

The following guidance was developed to inform and provide additional direction to department staff and cooperating foresters in the implementation of the **Wisconsin Forest Landowner Grant Program (WFLGP)**. The awarding of grants to non-industrial private forest (NIPF) landowners is authorized under Wis. Stats. s. 26.38. The proposed guidance includes revision to the regular and emergency not-to-exceed (NTE) rates for 8 of the 50 components listed in Chapter 60 of the Private Forestry (2470.5) Handbook.

This draft guidance was developed by the Private Lands Management Team (PLMT), which is comprised of department staff, a Cooperating Forester, a NIPF landowner, and a UW Extension Natural Resource Educator. The revisions to the guidance were at the request of partners and internal staff. Members of the PLMT reviewed the data and proposed increases to the NTE rates for 8 components including Forest Stewardship Plans 30 acres or less; hand planting of conifers, hardwoods and shrubs; and machine planting of conifers, hardwoods and shrubs planting.

We are now soliciting comments from the public on this guidance. The text highlighted in yellow on pages 31 through 46 in Chapter 60, have been revised since the last version of this guidance. Once the 21 day notice period is complete, all comments will be considered, revisions will be made to the guidance documents as needed, and final guidance will be made available to internal and external stakeholders. Comments related to this draft guidance document should be sent to Private Lands and Stewardship Specialist – Carol Nielsen at: carol.nielsen@wisconsin.gov

Practice: WFLGP 1

Landowner Forest Stewardship Plan Development

Priority 1

A. Purpose	The purpose of this practice is to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Document NIPF landowner objectives, management decisions, and recommended resource management practices • Provide NIPF landowners with a multi-disciplinary, action-oriented land management plan. 		
B. Program Policy	Apply this practice to forestland with existing tree cover and/or other rural lands suitable for conversion to program practices.		
C. Cost Share Policy	The following table provides C/S policies for this practice.		
	IF the component is:	AND the justification is:	THEN C/S is:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a new Landowner Forest Stewardship Plan • revision of a current land management plan if plan is more than 5 years old • a landowner new to WFLGP with an existing management plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • responsive to landowner objectives • action and multi-resources oriented • multidisciplinary in scope • developed by a cooperating forester or other natural resource professional approved by State Forester 	authorized.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a revision of a Landowner Forest Stewardship Plan less than 5 years old which previously received WFLGP funding • 		not authorized.
D. Specifications	<p>Minimum requirements for Forest Stewardship Plans are provided in this handbook page 60-24. Additional guidance on plans can be found in Chapter 21 of this handbook.</p> <p>Plans prepared for Managed Forest Law must be prepared by a Certified Plan Writer (CPW).</p>		
F. Technical Responsibility	Technical responsibility is assigned to DNR. The DNR forester must approve all plans.		

WFLGP 1 Components and Not to Exceed (NTE) Rates				
Component Code	Unit	Technical Component	NTE Rate (\$/Unit)	
			Regular (50%)	Emergency (60%)
TAAA	Acre	Preparation of new landowner Forest Stewardship Plan: 30 acres or less	23.00	27.60
TACA	Acre	Preparation of new landowner Forest Stewardship Plan: more than 30 acres	10.00	12.00
TAAB	Acre	Revision of existing management plan: 30 acres or less	23.00	27.60
TACB	Acre	Revision of existing management plan: more than 30 acres	10.00	12.00

Practice: WFLGP 2

Reforestation And Afforestation

Priority 1

A. Purpose	The purpose of this practice is to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish a stand of forest trees for conservation purposes and timber production • Perform follow-up treatments to assure success in establishing trees. • Sequester carbon 															
B. Program Policy	Apply this practice to rural lands suitable for growing trees.															
C. Cost Share Policy	The following table provides C/S policies for this practice															
IF the component is:	AND the justification is:	THEN C/S is:														
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plant material purchase and installation • Direct seeding • Site preparation • Prescribed burning (includes preparing firebreaks) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • that the component is only needed when it is essential to permit planting, direct seeding, or natural regeneration of desirable species 	authorized.														
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Erosion control measures incidental to and performed as part of the site preparation process 																
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seedling Protection e.g., bud caps, tree shelters (up to 150/ac) , perch poles (up to 1/ac), • Competition control (chemical or mechanical) • Mulch (natural or artificial) • Fencing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to enhance seedling survival and growth • for protection from fire, deer, and other pests 	authorized.														
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Under planting hardwoods in mature stands before or after harvest. Limited to stands of site index >60. 																
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practices that impair soil productivity • Erosion control measures that are not incidental to and not performed as a part of site preparation • Trees provided to the producer free of charge • Repeated prescribed burning on the same acreage (unless prescribed by the technician) • Fencing for livestock • Permanent firebreak construction • Gates • Practices that conflict with beneficial and historical grasslands • Windbreaks 		not authorized.														
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The purchase or establishment of plant materials 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for ornament, orchard, nursery or for Christmas tree production 	not authorized.														
D. Specifications	The DNR forester approves on-site specifications and how the work is to be carried out. Technical specifications and references for the practice are provided in/by Wisconsin DNR Forestry Handbooks, guidelines and staff specialist. Additional guidance is available in NRCS Practice Standards including: <u>NRCS Practice Standards</u> <table border="0" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Title</th> <th style="text-align: left; border-bottom: 1px solid black;">Number</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brush Management</td> <td>314</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Herbaceous Weed Control</td> <td>315</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fencing</td> <td>382</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Prescribed Burning</td> <td>338</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Site Prep</td> <td>490</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Establishment</td> <td>612</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Title	Number	Brush Management	314	Herbaceous Weed Control	315	Fencing	382	Prescribed Burning	338	Tree/Shrub Site Prep	490	Tree/Shrub Establishment	612
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E. Technical Responsibility	Technical responsibility for practice needs and performance is assigned to DNR forester. Practice layout and supervision may be by other resource professionals and technicians.															

