

Champlain Valley
Crop, Soil & Pasture
Middlebury, VT
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Program Contacts at a Glance

Contact your local NRCS office for the following programs:

Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)
Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP)
Wetland Reserve Easement Program (WRE)
Conservation Reserve Enhancement (CREP)

VAAFM Capital Equipment Assistance Program (CEAP)

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Vermont Farm & Forest Viability Program

Dairy Improvement Grants
Water Quality Improvement Grants
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Farm Agronomic Practices (FAP)

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Working Lands Enterprise Initiative (WLEB)

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Vermont Agency of Agriculture, Food and Markets Vermont Environmental Stewardship Program (VESP)

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FINANCIAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUR AGRICULTURAL BUSINESS



A summary of
resources, funding
and regional contacts
for farmers in the
Champlain Valley

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Cow Comfort

Vermont Dairy Improvement Grants
Deadlines: Monday, August 13, 2018
Wednesday, November 7, 2018
Wednesday, February 6, 2019

Northeast SARE
Deadline: December 1, 2018



Manure Storage, Stack Pad, Silage Leachate System, Barnyard Runoff

Best Management Practice Program
Deadline: April 1, 2019

Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP)
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Nutrient Management Plan

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Regional Conservation Partnership Program (RCPP)
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Applying for a grant?
Plan ahead!

Equipment

VAAFME Capital Equipment Assistance Program (CEAP)
Deadline: November 1, 2018

Northeast Sustainable Agriculture Research & Education (SARE)
Deadline: December 1, 2018

Water Quality Improvement Grants, Dairy Improvement Grants.
Deadlines: Monday, August 13, 2018
Wednesday, November 7, 2018
Wednesday, February 6, 2019

Working Lands Enterprise Initiative
Deadline: November 2018

Fence

Best Management Practice Program
Deadline: April 2019

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Cover Crops

Farm Agronomic Practices (FAP)
Deadline: 30 days prior to implementation, August 1 for cover crops.

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Wetland, Unused Pasture

Conservation Reserve Enhancement (CREP)
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Wetland Reserve Easement Program (WRE)
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Want to get credit
for all the good practices
you do on your farm?

Vermont Environmental
Stewardship Program
