

**MARYLAND WATER QUALITY FINANCING ADMINISTRATION  
LINKED DEPOSIT CERTIFICATE OF QUALIFICATION  
Project Eligibility Determination  
LOW INTEREST LOANS FOR AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROJECTS**

Name of Borrower:	Telephone Number:
Social Security or Federal ID Number:	Estimated Project Completion Date:
Mailing Address of Borrower:	Address of Project Site:
Total Project Cost:	Requested Loan Amount:
Eligible Bank/Lending Institution (If known):	
Name:	Contact Person:
Address:	Phone #:
Project Description (including list of equipment to be purchased using loan funds):	
Borrower Certification: The borrower certifies that the Linked Deposit Program loan proceeds shall be used for the sole purpose of the project as approved by the Administration. The Administration reserves the right to demand the loan be repaid in full upon written notification, if it is determined that the funds were not used for the approved project or the project construction was unreasonably delayed. The borrower also agrees to allow access to the project site.	
_____	_____
Borrower's Signature	Date

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ Soil Conservation District (SCD) certifies the above is an approved project and is eligible to apply for a loan through the Maryland Water Quality Revolving Loan Fund Linked Deposit Program.
2. The project is included in a Soil Conservation and Water Quality Plan and/or Waste Management System Plan developed and approved by the \_\_\_\_\_ SCD and the applicant.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ SCD will:

- inspect and monitor proper installation of these eligible components and others related to the implementation of the project; or
- accept in lieu a set of certified as-built drawings.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature (Soil Conservation District Official) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Soil Conservation District Official) \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

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**The Maryland Department of Agriculture certifies that:**

1. Under the LILAC Program this project is consistent with project types eligible for loans from the Maryland Water Quality Revolving Loan Fund as noted in the Maryland Non-point Source Management Program (CWA Section 319) and identified on an LILAC Project Form
2. Components of this project have been approved for MACS program
3. Components of this project are needed as defined in the waste management system plan

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature (Maryland Department of Agriculture Official)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (Dept. of Agriculture Official)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

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Phone Number

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**The Maryland Department of the Environment certifies that:**

This project is eligible for loan from the Maryland WQRLF as noted in the Maryland Non-point Source Management Program (CWA Section 319) and the approved Intended Use Plan.

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Signature (Maryland Department of the Environment Official)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (MDE Official)

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Title

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Phone Number

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*Issuance of this Certificate of Qualification: a. shall not be deemed to be included in, or imply, an evaluation of credit worthiness of this applicant, or to constitute a recommendation that a loan be made, b. shall in no way be deemed to be a guarantee of any payment due from any eligible applicant to any participating bank, and c. does not relieve the applicant from acquiring all necessary federal, state, and local permits for the project.*

***Lender should contact the Maryland Water Quality Financing Administration,  
Maryland Department of the Environment, at 410-537-3119 for additional information.***

**▶▶ THIS IS NOT A FUNDING COMMITMENT ◀◀**

***<http://www.mde.state.md.us/wqfa>***