



Important Information on RCPP for Vermont Stakeholders



Internet Resources:

Vermont RCPP Website: <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/vt/programs/farmbill/rcpp/>

Frequently Asked Questions Webpage:

<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/national/programs/farmbill/rcpp/?cid=stelprdb1254188>

Announcement of Program Funding Package:

<http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?opId=256049>

NRCS Vermont and National Practice Standards Information:

<http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/detail/vt/technical/?cid=stelprdb1080585>

NRCS is offering online question-and-answer sessions on RCPP

June 9 (Monday) at 2 p.m. EST; and

June 18 (Wednesday) at 11 a.m. EST.

Each webinar will last one hour. No prior RSVP is necessary. Access the NRCS RCPP Q&A here:

<https://connectpro21866016.adobeconnect.com/a757707842/rcpp1/>

Both webinar sessions will be recorded and available on the national website for playback.

Things to Know:

- All proposals are submitted through the same announcement on [Grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov)
- Notification of pre-proposals should be sent to the Vermont State Conservationist, Vicky M. Drew, vicky.drew@vt.usda.gov, 802-951-6796 x 242
- Pre-proposals for National and State Funding Pools are due by July 14, 2014
- You will be notified if your proposal is selected for further consideration
- Full proposals for National and State Funding Pools are due by September 26, 2014
- All full proposal applications must include a letter of support from the Vermont State Conservationist
- Final project agreements will be completed and signed by October 30, 2014
- Where to go if you have questions:
 - National RCPP questions should be sent to RCPP@wdc.usda.gov
 - All local questions on RCPP should be routed through the State Conservationist's Executive Assistant, Mary Jacobson, mary.jacobson@vt.usda.gov, 802-951-6796 x 221