

Farm and Ranch Water Infrastructure Program

On-Farm Agricultural Business Development Community Well

CLAIM FORM

PROGRAM INFORMATION

LIMITATIONS ON ELIGIBLE EXPENSE ITEMS:

General

- In-kind labour \$20/hr.
- In-kind machinery/equipment, utilize rates established in the Farm Machinery Custom Rate and Rental Guide for class of machinery used.

On-Farm

Wells, pipelines, livestock water relocation, dugouts and connection to rural water utilities

- Three test holes for small diameter wells and six test holes for large diameter wells prior to seeking assistance from a recognized professional.
- Subscription or hook-up fees to a multi-user pipeline to a maximum rebate of \$15,000.
- Storage tanks (minimum 1,000 U.S. gallons/3,700 litres) associated with a well or pipeline project to a maximum rebate of \$2,500.
- Solar powered "all-in-one" livestock watering systems maximum of one system per project to maximum rebate of \$5,000. Limit of four livestock watering systems per applicant.
- Permanent fencing to exclude livestock from a water source to a maximum rebate of \$750 per project.
- Watering appliance (e.g. Watering bowl, hydrant or water trough with minimum capacity of 100 gallons/450 litres) and pad. Maximum of one per project to a maximum rebate of \$1,000.

Well head protection

- Costs associated with protecting existing well heads to a maximum rebate of \$6,000 per approved project.

Well decommissioning

- Maximum rebate \$10,000 per approved project and does not count against program cap.

Ag Business Development

- Same as On-Farm plus Non-district irrigation projects the lesser of 50 per cent of eligible expenses, or \$1,000 per irrigable acre developed.

Community Well

- Storage tanks (minimum 1,000 U.S. gallons/3,700 litres).
- Well decommissioning maximum rebate of \$10,000 per approved project and does not count against program cap.

INELIGIBLE ITEMS:

- Seismic testing/water witching;
- Dual purpose water tanks (e.g. liquid fertilizer tanks);
- Small diameter wells greater than 100 feet deep with a casing size smaller than 4.5 inches inside diameter or five inches outside diameter;
- Water quality enhancement systems;
- Land parcel irrigation systems;
- Irrigation certification fees;
- Taxes, financing fees, interest or payment of easements;
- Gas/diesel powered water pumps;
- Above ground pipelines;
- In-kind freight and in-kind payment (e.g. trading) for 3rd party services/supplies.

MINIMUM INTERIM REBATE CLAIM AMOUNTS

- On-farm projects **\$15,000** rebate
- Ag Business Development and Community Well projects **\$25,000** rebate

For more information: 1-877-874-5365 (Toll-free)

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DEADLINE: Claim forms MUST be submitted the earlier of 18 months from written project approval, or February 15, 2018

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Materials used from Inventory*

		Invoice #	Invoice Date (DD/MM/YY)	Item Cost (excluding taxes)
1)				
2)				
3)				
Total Materials from Inventory (C)				

* Provide either the original invoice or quote for similar materials from vendor

Funding From Other Sources – Identify funding program and items funded related to this project

	Name of Organization/Program and Items funded.	Funding Received
1)		
2)		
Total Funding from Other Sources (D)**		

TOTAL VALUE OF CLAIM SUBMITTED*

Total Invoiced Cost (A)		
Total In-Kind Cost (B)	+	
Total Materials from Inventory (C)	+	
Total Claim**	=	

*Minimum interim rebate: On-Farm projects \$15,000, Ag Bus Development and Community Well projects \$25,000 rebate.