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WFLGP 2 Components and Not to Exceed (NTE) Rates				
Component Code	Unit	Technical Component	NTE Rate (\$/Unit)	
			Regular (50%)	Emergency (60%)
TAAC	Acre	Site prep - light	43.00	51.60
TAAD	Acre	Site prep - medium	100.00	120.00
TAAE	Acre	Site prep – heavy	131.00	157.20
TAAF	Acre	Site prep - heavy equipment (to be used with TAAE)	248.00	297.60
TAAG	Acre	Site prep - prescribed burning	51.00	61.20
TAAH	Acre	Conifer tree planting –hand	391.00	469.20
TAAI	Acre	Conifer tree planting - machine	341.00	409.20
TAAJ	Acre	Hardwood tree planting – hand	595.00	714.00
TAAK	Acre	Hardwood tree planting - machine	545.00	654.00
TAAL	Acre	Shrub planting – hand	503.50	604.20
TAAM	Acre	Shrub planting - machine	453.50	544.20
TABU	Acre	Direct tree seeding – broadcast	125.00	150.00
TABV	Acre	Direct tree seeding – machine	95.00	114.00
TACC	Acre	Post planting vegetation control - light	50.00	60.00
TACD	Acre	Post planting vegetation control - medium	70.00	84.00
TACE	Acre	Post planting vegetation control - heavy	90.00	108.00
TACF	Acre	Chemical repellent	55.00	66.00
TACG	Linear Foot	Exclusion fencing	1.00	1.20
TACH	Acre	Seedling protection	450.00	540.00
TACI	Acre	Mowing	67.00	80.40
TACJ	Acre	Invasive plant control - light	250.00	300.00
TACK	Acre	Invasive plant control - medium	450.00	540.00
TACL	Acre	Invasive plant control - heavy	600.00	720.00
TACM	Acre	Invasive plant control - heavy equipment	600.00	720.00
TACN	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - light	250.00	300.00
TACO	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - medium	450.00	540.00
TACP	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - heavy	600.00	720.00
TACQ	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - heavy equipment	600.00	720.00

Practice: WFLGP 3

Forest Health and Improvement

Priority 1

<p>A. Purpose</p>	<p>The purpose of this practice is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase tree growth and/or quality • Improve and protect forest health. • Address invasive threats to forest reproduction and/or productivity. 															
<p>B. Program Policy</p>	<p>Apply this practice to forestland with existing tree cover.</p>															
<p>C. Cost Share Policy</p>	<p>The following table provides C/S policies for this practice.</p>															
<p>IF the component is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • release of crop trees • removal of competing vegetation • prescribed burning (includes preparing firebreaks) • crop tree pruning • reduce insect or disease threats • reduce fire risk or hazard • fencing • seedling protection e.g., bud caps, tree shelters (up to 150/ac) , perch poles (up to 1/ac), 	<p>AND the justification is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to improve species composition and timber quality • enhance forest health • other resource objectives which require manipulation of the existing stand of trees 	<p>THEN C/S is:</p> <p>authorized.</p>														
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repeated prescribed burning on the same acreage Note: Except if in the judgment of the technician, the treatment requires this practice. 		<p>not authorized.</p>														
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improvement of orchard, ornamental, nursery, or Christmas trees • Gates 																
<p>D. Specifications</p>	<p>The DNR forester approves on-site specifications and how the work is to be carried out. Technical specifications and references for the practice are provided in/by Wisconsin DNR Forestry Handbooks, guidelines and staff specialist. Additional guidance is available in NRCS Technical Standards including:</p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="2"><u>NRCS Practice Standards</u></th> </tr> <tr> <th><u>Title</u></th> <th><u>Number</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brush Management</td> <td>314</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Herbaceous Weed Control</td> <td>315</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Prescribed Burning</td> <td>338</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Pruning</td> <td>660</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Forest Stand Improvement</td> <td>666</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		<u>NRCS Practice Standards</u>		<u>Title</u>	<u>Number</u>	Brush Management	314	Herbaceous Weed Control	315	Prescribed Burning	338	Tree/Shrub Pruning	660	Forest Stand Improvement	666
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<p>E. Technical Responsibility</p>	<p>Technical responsibility for practice needs and performance is assigned to the DNR forester. Practice layout and supervision may be by other resource professionals and technicians</p>															

