Number of Contracts 654,702 Number of Farms 366,879

General Sign-up #49 411,000 acres approved FY 2016 Continuous Sign-up (#48) 1,306,000 acres approved Grasslands Sign-up 101,000 acres approved

General Sign-up Average Rental Payments \$51 per acre Continuous (non-CREP) \$119 per acre Farmable Wetland \$124 per acre **CREP**

\$145 per acre \$73 per acre All CRP

Rental Payments \$1,591 million FY 2015 Outlays Cost-Share \$69 million

Incentives (SIP & PIP) \$54 million Total (not including tech. assist.) \$1,714 million

Wetland Restoration Practices Performance Measures 2,089,353 acres Conservation Buffer Practices (Cumulative) 1,701,054 acres

Expiration Schedule Sept 30, 2016 1.7 mil. ac. (Including continuous and general) Sept 30, 2017 2.5 mil. ac. Sept 30, 2018 1.5 mil. ac.

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Initiatives (and Allocations)	First Year	Practice Code	Acres Added in FY 2016*	Acres as o September*
Wetland Restoration—Floodplain (481,600 ac.)	2004	CP23	68.007	364,506
Bottomland hardwood trees (250,000 ac.)	2004	CP31	23,582	137,901
Wetland Restoration—Non-Floodplain (568,400 ac.)	2005	CP23A	139,586	469,565
Upland bird habitat buffers (500,000 ac.)	2005	CP33	97,371	291,362
Longleaf pine plantings (250,000 ac.)	2007	CP36	24,710	164,323
Duck nesting habitat (600,000 ac.)	2007	CP37	95,604	357,967
State acres for wildlife enhancement (1,750,000 ac.)	2008	CP38	436,273	1,454,126
Highly erodible lands (750,000 ac.)	2012	Various	294,251	545,298
Pollinator habitat (400,000 ac.)	2012	CP42	309,326	342,067

^{*} Excludes lands enrolled in CREP; includes contracts that start in FY 2017. Data adjusted for re-enrollments of expiring contracts.

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