

GRANTS AVAILABLE in Dufferin County

Financial assistance through the Rural Water Quality Program (RWQP) is available to qualified* landowners to share in the cost of selected projects that improve and protect water quality.



Funded by:



ELIGIBLE PROJECTS*

PROJECT	GRANT RATE	MAXIMUM GRANT
Clean Water Diversion	50%	\$3,000
Exclusion Fencing	75-100%	\$5,000
Nutrient Management Plans	75-100%	\$2,000
Erosion Control Structures	50%	\$5,000
Machinery Crossing Improvements	50%	\$3,000
Cover Crops	n/a	n/a
Living Snow Fences	100%	\$5,000
Tree Planting and Fragile Land Retirement	75%	\$5,000
Wetland Creation	50%	\$5,000
Wellhead Decommission	100%	\$1,000
Wellhead Protection	80%	\$1,000
Innovative Technologies	Innovative technologies and projects that do not conform to RWQP guidelines are considered by the Steering Committee on a project by project basis.	

*See RWQP staff for program and individual project guidelines. An Environmental Farm Plan is required for all farm projects.

PERFORMANCE INCENTIVE

\$40/acre. Up to 40 acres.

\$450/acre years 1-3 and \$200/acre years 4-10.



HOW TO APPLY Contact RWQP staff at your local Conservation Authority. They will help plan your project and complete the application.

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