

## Genesee River Erosion and Sediment Control Grants

### RFP Questions and Answers

<b>Q: Is cover cropping eligible for this Genesee River proposal?</b>
A: Cover crops are an eligible practice under this program and there is no specified duration.
<b>Q: If land is enrolled in NYS Department of Environmental Conservation's Grassland Landowner Incentive Program, can it still be deemed eligible for the mini grants?</b>
A: Land enrolled in other programs, State or Federal, may be eligible provided the practice being implemented through the Genesee River Erosion and Sediment Control Grants is not a required component of the other program. (e.g. If a practice is a required component of another program, and required to be installed or maintained under that program, GRESC funding cannot be used to complete this work).
<b>Q: If a District applies for funding for cover cropping for one year to maximize the available dollars on Farm "X", is it possible to re-apply during the second round of proposals for additional cover cropping on the same farm?</b>
A: Two years of cover cropping on single farm is an eligible project under the current round of funding. There are no details regarding a second round of funding at this time.
<b>Q: If a farm has not completed a Tier 3a plan, is the project ineligible for funding?</b>
A: Yes, since the GRESC mini grants are for implementation, an AEM Tier 3a plan is required to be completed before application.