



COMMERCIAL ACTIVITIES SPECIAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION



National Wildlife Refuge System

Refuge Name:

Address:

Attn: (Refuge Official)

E-Mail:

Phone #:

For Official Use Only:

Approved Permit #:

Station #:

Permit Term: from to

Note: We do not require all information for each use. See instructions at the end of the notice and contact the refuge to determine applicability of a particular item.

1a) Identify the type of Permit you are applying for: New ☐ Renewal ☐ Modification ☐ Other ☐

1b) Have you applied, or do you intend to apply, to any other refuges for this same activity? ☐ Yes ☐ No

1c) If yes, which refuges?

Applicant Information

2) Full Name: 3) Title:

4) Business Name:

5) Physical Address:

City/State/Zip:

6) Mailing Address: (if different than above)

City/State/Zip:

7) Business Phone #: 8) Business Fax #:

9) E-mail: 10) Business Tax ID #:

11a) Within the past 5 years, has the company (entity), its owners, or any employees who have or will be expected to operate on the refuge, been convicted, pled nolo contendere, forfeited collateral, or are currently under charges for any violations of any State, Federal, or local law, or regulations related to fish and wildlife or permit activities? ☐ Yes ☐ No

11b) If you answered "YES" to question #11a, provide the individual's name, date of charge, charge(s), location of incident, court, and action taken for each violation.

**Iowa Wetland Management District
Agricultural Bid Sheet**

Instructions:

1. Complete this bid sheet and attach (staple) to the Special Use Permit (SUP) Application with page 1 completed of the SUP Application. If you are the winning bidder you will complete the remaining portions of the Application once the bid is accepted.
2. Bids are due by 4:00 pm February 28, 2025 to:
Iowa DNR
2203 Ingham Lake Rd
Wallingford, IA. 51365
3. You will need to evaluate the bid solicitation for each unit and the cropping plan for each of the next three years, and place your total bid. This will be your competing bid, and highest bid will be awarded. In the event of a tie bid, the winning bidder will be randomly drawn from the tying bidders.

Bidder Name: _____ Date: _____

WPA: Eagle Lake

Lease Number: 8311-1C-14-0002

Year 2025	Field #	Acres	Unharvested Amount	\$ bid/acre	Yearly Total
Hay converting to row crop	2, 4	27	0		
Row Crops	1, 3	9.6	0		
Year 2026	Field #	Acres	Unharvested Amount	\$ bid/acre	Yearly Total
Row Crops	1, 2, 3, 4	36.6	0		
Year 2027	Field #	Acres	Unharvested Amount	\$ bid/acre	Yearly Total
Row Crops	1, 2, 3, 4	36.6	0		

Three year total: _____

Bidder Signature: _____

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Field #	Acres	2024	2025	2026
1	8	Beans	Corn	Beans
2	10	Hay convert to beans	Corn	Beans
3	1.6	Beans	Corn	Beans
4	17	Hay convert to beans	Corn	Beans

1. Acres planted to corn will have a target yield of at least 120 bushels per acre, therefore, requiring appropriate inputs of seed population, cultivation, fertilizer and herbicides. Corn must be planted before **May 20th of each year** unless extreme extenuating circumstances occur.
2. Acres planted to beans will have a target yield of at least 40 bushels per acres, therefore, requiring appropriate inputs of seed population, cultivation, fertilizer, and herbicides. Bean fields must be planted as early as conditions allow.
3. If cooperator is unable to plant designated crops they must consult with DNR staff prior to planting an alternative crop.
4. The cooperator agrees to certify all crop acres under the term of this lease with the USDA Farm Service Agency before the deadline.
5. All AG fields in the lease shall be planted with end-rows. The adjacent grassland areas shall not be used as turn around areas.
6. Field marker posts are to be respected, if they are damaged, the cooperator will replace/repair the post ASAP. Do not increase field size.
7. Fall tillage is prohibited.
8. An approved Pesticide Use Proposal is required before pesticide application and the permittee is required to follow the associated guidelines contained in the Pesticide Use Proposal. Use of any other chemical (herbicide or pesticide) without an approved Pesticide Use Proposal will constitute a Refuge violation, and revocation of any Special Use Permit.
9. For habitat restoration the only GMO crops allowed are glyphosate-tollerant corn and soybean seed. For all other purposes, GMO crop use is not allowed.
10. Only conventional crop seed may be used on fields intended for food plots.

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11. Cooperator is required to report all pesticide use by December 1, annually.
12. Cooperator may be required to post fields after pesticide application.
13. Neonicotinoid treated seed **will not** be permitted to be used on any U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service lands including Waterfowl Production Areas. **After fields are planted, seed tags must be provided to the Iowa DNR.**

Please mail seed tags to:

Prairie Lakes Wildlife Unit
2203 Ingham Lake Rd.
Wallingford, IA 51365

I have read, understand, and agree to comply with the Management Plan of the Agreement.

Operator's Signature and Date

Issuing Officer's Signature and Date

Eagle Lake WPA

2025-27 Crop rotations
Lease 8311-1C-14-0002
Emmet County
T100N, R34W SEC 11&14

Legend

- Farm Lease
WMA Field
WPA Field
<all other values>
- OWNER
DNR
USFWS
- Airphotos_2023_NA
- RGB
Red: Band_1
Green: Band_2
Blue: Band_3

0 0.07 0.15 0.3 Miles



2/6/2025



