

Helping Arkansas' Forest Landowners

Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) 2009 Payment Schedule

Below is a list of the most common EQIP forestry practices in Arkansas. Rates are adjusted annually.

106 – Forest Management Plan

- Plan \$400 to \$4,500

338 – Prescribed Burning

- Non AFC (TSP) \$24 per acre
- AFC < 14 acres \$188 each
- AFC >= 14 acres \$14 per acre

342 – Critical Area Planting

- Native perennial grass \$184.94 per acre
- Non-native perennial grass & legumes \$172.93 per acre

380 – Windbreak Establishment

- Multiple rows alone or in combination with pine and hardwood
 - ♦ Pine row \$.01 per foot
 - ♦ Hardwood row \$.02 per foot
 - ♦ Shrub row \$.10 per foot
 - ♦ Hardwood/pine/shrub multi-row \$.13 per foot

381 – Silvo-Pasture (5-year program)

- Trees in Pasture \$45.50 /year for 2 years
- Rotational Grazing \$52.88/year for 3 years

382 – Fence

- Barbed \$1.34 per foot
- Electric \$.53 per foot
- Woven \$1.87 per foot

384 – Forest Slash Treatment

- Heavy Mechanical Storm Cleanup \$135.60 per acre

391 – Riparian Forest Buffer

- Hardwood seedlings \$.24 each
- Hardwood seedlings with shelter \$1.56 each
- Shrub seedlings \$.59 each
- Shrub with shelters \$1.91 each

394 – Fire Break

- 15 ft wide \$.13 per foot
- 30 ft wide \$.32 per foot
- Water bars \$36 each
- Diversions \$30 each

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410 – Grade Stabilization

- Rock \$29.90 per ton of rock
- Concrete Box \$280.98 per cubic yd
- Steel or Plastic Pipe Drop Depends on size

484 – Mulching

- Mulch for Erosion Control \$647.40 per acre

490 – Tree & Shrub Site Prep

- Herbicide application
 - ◆ Band \$26.40 per acre
 - ◆ Broadcast or injection \$79.24 per acre
 - ◆ Aerial \$69 per acre
- Light mechanical (bush hog or disk) \$15.60 per acre
- Open field ripping \$21.01 per acre
- Medium mechanical \$94.50 per acre
(in woods ripping or timberland disk)
- Heavy mechanical (land clearing) \$135.60 per acre

560 -- Access Road

- Diversion \$30 each
- Water bar \$36 each

578 – Stream Crossing

- Culvert - 12 in. to 10 ft. Cost depends on size
- Rock ford & approaches \$24.84 per linear foot
- Concrete slab & approaches \$67.56 per linear foot

612 – Tree and Shrub Establishment

- Hardwood seedlings \$.24 each
- Pine seedlings \$.10 each
- Shrub seedlings \$.57 each
- Cottonwood cuttings \$.33 each
- Hardwoods with shelters \$1.44 each

655 – Forest Trails and Landings

- Water bars \$37.80 each

660 – Tree/Shrub Pruning

- Pruning \$.54 per tree

666 – Forest Stand Improvement

- Aerial application \$69 per acre
- Pre-commercial thinning (chainsaw or injection) \$79.25 per acre
- Light mechanical (bush hog or disk) \$15.61 per acre
- Chemical Ground Applied \$79.24 per acre