



# Grant Progress Report

## Soil Health Practices 2026

**Grant Title:** 2026 - Soil Health Practices-SEPTEMBER (Chippewa SWCD) **Grant Award (\$):** \$120,000.00

**Grant Execution Date:** 10/06/2025

**Grant ID:** P26-0096

**Required Match (%):** 0

**Grant End Date:** 12/31/2028

**Grantee:** Chippewa SWCD

**Required Match (\$):** \$0.00

**Fiscal Agent:**

**Grant Day-to-Day Contact:** Zach Bothun

	Total Budgeted	Total Spent	Balance Remaining*
Grant Funds	\$120,000.00	\$0.00	\$120,000.00
Match Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other Funds	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$120,000.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$120,000.00</b>

\*Grant balance remaining is the difference between the Awarded Amount and the Spent Amount. Other values compare budgeted and spent amounts.

### Budget Details

Activity Name	Category	Source Type	Source Description	Budgeted	Spent	Balance Remaining	Match Fund?
Soil Health Cost Share	Non-Structural Management Practices	Current State Grant	2028 - Soil Health Practices-SEPTEMBER (Chippewa SWCD)	\$100,000.00		\$100,000.00	N
Soil Health Technical Assistance	Technical/Engineering Assistance	Current State Grant	2028 - Soil Health Practices-SEPTEMBER (Chippewa SWCD)	\$20,000.00		\$20,000.00	N

**Grant Activities**

**Activity Name: Soil Health Cost Share**

**Activity Category:** Non-Structural Management Practices **Staff time?:** No

**Description:** These funds will be used to provide financial assistance for non-structural practices in accordance with Chippewa SWCD's current Conservation Contracts Program and other BWSR Cost Share Programs Policy, and more specifically section V. FY2026 Soil Health Practices Grant Cost Share (RCPP). Eligible practices will include Cover Crop 340, Residue and Tillage Management 329, Windbreaks/Shelterbelt Establishment 380, and Pasture and Hay Planting 512. These practices will be designed and installed according to standards and specifications found in the NRCS Field Office Technical Guide by staff with appropriate Job Approval Authority (JAA).

**Budget Details**

<u>Source Type</u>	<u>Source Description</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Spent</u>	<u>Balance Remaining</u>	<u>Last Transaction Date</u>	<u>Match Fund?</u>
Current State Grant	2028 - Soil Health Practices-SEPTEMBER (Chippewa SWCD)	\$100,000.00		\$100,000.00		N

**Activity Name: Soil Health Technical Assistance**

**Activity Category:** Technical/Engineering Assistance **Staff time?:** Yes

**Description:** Chippewa SWCD will provide project development and technical assistance for the soil health grant by assisting landowners with the contract application process, conducting site investigations and technical assessments, completing designs and practice standard verification, completing vouchers, making payments, and maintaining records for reporting. Technical assistance for non-structural practices will be provided by SWCD staff with appropriate job approval authority (JAA).

**Budget Details**

<u>Source Type</u>	<u>Source Description</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Spent</u>	<u>Balance Remaining</u>	<u>Last Transaction Date</u>	<u>Match Fund?</u>
Current State Grant	2028 - Soil Health Practices-SEPTEMBER (Chippewa SWCD)	\$20,000.00		\$20,000.00		N

**Actual Results**

**Results** **Date Added**

No funds spent in 2025. 1/7/2026 10:17:56 AM