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Component Code	Unit	Technical Component	NTE Rate (\$/Unit)	
			Regular (50%)	Emergency (60%)
TAAT	Acre	Corrective pruning (limited to 100 tree/acre)	56.00	67.20
TAAU	Acre	Lateral pruning to 12 feet (limited to 100 trees/acre)	150.00	180.00
TAAV	Acre	Lateral pruning 13-17 feet (limited to 100 trees/acre)	50.00	60.00
TAAW	Acre	Crop Tree Release (limited to 100 trees/Acre)	101.00	121.20
TABY	Acre	Removal of dead or down fire hazard material	61.00	73.20
TAAC	Acre	Site prep - light	43.00	51.60
TAAD	Acre	Site prep - medium	100.00	120.00
TAAE	Acre	Site prep – heavy	131.00	157.20
TAAF	Acre	Site prep heavy equipment (to be used with TAAE)	248.00	297.60
TAAG	Acre	Site prep - prescribed burning	51.00	61.20
TAAH	Acre	Conifer tree planting – hand	391.00	469.20
TAAI	Acre	Conifer tree planting - machine	341.00	409.20
TAAJ	Acre	Hardwood tree planting – hand	595.00	714.00
TAAK	Acre	Hardwood tree planting - machine	545.00	654.00
TAAL	Acre	Shrub planting – hand	503.50	604.20
TAAM	Acre	Shrub planting - machine	453.50	544.20
TACJ	Acre	Invasive plant control - light	250.00	300.00
TACK	Acre	Invasive plant control - medium	450.00	540.00
TACL	Acre	Invasive plant control - heavy	600.00	720.00
TACM	Acre	Invasive plant control - heavy equipment	600.00	720.00
TACN	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - light	250.00	300.00
TACO	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - medium	450.00	540.00
TACP	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - heavy	600.00	720.00
TACQ	Acre	Invasive plant control follow up - heavy equipment	600.00	720.00
TACR	Acre	Insect and disease prevention and management - low	50.00	60.00
TACS	Acre	Insect and disease prevention and management -medium	500.00	600.00
TACT	Acre	Insect and disease prevention and management –high	1250.00	1500.00
TACU	Acre	Aggressive native plant control - light	250.00	300.00
TACV	Acre	Aggressive native plant control - medium	450.00	540.00
TACW	Acre	Aggressive native plant control - heavy	600.00	720.00

Practice: WFLGP 4

Soil and Water Protection and Improvement

Priority 1

<p>A. Purpose</p>	<p>The purpose of this practice is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain or improve water quality on forest land • Maintain soil productivity and prevent or control erosion on forest land • Prevent pollution during forestry activities 		
<p>B. Program Policy</p>	<p>Apply this practice to forestland and abandoned roads, trails, firebreaks, landings, and other forest area needing critical area treatment.</p>		
<p>C. Cost Share Policy</p>	<p>The following table provides C/S policies for this practice:</p>		
<p>IF the component is:</p>	<p>AND the justification is:</p>	<p>THEN C/S is:</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the establishment of permanent vegetative cover (tree and shrub planting and site preparation should be covered under WFLGP2) • control of competing or undesirable vegetation • the design and layout of forest roads, stream crossings, road drainage structures and streamside management areas • BMP's for stream crossings and cross drainage on roads and trails • Controlling surface water through reshaping • Mulching (natural or artificial) • Fertilizer, if necessary to establish cover • erosion control measures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to control erosion and sediment movement • to improve water quality • to close and rehabilitate abandoned roads, trails, firebreaks, landings and other areas needing critical area treatment • to foster soil development 	<p>authorized.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New road or trail construction or maintenance • bridge or culvert construction or maintenance • irrigation • gates 		<p>not authorized.</p>	

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<p>D. Specifications</p>	<p>Needed corrective measures, including seedbed preparation, seed, or shrubs, will be determined by the technician. The application and amount of fertilizers or lime will be determined locally. A soil test for forestry application may be necessary.</p> <p>Protective measures needed to control erosion until the practice is established must be performed. This may consist of stabilizing crops or mulches or diversions.</p> <p>The DNR forester or district conservationist approves on-site specifications and how the work is to be carried out.</p> <p>Technical specifications and references for the practice are provided in/by Wisconsin DNR Forestry Handbooks, guidelines and staff specialist. Additional guidance is available in NRCS Technical Standards including:</p> <p><u>NRCS Practice Standards</u></p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;"><u>Title</u></th> <th style="text-align: left;"><u>Number</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brush Management</td> <td>314</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Herbaceous Weed Control</td> <td>315</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Critical Area Seeding</td> <td>342</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Mulching</td> <td>484</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Access Roads</td> <td>560</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Forest Trails and Landings</td> <td>655</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Number</u>	Brush Management	314	Herbaceous Weed Control	315	Critical Area Seeding	342	Mulching	484	Access Roads	560	Forest Trails and Landings	655
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<p>E. Technical Responsibility</p>	<p>Technical responsibility is assigned to the district conservationist, DNR forester or other approved resource professional. Technical supervision may be provided by DNR forester and other qualified resource professionals. DNR forester retains approval and certification responsibility.</p>														

