

Nova Scotia Soil, Pasture and Forage Management Program

Nova Scotia Cattle Producers

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Instructions – IMPORTANT PROCESS INFORMATION

This is a one-step process. No applications will be reviewed before the application deadline so there will be no follow-up on missing documents. Applications will only be considered if all necessary information is provided. Please call the office prior to submitting if you have any questions.

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ Lime Purchase Receipts → Proof of Purchase – submit one of the following options:
 - Invoice/Receipt – Signed and marked “Paid” by the seller
 - Invoice/Receipt plus a copy of the cashed cheque from your bank statement
- ☐ Soil, Manure, and/or Feed Analysis

****Soil analysis (required for Lime Purchase and Soil Analysis funding requests) must include Premises Identification (PID) number or civic address for each sample.****

Application Deadline: June 30, 2025, and November 30, 2025

Approved payments will be issued no later than July 31, 2025, and December 31, 2025

Send by mail to: **Nova Scotia Cattle Producers, 7 Atlantic Central Dr., East Mountain, NS B6L 2Z2**
OR send directly to the NSCP Office **Fax: 902-893-7063; Email: office@nscattle.ca**

PRODUCER INFORMATION

Applicant Name: _____

Farm Name: _____

NSCP Number: _____ # Breeding Cows _____

Business Number or SIN (see note on page 2) _____ Feeding Capacity _____

Civic Address _____

Mailing Address: _____

(if different) _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____ Home: _____ Cell: _____

To be eligible for the Nova Scotia Soil, Pasture and Forage Management Program, the applicant must:

1. Be a Nova Scotia based cattle producer, partnership or corporation that has a breeding herd of no less than ten cows.
2. Hold a 2025 Nova Scotia Cattle Grower License and have 2024 and 2023 levies paid in full by the application deadline.
3. Agree to provide copies of soil, manure and/or feed analysis as part of the application.
4. Agree to abide by the current NSCP Soil, Pasture and Forage Management Program Guidelines.

****Eligible costs are only applicable for the 2025 year.**

Applications may be submitted at any time, however, will only be processed at the June 30, 2025, and November 30, 2025, application deadlines.

Business Number & SIN Request Note:

NSCP is required to file an AGR-1 for each applicant who receives funds from this program to be included in your 2025 tax return. In order to do this, we must have either your Business Number (for incorporated farms) or your SIN. If you are not comfortable having it written down, please call the office at 902-893-7455 and provide it verbally.

ACTIVITIES COMPLETED				
Activity	Funding (A)	Quantity (B)	Funding Requested (AxB)	Office Use Only
S1 – Standard Analysis (\$27.61)	\$7.50			
A1 – Manure Analysis (\$47.83)	\$10.00			
F1 – Standard Forage/Grain (\$39.52)	\$10.00			
F10 – F1 plus NDF (\$51.04)	\$12.50			
Feed Selection and Ration Balancing (\$300)	\$300.00			
Lime Purchase (must be supported by soil analysis in 2024 or 2025)	\$5.00/ton			
Total Funding Applied For:				

Maximum Funding

- Up to 100% of the activity value, to a maximum of \$1,000.00 per licensee per year.
- May be reduced based on program demand.
- Funds for the November 30, 2025, application deadline will only be available if leftover money from the budgeted amount remains from the June 30, 2025, application deadline.

CERTIFICATION AND SUBMISSION**By submitting this application form, I**

- certify, to the best of my knowledge and ability, that the information provided on this form is complete, true and correct;
- understand and agree to the program guidelines and, if the application is approved in whole or in part, agree to abide by the terms and conditions as set out in the program guidelines;
- consent to the audit and verification of the information provided on this form, such audit and verification to be performed by the Nova Scotia Cattle Producers or other parties, including livestock inspection agencies, chosen by the Nova Scotia Cattle Producers for audit and verification purposes;
- agree to provide copies of soil, soil amendment, and feed analysis as part of this application;
- grant permission to the Nova Scotia Cattle Producers to contact any of my suppliers to confirm the information I have provided;
- agree to repay any overpayment amount received as a Producer Payment if adjustment or audit shows the amount received exceeds the contributions to which I am entitled under the terms of the Program Payment;
- understand that the program payments may be reduced depending on the number of completed applications;
- confirm that I have the authority to bind the applicant.
- all decisions of the program administrator are considered final

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

By signing below, I hereby certify that the amounts claimed are compliant with the payments authorized by the Nova Soil, Pasture and Forage Management Program terms and conditions, as displayed on this application.

 Print Name

 Signature

 Date

APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY JUNE 30, 2025, OR NOVEMBER 30, 2025.

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