

A current Nutrient Management Plan is required for some cost-share/tax credit practices.

If you need a new or updated Nutrient Management Plan, contact your Nutrient Management Planner as soon as possible to begin the process. **Note:** Depending on planner workload, it can take a few months to write/update your plan.

Your Nutrient Management Planner will need the information listed here to prepare and/or update your Nutrient Management Plan.

* You are encouraged to include ALL fields associated with your operation in your Nutrient Management Plan to ensure all fields are eligible for cost-share/tax credit.

NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT PLAN INFORMATION

1. Maps of all fields to be included in the Plan*
2. Three year crop rotation for all fields to be included in the Plan
3. Current (less than 3 years old) soil samples for all fields to be included in the Plan. Recent crop yield records for best 3 out of last 5 years (if available).
 - DCR Nutrient Management Planners and Va. Cooperative Extension can provide soil samples boxes and may have soil probes you can borrow to pull your samples. Contact them to pick up these materials.
 - Your DCR Nutrient Management Planner can send these samples off for analysis for you.
4. A current (less than 3 years old) manure analysis for manure generated on your farm, if applicable
 - Contact your nutrient management planner for information regarding manure analysis.
 - If you use manure not generated on your farm, you will need to provide a manure analysis or manure sample of that imported manure. Contact the supplier for a manure analysis or sample.
5. Animal numbers associated with your operation, if applicable

For more information regarding these needed items, contact your Nutrient Management Planner.

DCR Nutrient Management Planner Contact Information

Private Nutrient Management Planner Contact Information



You may also use a Virginia certified private nutrient management planner to obtain a new or updated Nutrient Management Plan. Cost-share may be available if you utilize a private planner to obtain or update a Nutrient Management Plan. **Scan here for a Directory of Virginia Nutrient Management Certified Planners For Hire.**

www.dcr.virginia.gov/soil-and-water/document/nmdir.pdf

