

**ELIGIBILITY
REQUIREMENTS FOR
EXPIRING
CONTINUOUS
CONTRACTS,
INCLUDING CREP**

- Cropland and MPL that is **currently under CRP/CREP contract** may be re-offered for CRP before CRP-1 is scheduled to expire
- Offers may be made for CRP no earlier than 6 months before CRP-1 is scheduled to expire
- Cropland that was previously enrolled in CRP/CREP but **has expired or was terminated** is eligible to be enrolled under continuous signup contracts if it meets all other eligibility requirements, including needed and feasible criteria

Basic Eligibility Requirements

- Producer is eligible
 - Owners of land under expiring CRP-1 may re-offer land for enrollment regardless of length of ownership
- Cropping history 2008 – 2013
 - CRP is considered cropping history
- Physically capable of being planted in a normal manner to an ag commodity
 - Acreage currently enrolled in CRP maintains its status as eligible cropland/MPL

Basic Eligibility Requirements continued

- Legally capable of being planted
 - Land under easement, or other legal restrictions, that requires a resource-conserving cover be maintained throughout any part of the proposed contract period is **NOT** eligible to be re-offered
- Practice and acreage offered must meet current program policy and size requirements
- Acreage is suitable for the offered practice

Basic Eligibility Requirements continued

- Acreage is suitable for the offered practice
- Practice is needed and feasible to solve the resource concern
 - **Exception: Expiring CRP acreage automatically meets the needed and feasible eligibility requirement**

ACREAGE
INELIGIBLE
TO BE
RE-OFFERED
FOR CREP

- Land previously enrolled that was planted to trees
- Land under a CREP easement

Eligibility
Screening for
Expiring
CREP
(Continuous
CP-22)

- [Expiring CREP to CCRP CP22 Screening](#)

If ineligible to re-enroll

- Landowners can upgrade their 15-year CREP Contract to a 30-year or permanent easement
- Easement start date is the start date of the CRP-1 Contract
- Area under contract must be in compliance