

## St. Lawrence County Soil and Water Conservation District 1942 Old DeKalb Road - Canton, NY 13617

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## 2020 No-till/Inter-seeder Cost-Share Program

The St. Lawrence County Soil & Water Conservation District (SLC SWCD) has disposed of their no-till grain drill this spring. To continue to offer assistance, they are offering a no-till/inter-seeder cost-share program to help offset the costs of implementing no-till or inter-seeding by other means. The cost-share rate is \$19/acre, for a maximum of 30 acres per accepted applicant.

Due to funding limitations, applicant's fields will be ranked and selected for costshare, based on a number of criteria including the primary use of equipment, seed type, method, and field properties and risks such as proximity to waterbody, highly erodible soils, and slope.

Interested applicants should fill out an application (available at <a href="www.slcswcd.org">www.slcswcd.org</a>) and email completed applications to <a href="jevonnah@slcswcd.org">jevonnah@slcswcd.org</a>. Alternatively, call our office at 315-386-3582 and apply over the phone. Please note that we may not be in the office when you call, but we will receive your phone message and emails and we will get back to you.

Applications must be received by April 24, 2020 in order to allow staff to rank and select sites in time for producers to be able to do a successful spring planting. Ideal planting times for spring cool season plants are May 1 through May 15<sup>th</sup> and for warm season plants June 15<sup>th</sup> through June 20<sup>th</sup>. If there are still funds available applications will be accepted for a fall planting. Fall planting applications will need to be in by July 20, 2020 for ranking.

Please feel free to call or email us with any questions.