WFLGP 4 Components and Not to Exceed (NTE) Rates				
Component Code	Unit	Technical Component	NTE Rate (\$/Unit)	
			Regular (50%)	Emergency (60%)
TAAAY	Hour	Design and layout of forest roads, stream crossings and road drainage structures	63.00	75.60
TAAZ	Acre	Erosion control measures (i.e. matting or other barriers)	200.00	240.00
TABA	Acre	Native permanent vegetative cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	75.00	90.00
TABC	Acre	Non-native permanent vegetative cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	50.00	60.00
TABD	Hour	Drainage structure construction	63.00	75.60
TACC	Acre	Post planting vegetation control - light	50.00	60.00
TACD	Acre	Post planting vegetation control - medium	70.00	84.00
TACE	Acre	Post planting vegetation control - heavy	90.00	108.00
TACJ	Acre	Invasive plant control - light	250.00	300.00
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Practice: WFLGP 5

Wetland and Riparian Protection

Priority 2

<p>A. Purpose</p>	<p>The purpose of this practice is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protect, restore, and improve wetlands and riparian areas • Reduce sedimentation • Reduce stream bank degradation • Improve water quality • Restore productivity 																				
<p>B. Program Policy</p>	<p>Apply this practice to forestland with existing tree cover or other rural lands capable of supporting forest wetlands or riparian buffers.</p>																				
<p>C. Cost Share Policy</p>	<p>The following table provides C/S policies for this practice:</p>																				
<p>IF the component is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a forest buffer • the restoration of original hydrology • the establishment of permanent vegetative cover • fertilizer • prescribed burning (includes preparing firebreaks) 	<p>AND the justification is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * to protect, restore, or improve wetlands and riparian areas * to improve water quality, and fish and wildlife habitat * to reduce stream bank degradation * to restore productive capability of wetland and riparian forests including timber, wildlife, and water resources 	<p>THEN C/S is:</p> <p>authorized.</p>																			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one that would directly or indirectly result in the loss of wetlands • one that would impair wetland or riparian functions and values • irrigation • permanent firebreak construction and maintenance • gates 		<p>not authorized.</p>																			
<p>D. Specifications</p>	<p>The DNR forester, NRCS or District Conservationist will approves on-site specifications and how the work is to be carried out.</p> <p>Technical specifications and references for the practice are provided in/by Wisconsin DNR Forestry Handbooks, guidelines and staff specialist. Additional guidance is available in NRCS Technical Standards including:</p> <p><u>NRCS Practice Standards</u></p> <table border="0" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: left;"><u>Title</u></th> <th style="text-align: right;"><u>Number</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brush Management</td> <td style="text-align: right;">314</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Herbaceous Weed Control</td> <td style="text-align: right;">315</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Prescribed Burning</td> <td style="text-align: right;">338</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Critical Area Seeding</td> <td style="text-align: right;">342</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Riparian Forest Buffer</td> <td style="text-align: right;">391</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Streambank and Shoreline Protection</td> <td style="text-align: right;">580</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Site Prep</td> <td style="text-align: right;">490</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Establishment</td> <td style="text-align: right;">612</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			<u>Title</u>	<u>Number</u>	Brush Management	314	Herbaceous Weed Control	315	Prescribed Burning	338	Critical Area Seeding	342	Riparian Forest Buffer	391	Streambank and Shoreline Protection	580	Tree/Shrub Site Prep	490	Tree/Shrub Establishment	612
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TAAC	Acre	Site prep - light	43.00	51.60
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TACH	Acre	Seedling protection	450.00	540.00
TAAZ	Acre	Erosion Control Measures (i.e. matting or other barriers)	200.00	240.00
TABA	Acre	Native Permanent Vegetative Cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	75.00	90.00
TABC	Acre	Non-Native Permanent Vegetative Cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	50.00	60.00
TAAQ	Acre	Control of competing and undesirable vegetation - chemical	73.00	87.60
TAAR	Acre	Control of competing and undesirable vegetation - mechanical	94.00	112.80

