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## ***Important Notice on COFSP Cost-Share Availability for the 2012 Cropping Year***

*September 15, 2011 - All cost-share funds for program year four (2012-2013) of the Canada-Ontario Farm Stewardship Program (COFSP) under the Growing Forward Environment and Climate Change initiative, have now been fully committed. As a result, the provincial delivery agent for COFSP, Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association (OSCIA), is no longer accepting 2012 Project Proposal Application (PPA) forms.*

*The PPA forms received to date will be reviewed by OSCIA and notification of the status of each application will be forwarded to the participating farm businesses.*

*Cost-share funds are allocated for each year of COFSP on a first come, first served basis. Once the annual program funds are fully committed, PPA forms can no longer be accepted.*

*There may be other environmental cost-share opportunities delivered through OSCIA for your area; inquire with a local Program Representative for details, and we encourage you to periodically check the OSCIA web site at [www.ontariosoilcrop.org](http://www.ontariosoilcrop.org) for updates.*

*For information on other Growing Forward programs, please visit [www.ontario.ca/growingforward](http://www.ontario.ca/growingforward) or call 1-888-479-3931.*

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