**Total Funding from Other Sources (D) may be deducted from the calculated rebate amount.

WSA Licence Included: YES – NO (Circle appropriate response)

If No (Check One):

- Not Required
- Awaiting WSA Approval

WSA Licence Required if:

- Dugout > 5000 m³
- High water volume usage well/Community Well/Irrigation

PART FOUR – STATEMENT OF CERTIFICATION

1. I certify that I am the Applicant, or am authorized to sign on behalf of the Applicant.
2. I certify that the eligible project was started on or after August 1, 2012.
3. I declare that no other claim has been made, or will be made, for the eligible expenditures that are the subject of this claim to the Farm and Ranch Water Infrastructure Program or any other government grant, rebate or assistance program unless otherwise stated in Part Three.
4. I certify that the eligible project meets the requirements set out in the program guidelines and application approval letter received for this project.
5. I agree to provide any further information, including income tax returns, cancelled cheques, bank statements or access to project records that the program may reasonably require for the purpose of processing this claim. I further authorize:
 - (a) the program to request information about the Applicant or the Applicant's project from any federal or provincial government Ministry or agency, or from any third party, and to disclose any information contained in this claim or provided in relation to the Applicant, to any such Ministry, agency or third party for the purposes of processing this claim;
 - (b) any Ministry, agency or third party mentioned above who is requested to verify or provide information, to disclose that information to the program; and
 - (c) this program to disclose information in relation to the Applicant or the claim to any such Ministry, agency or third party for the purposes of processing this claim.
6. I agree to provide the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture with original receipts if the program requests them.
7. I understand that there are no issues of liability with respect to the Ministry of Agriculture or other government agencies regarding the construction of an approved project. Neither the Ministry of Agriculture, nor the Government of Saskatchewan, shall be liable to indemnify the Applicant for any liabilities it incurs in the performance of the work undertaken by it in this project. The Applicant shall hold the Minister, the Government of Saskatchewan, and all government employees, agents and representatives, past or present, harmless from and against all claims, liabilities, losses, damages, costs, expenses and causes of action, including claims:
 - (a) arising out of any breach or failure to perform by the Applicant of any of its obligations under this program;
 - (b) relating to injury (including death) to persons or loss of or damage to property arising out of the negligence or wilful misconduct of the Applicant, its contractors, officers, agents or employees; or
 - (c) arising out of the work undertaken by the Applicant pursuant to this project including, but not limited to, claims for builders' liens, workers' compensation, employment insurance, holidays, back pay or any rates or charges.
8. I agree that the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture or its designated representatives are authorized to enter the premises identified on the claim or any other premises operated by the Applicant in order to conduct an inspection of the eligible project on this claim.
9. I acknowledge that I am responsible for any cost overruns or expenditures in excess of the amounts contributed by the Saskatchewan Ministry of Agriculture under the program.
10. I acknowledge that the knowing provision of false, misleading or fraudulent information may result in this claim and any past, current or future claims or applications being deemed ineligible and any payments issued deemed an overpayment.
11. I understand that the Ministry has the right to offset all or any portion of a rebate payment against any debt I have owing to the Government of Saskatchewan.
12. I certify that the information given on this claim is true and correct in every respect.

Applicant Signature _____

Date _____

I acknowledge and accept the terms and conditions as set out above. (Please Check)

Please submit your completed Claim Form, Invoices, Proof of Payment and Project Photos

BY FAX:
306-787-2366

BY EMAIL:
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Farm and Ranch Water Infrastructure Program
Program Design and Delivery Branch
Ministry of Agriculture
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INQUIRIES: 1-877-874-5365

Claim Form Checklist:

- Invoices & proof of payment
- Copy of Driller's Report for wells
- Dimensions of dugout
- Copy of permits and licences
- Pictures of completed project
- Signature and date