Practice: WFLGP 6

Wildlife Habitat Enhancement

Priority 2

<p>A. Purpose</p>	<p>The purpose of this practice is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restore, improve, or establish permanent wildlife habitat 		
<p>B. Program Policy</p>	<p>Apply this practice for wildlife habitat improvement on forest and associated lands.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landowners principally engaged in commercial wildlife "put and take" operations are ineligible for WFLGP 6. 		
<p>C. Cost Share Policy</p>	<p>The following table provides C/S policies for this practice:</p>		
<p>IF the component is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • permanent wildlife planting • creation of forest openings • control of undesirable plant species • vegetative thinning for wildlife • wildlife wetland habitat management • wildlife corridors • seedling protection e.g., bud caps, tree shelters (up to 150/ac) , perch poles (up to 1/ac), • prescribed burning (includes preparing firebreaks) • fencing 	<p>AND the justification is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * to improve or restore existing wildlife habitat * to create new wildlife habitat 	<p>THEN C/S is:</p> <p>authorized.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one that would have an adverse effect on any threatened or endangered species • water facilities to benefit livestock • structure for human benefit • supplementing a "put and take" wildlife operation • pond installation • permanent firebreak construction and maintenance • gates 	<p style="background-color: #cccccc;"></p>	<p>not authorized.</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repeated prescribed burning on the same acreage <p>Note: Except if in the judgment of the technician, the treatment requires this practice.</p>	<p style="background-color: #cccccc;"></p>	<p>not authorized</p>	

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<p>D. Specifications</p>	<p>The DNR forester or district conservationist or other approved resource professional will approve on-site specifications and indicate how the work is to be carried out.</p> <p>Technical specifications and references for the practice are provided in/by Wisconsin DNR Forestry Handbooks, guidelines and staff specialist. Additional guidance is available in NRCS Technical Standards including:</p> <p><u>NRCS Practice Standards</u></p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th><u>Title</u></th> <th><u>Number</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Brush Management</td> <td>314</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Herbaceous Weed Control</td> <td>315</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Prescribed Burning</td> <td>338</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Fencing</td> <td>382</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Site Prep</td> <td>490</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Tree/Shrub Establishment</td> <td>612</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Wetland Wildlife Habitat</td> <td>644</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Upland Wildlife Habitat</td> <td>645</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Number</u>	Brush Management	314	Herbaceous Weed Control	315	Prescribed Burning	338	Fencing	382	Tree/Shrub Site Prep	490	Tree/Shrub Establishment	612	Wetland Wildlife Habitat	644	Upland Wildlife Habitat	645
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WFLGP 6 Components and Not to Exceed (NTE) Rates				
Component Code	Unit	Technical Component	NTE Rate (\$/Unit)	
			Regular (50%)	Emergency (60%)
TAAC	Acre	Site prep - light	43.00	51.60
TAAD	Acre	Site prep - medium	100.00	120.00
TAAE	Acre	Site prep – heavy	131.00	157.20
TAAF	Acre	Site prep - heavy equipment (to be used with TAAE)	248.00	297.60
TAAG	Acre	Site prep - prescribed burning	51.00	61.20
TAAH	Acre	Conifer tree planting – hand	391.00	469.20
TAAI	Acre	Conifer tree planting - machine	341.00	409.20
TAAJ	Acre	Hardwood tree planting – hand	595.00	714.00
TAAK	Acre	Hardwood tree planting - machine	545.00	654.00
TAAL	Acre	Shrub planting – hand	503.50	604.20
TAAM	Acre	Shrub planting - machine	453.50	544.20
TAAQ	Acre	Control of competing and undesirable vegetation - chemical	73.00	87.60
TAAR	Acre	Control of competing and undesirable vegetation - mechanical	94.00	112.80
TABA	Acre	Native permanent vegetative cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	75.00	90.00
TABU	Acre	Direct tree seeding – broadcast	125.00	150.00
TABV	Acre	Direct tree seeding – machine	95.00	114.00
TACF	Acre	Chemical Repellants	55.00	66.00
TACG	Linear Foot	Exclusion fencing	1.00	1.20
TACH	Acre	Seedling protection	450.00	540.00

Practice: WFLGP 7

Priority 2

Endangered, or Threatened Resources, Rare Natural Community, Historic, Cultural and Archeological Protection, Restoration, Enhancement and Maintenance

A. Purpose	The purpose of this practice is to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restore, protect, enhance, and/or maintain threatened or endangered native flora or fauna and their unique habitats and communities. • Protect and maintain historic, cultural and archeological site. 		
B. Program Policy	Apply this practice for habitat improvement and the recovery of threatened and endangered species or rare communities		
C. Cost Share Policy	The following table provides C/S policies for this practice:		
IF the component is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • modification or establishment of habitat for threatened and endangered species of flora, fauna or aquatic species • site preparation • prescribed burning • competition control (chemical or mechanical) • fencing • site inventory • erosion control measures incidental to and performed as part of the site preparation process • establishment of permanent vegetative cover 	AND the justification is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to protect, restore, enhance, or maintain habitat for threatened and endangered species • to protect and maintain historic, cultural and archeological sites on the property 	THEN C/S is: authorized.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one that would have an adverse effect on any threatened or endangered species • practices that impair soil productivity • water facilities to benefit livestock • structure for human benefit • pond installation • gates 		not authorized.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • repeated prescribed burning on the same acreage* *Note: <u>Except if in the judgment of the technician, the treatment requires this practice.</u>		not authorized	

