



RIDEAU VALLEY RURAL CLEAN WATER PROGRAM

Pesticide/Chemical/ Fertilizer/Fuel Storage and Handling Facility

Project Intent: To prevent and/or contain potential surface water contamination of spills; To prevent groundwater contamination; To improve and/or provide safe storage or handling

Eligible Project Components

- ▶ Fertilizer/Pesticide/Chemical storage structures
- ▶ Fuel storage tanks/ structures
- ▶ Spill containment “catch” areas
- ▶ Sprayer mixing/cleaning sites
- ▶ Spill warning devices
- ▶ Anti-backflow devices on water supply lines
- ▶ Warning signs
- ▶ Emergency spill kit (specify contents)
- ▶ Upgrades (structural) on existing facilities
- ▶ Bollards/curbs

Technical Details/ Considerations

- ▶ A Environmental Farm Plan (third edition or newer) is required
- ▶ Chemical/fuel/pesticide storage buildings/structures must meet requirements of the Ontario *Pesticides Act*, *Ontario Water Resources Act*, Ontario's *Gasoline Handling Code* and the OBC where necessary. Incompatible chemicals shall not be stored in the same facility

- ▶ Spill containment must provide capacity for 110 percent of the storage facility
- ▶ An emergency exposure and spill plan must be submitted with the application

Eligible Costs

- ▶ Required permits and approvals
- ▶ Purchased materials
- ▶ Contract and professional labour/design

Ineligible Costs

- ▶ Labour and machinery use of the applicant, family dependants and the applicant's business
- ▶ Tax (HST)

It is the applicant's responsibility to meet all municipal, provincial and/or federal regulatory or legal requirements

Maximum Cost Share Available

50%

Maximum Grant

\$1,000

Questions? Contact RVCA at 613 692 3571 or 1 800 267-3504.

Note: Projects completed prior to contacting RVCA will not be eligible for funding.



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