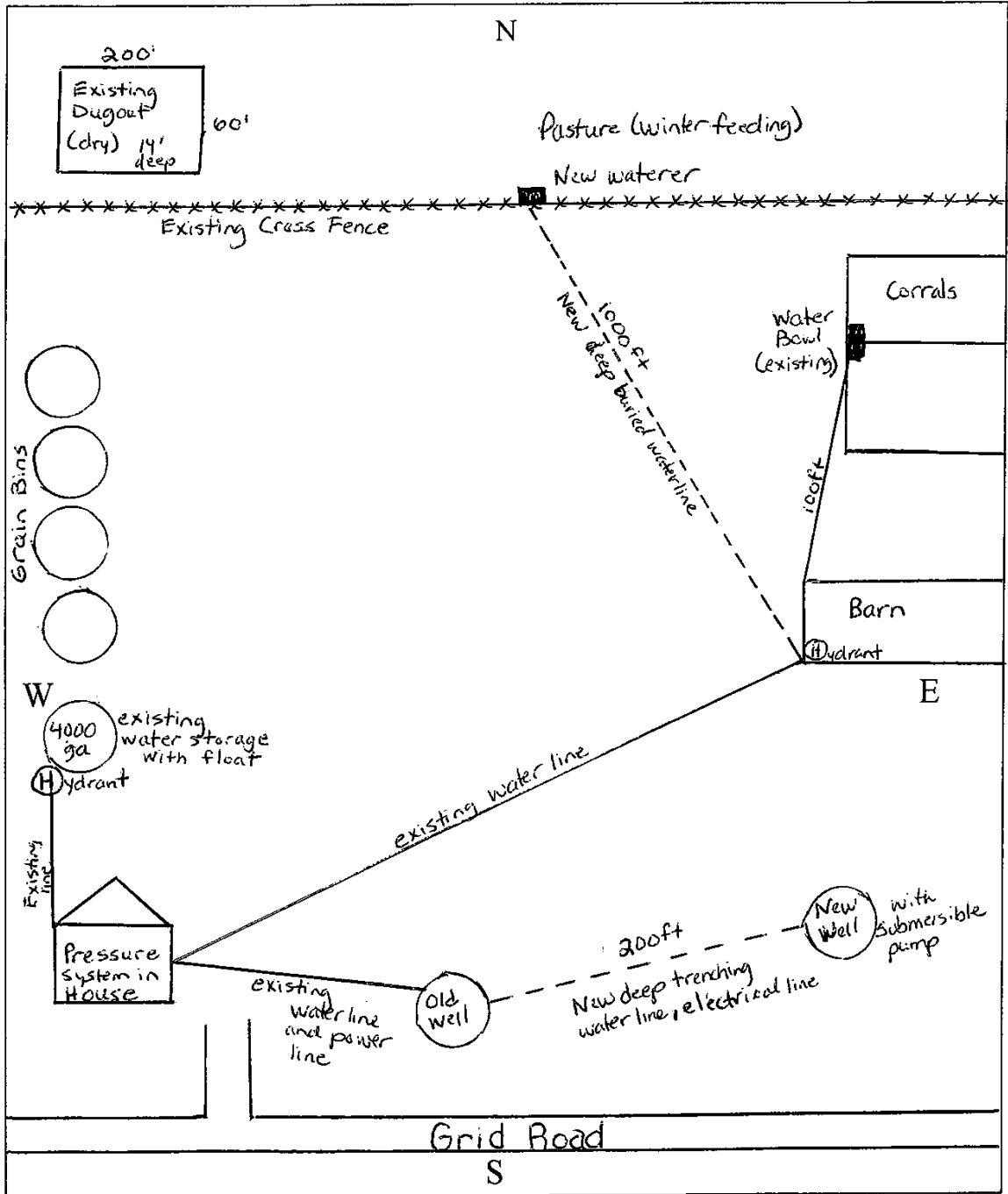
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Name: Jane Farmer

Project #: 1111

Legal Land Description of project: NW-22-35-16 W3

EXAMPLE DIAGRAM



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Name:

Application #:

Legal Land Description of project:

DIAGRAM

At minimum include the following items on the diagram.

- Buildings and landmarks such as trees, existing dugouts, roads, location of old wells, houses, barn, shop, etc.
- For power installed, indicate the path it takes to the project and label the distances.
- Pipelines and the distance measurements.
- Water delivery locations including but not limited to where sprayer water is loaded and animals are watered.
- Add any other information which will make it clear what your project is and make the diagram as large as possible on this sheet. Please include where the pressure system is located, if applicable.
- Please attach any photos of project components (e.g. well, dugout, pump house, loading site, water storage tanks, water appliances, etc.) to assist with claim verification.