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TAAD	Acre	Site prep - medium	100.00	120.00
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TAAF	Acre	Site prep - heavy equipment (to be used with TAAE)	248.00	297.60
TAAG	Acre	Site prep - prescribed burning	51.00	61.20
TAAH	Acre	Conifer tree planting – hand	391.00	469.20
TAAI	Acre	Conifer tree planting - machine	341.00	409.20
TAAJ	Acre	Hardwood tree planting – hand	595.00	714.00
TAAK	Acre	Hardwood tree planting - machine	545.00	654.00
TAAL	Acre	Shrub planting – hand	503.50	604.20
TAAM	Acre	Shrub planting - machine	453.50	544.20
TAAQ	Acre	Control of competing and undesirable vegetation - chemical	73.00	87.60
TAAR	Acre	Control of competing and undesirable vegetation - mechanical	94.00	112.80
TABU	Acre	Direct tree seeding – broadcast	125.00	150.00
TABV	Acre	Direct tree seeding – machine	95.00	114.00
TABA	Acre	Native permanent vegetative cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	150	75
TACF	Acre	Chemical repellent	55.00	66.00
TACG	Linear Foot	Exclusion fencing	1.00	1.20
TACH	Acre	Seedling protection	450.00	540.00

Component Code Index and Description Table

Many component codes appear under multiple practices, both priority 1 and priority 2. When assigning a component code be sure the correct practice (i.e. WFLGP 2 vs. WFLGP 3, etc.) is being used based on the purpose and intent of the treatment. NA means “not applicable”, there are no practices under the priority.

<u>Code</u>	<u>Component Title</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Priority 1 Practices</u>	<u>Priority 2 Practices</u>	<u>NTE Regular (\$/unit)</u>	<u>NTE Emergency (\$/unit)</u>
	Description					
TAAA	Preparation of new landowner Forest Stewardship Plan (FSP): 30 acres or less	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 1	NA	23.00	27.60
	<p>This component code should be used for the preparation of a new landowner Forest Stewardship Plan covering 30 acres or less. Landowners with an existing plan that is more than 5 years old should have a new plan prepared for them and this code should be used.</p> <p>If a landowner is applying for a LFSP and other practices on the same application, such as tree planting, the LFSP must be completed prior to the landowner receiving <u>ANY</u> cost-share reimbursement. If the DNR forester deems it necessary to complete the other practice prior to the completion of the LFSP a practice plan may be used to temporarily satisfy the plan requirement. However, the landowner cannot receive any payment, partial or final, until the DNR forester has approved the LFSP.</p> <p>Minimum standards for a FSP can be found on page 60-24 of this handbook. Additional guidance on plans can be found in Chapter 21 of this handbook. Plans should be written to address a time period of 10 years or more. Plans must be approved by the DNR forester.</p>					
TAAB	Revision of existing management plan: 30 acres or less	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 1	NA	23.00	27.60
	<p>This component code should be used for updating and revising an existing management plan of 30 acres or less. The plan being revised is 5 years old or less. If the plan is older use component code TAAA above. In order to be eligible for cost-share the original plan must not have received WFLGP cost-share reimbursement.</p> <p>If a landowner is applying for a FSP and other practices on the same application, such as tree planting, the FSP must be completed prior to the landowner receiving <u>ANY</u> cost-share reimbursement. If the DNR forester deems it necessary to complete the other practice prior to the completion of the FSP a practice plan may be used to temporarily satisfy the plan requirement. However, the landowner cannot receive any payment, partial or final, until the DNR forester has approved the FSP.</p> <p>Minimum standards for a FSP can be found on page 60-24 of this handbook. Additional guidance on plans can be found in Chapter 21 of this handbook. Plans should be written to address a time period of 10 years or more. Plans must be approved by the DNR forester.</p>					
TAAC	Site prep - light	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	43.00	51.60
	<p>This component code should be used when the site consists of competition that will have minimal impact on the survival of new seedlings. Competition is mostly herbaceous. Practices cost-shared under this component code may include initial herbicide applications, tilling and mowing.</p>					
TAAD	Site prep - medium	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	100.00	120.00
	<p>This component code should be used when the site consists of competition that will considerably hinder any new seedlings to survive. Competition consists of heavy herbaceous cover or a mixture of herbaceous and woody cover.</p>					

