****Conservation Easement**

**Application Checklist**

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| Landowner Name: |  | County/Field Office: |
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Note: All forms listed below in bold italics can be found on the BWSR website under wetland banking:

<https://bwsr.state.mn.us/local-government-road-wetland-replacement-program>

**REQUIRED FORMS AND DOCUMENTS FOR ALL APPLICATIONS**

Application Checklist (this form)

***Conservation Easement Application Form***

***Conservation Easement Payment Calculation Worksheet***

***Conservation Easement Landowner Questionnaire and Easement Area Assessment Form***

***Conservation Easement Area Crop History - Land Use Form***

**Map 1:** Preliminary easement boundary and scale over aerial photograph (no other lines/shading, etc.). Section corners or centers should also be clearly identified.

**Map 2:** Existing wetlands and drained areas (Use National Wetland Inventory if no delineation or determination is on file). Overlay the location of any drainage components (tile, ditches, pumps, etc.)

**Map 3:** Soils map for the easement area with legend listing each series identified in the easement area.

**Map 4:** LiDAR information over aerial photo of easement area <http://arcgis.dnr.state.mn.us/maps/mntopo/>

**If the application area contains or abuts any existing CRP contracts, conservation easements, or public lands, submit the following document:**

Aerial photo identifying locations/boundaries of identified CRP contracts or other easements/public lands. Other easements should be clearly marked as to which type (i.e. USFWS, WRP, RIM, etc.)

**If the application area contains or abuts any Public Waters or Public Water Wetlands, submit the following document:**

Aerial photo identifying location and name or number designation of Public Waters and Public Water Wetlands.

**Other information/comments:**

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**Proposal Deadline:** Proposals submitted must be received by mail or courier no later than 2:30 p.m. Central Time, April 21, 2020.  Email and faxed proposals will not be considered.  Proposals must be sent in a sealed envelope to:

Minnesota Board of Water and Soil Resources

ATTN: 2020 ESU

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