2025 Cost-Share Program Schedule

June/July 2024 CDCs inform Districts of program allocations.

July 1, 2024 2025 Cost-Share Program begins. Districts may begin approving practices

after Secondary Considerations have been approved by DCR.

July 2024 The Agricultural BMP Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) and its

Subcommittees begin meeting periodically through the end of the calendar

year.

September 30, 2024 End of First Quarter

Quarterly reports are due to CDCs by 10/15/2024, including requests for

disbursements in the second quarter.

December 31, 2024 End of Second Quarter

Quarterly reports are due to CDCs by 1/15/2025, including requests for

disbursements in the third quarter.

March 2025 Matrix of TAC and DCR-suggested recommendations for Program Year

2026 sent to Virginia Soil and Water Conservation Board for review and

potential approval.

March 31, 2025 End of Third Quarter

Quarterly reports are due to CDCs by 4/15/2025, including requests for

disbursements in the fourth quarter.

April 2025 Draft PY2026 VACS Manual sent to Virginia Soil and Water Conservation

Board for review and potential approval.

June 30, 2025 End of Program Year

All applications entered into the Conservation Application Suite are to be identified as: (1) Complete, <u>or</u> (2) Canceled, <u>or</u> (3) Carryover with an approved carryover date (only if practice is on the approved list and under construction). All completed projects must be paid by June 30, 2025. Final 2025 Cost-Share Program quarterly reports are due to CDCs by 7/15/2025.

NOTE: All BMP payment data for a quarter must be entered into the Conservation Application Suite by the 15th of the next month in order to qualify for a quarterly disbursement. Conservation Application Suite reports will be run by the DCR CDC on the 18th of the month.