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	Description					
TAAE	Site prep – heavy	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	131.00	157.20
	This component code should be used for sites which consist of competition that will not allow any new seedlings to survive including when hand spraying will be used. Competition consists of intense continuous cover including woody and perennial vegetation.					
TAAF	Site prep - heavy equipment (to be used with TAAE)	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	248.00	297.60
	This component code should be used in combination with TAAE when it is necessary to use heavy equipment such as brush mowers, dozers, anchor chains, etc. for prepping the site.					
TAAG	Site prep - prescribed burning	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	51.00	61.20
	This component code should be used when fire is used to aid in controlling competition prior to the planting or natural regeneration of new seedlings. In existing forests, consideration must be given and provisions made to protect existing desirable trees from fire damage. Includes preparation of fire breaks (e.g., mowing or disking).					
TAAH	Conifer tree planting - hand	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	391.00	469.20
	This component code is used for purchasing and hand planting conifer seedlings. The NTEs were based on planting 1,000 trees per acre. If fewer trees are planted adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAI	Conifer tree planting - machine	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	341.00	409.20
	This component code is used for purchasing and machine planting conifer seedlings. The NTEs were based on planting 1,000 trees per acre. If fewer trees are planted adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAJ	Hardwood tree planting - hand	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	595.00	714.00
	This component code is used for purchasing and hand planting hardwood seedlings. The NTEs were based on planting 1,000 trees per acre. If fewer trees are planted adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAK	Hardwood tree planting - machine	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	545.00	654.00
	This component code is used for purchasing and machine planting hardwood seedlings. The NTEs were based on planting 1,000 trees per acre. If fewer trees are planted adjust cost-share amount as needed.					

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	Description					
TAAL	Shrub planting - hand	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	503.50	604.20
	This component code is used for purchasing and hand planting shrub seedlings. The NTEs were based on planting 1,000 seedlings per acre. If fewer seedlings are planted adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAM	Shrub planting - machine	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	453.50	544.20
	This component code is used for purchasing and machine planting shrub seedlings. The NTEs were based on planting 1,000 seedlings per acre. If fewer seedlings are planted adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAQ	Control of competing and undesired vegetation - chemical	Acre (AC)	NA	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	73.00	87.60
	This component code is used for chemical treatment of undesirable vegetation.					
TAAR	Control of competing and undesired vegetation - mechanical	Acre (AC)	NA	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	94.00	112.80
	This component code is used for mechanical treatment of undesirable vegetation.					
TAAT	Corrective pruning	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	56.00	67.20
	This component code is used for corrective pruning usually in young hardwood saplings and poles on no more than 100 potential crop trees per acre. This practice is conducted to assure growth of trees with straight, dominant leaders and strong branching structure. Cost-share is limited to pruning of 100 trees/acre. The NTEs were based on pruning 100 trees per acre. If fewer trees are pruned adjust cost-share amount as needed. May be implemented up to 3 times on same acreage.					
TAAU	Lateral pruning - 12 ft.	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	150.00	180.00
	This component code is used for the initial pruning to 12 feet on no more than 100 potential crop trees per acre. This component code may be combined with TAAV for completion at the same time. Cost-share is limited to pruning of 100 trees/acre. The NTEs were based on pruning 100 trees per acre. If fewer trees are pruned adjust cost-share amount as needed.					

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	Description					
TAAV	Lateral pruning – 13 - 17 ft.	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	50.00	60.00
	This component code is used for follow-up pruning on the previously pruned crop trees to 17 feet. This may be done in conjunction with the initial pruning cost-shared using component code TAAU. Cost-share is limited to pruning of 100 trees/acre. The NTEs were based on pruning 100 trees per acre. If fewer trees are pruned adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAW	Crop tree release	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	101.00	121.20
	This component code is used for the control or removal of trees and vines competing with a future identified crop trees. Cost-share is limited to release of 100 trees/acre. The NTEs were based on releasing 100 trees per acre. If fewer trees are released adjust cost-share amount as needed.					
TAAZ	Design and layout of forest roads, stream crossings and road drainage structures	Hour (HR)	WFLGP 4	NA	63.00	75.60
	This component code is used for the professional design and layout of forest roads, stream crossings and road drainage structures including type, location and number of road drainage structures. Design and layout may include written maps/plans and on the ground layout. See chapter 4 and 5 of Wisconsin's Forestry BMPs for Water Quality Field Manual (Pub FR-093).					
TAAZ	Erosion control measures (i.e. matting or other barriers)	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 4	WFLGP 5	200.00	240.00
	This component code is used for purchase and installation of erosion control and soil stabilization material including mulch and erosion control netting. See chapter 4 and appendix E of Wisconsin's Forestry BMPs for Water Quality Field Manual (Pub FR-093).					
TABA	Native permanent vegetative cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 4	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	75.00	90.00
	This component code is used for establishing native permanent vegetative cover other than trees and shrubs. See appendix D of Wisconsin's Forestry BMPs for Water Quality Field Manual (Pub FR-093) for more information on seed mixes.					
TABC	Non-native permanent vegetative cover (seedbed prep, seed mixture, fertilizer, liming, seeding)	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 4	WFLGP 5	50.00	60.00
	This component code is used for establishing non-native permanent vegetative cover other than trees and shrubs. See appendix D of Wisconsin's Forestry BMPs for Water Quality Field Manual (Pub FR-093) for more information on seed mixes.					
TABD	Drainage structure construction	Hour (HR)	WFLGP 4	NA	63.00	75.60
	This component code is used for the installation of road drainage structures including broad-based dips, diversion ditches and water bars. See chapter 4 of Wisconsin's Forestry BMPs for Water Quality Field Manual (Pub FR-093).					

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	Description					
TABU	Direct tree seeding - broadcast	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	125.00	150.00
	This component code is used for activities involved with manually sowing shrub, conifer and/or hardwood seeds.					
TABV	Direct tree seeding - machine	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	95.00	114.00
	This component code is used for activities involved with mechanically sowing shrub, conifer and/or hardwood seeds.					
TABY	Removal of dead or down fire hazard material	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	61.00	73.20
	This component code is used for activities associated with the removal of potential fuel sources primarily in high fire prone fire landscapes.					
TACA	Preparation new landowner Forest Stewardship Plan (FSP): more than 30 acres	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 1	NA	10.00	12.00
	<p>This component code should be used for the preparation of a new landowner Forest Stewardship Plan covering more than 30 acres. Landowners with an existing plan that is more than 5 years old should have a new plan prepared for them and this code should be used</p> <p>If a landowner is applying for a FSP and other practices on the same application, such as tree planting, the FSP must be completed prior to the landowner receiving ANY cost-share reimbursement. If the DNR forester deems it necessary to complete the other practice prior to the completion of the FSP, a practice plan may be used to temporarily satisfy the plan requirement. However, the landowner cannot receive any payment, partial or final, until the DNR forester has approved the FSP.</p> <p>Minimum standards for a FSP can be found on page 60-24 of this handbook. Additional guidance on plans can be found in Chapter 21 of this handbook. Plans should be written to address a time period of 10 years or more. Plans must be approved by the DNR forester.</p>					
TACB	Revision of existing management plan: more than 30 acres	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 1	NA	10.00	12.00
	<p>This component code should be used for updating and revising an existing management plan of more than 30 acres. The plan being revised is 5 years old or less. If the plan is older use component code TACB above. In order to be eligible for cost-share the original plan must not have received WFLGP cost-share reimbursement.</p> <p>If a landowner is applying for a FSP and other practices on the same application, such as tree planting, the FSP must be completed prior to the landowner receiving ANY cost-share reimbursement. If the DNR forester deems it necessary to complete the other practice prior to the completion of the FSP, a practice plan may be used to temporarily satisfy the plan requirement. However, the landowner cannot receive any payment, partial or final, until the DNR forester has approved the FSP.</p> <p>Minimum standards for a FSP can be found on page 60-24 of this handbook. Additional guidance on plans can be found in Chapter 21 of this handbook. Plans should be written to address a time period of 10 years or more. Plans must be approved by the DNR forester.</p>					

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	Description					
TACC	Post planting vegetation control - light	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 4	NA	50.00	60.00
	This component code is used for chemical control on a planted site that will continue to have competition that will have minimal impact on the survival of new seedlings. Competition is mostly herbaceous.					
TACD	Post planting vegetation control - medium	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 4	NA	70.00	84.00
	This component code is used for chemical control on a planted site that will continue to have competition that will considerably hinder the survival of new seedlings. Competition consists of heavy herbaceous cover or a mixture of herbaceous and woody cover.					
TACE	Post planting vegetation control - heavy	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 4	NA	90.00	108.00
	This component code is used for chemical control on a planted site that will continue to have competition that will not allow the new seedlings to survive. Competition consists of intense continuous cover including woody and perennial vegetation.					
TACF	Chemical repellent	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2	WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	55.00	66.00
	This component code is used to cost-share activities associated with the use of chemical repellants for tree seedling/sapling protection.					
TACG	Exclusion fencing	Linear Foot (LF)	WFLGP 2	WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	1.00	1.20
	This component code is used to cost-share exclusion fencing (including movable fencing) intended to protect desired regeneration or planting from damage by wildlife. It is not intended for fencing to keep the domestic livestock, kids, neighbors or trespassers out.					
TACH	Seedling protection	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2	WFLGP 5 WFLGP 6 WFLGP 7	450.00	540.00
	This component code is used for purchasing and installing devices that protect tree seedlings/saplings. Tree shelters are limited to 150 per acre. Perch poles are limited to no more than 1 per acre. Additional devices may include: bud caps, photodegradable wrapping, etc. Use of this component will be based on local knowledge and discussion with wildlife experts to determine best and most cost effective protection methods.					
TACI	Mowing	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2	NA	67.00	80.40
	This component code is used for mowing to reduce vegetative competition around planted trees and to minimize damage to trees from rodents and other herbivores. This practice is not to be used for aesthetic purposes. Cost-sharing of this activity is limited to 3 mowings per season. The NTEs are based on mowing 3 times per season. Cost-share rates should be adjusted if fewer mowings are needed or possible within a season. Cost-shared mowing shall be discontinued once the regeneration is considered established.					

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	Description					
TACJ	Invasive plant control - light	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	250.00	300.00
	This component code is not intended to be used for eradicating invasive species, but to decrease competition from invasive plant species until a suitable stand is established. Light control of invasive plants should be used for low-medium cost activities occurring on a property with low to medium invasive species cover. See Appendix F for guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.					
TACK	Invasive plant control - medium	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	450.00	540.00
	This component code is not intended to be used for eradicating invasive species, but to decrease competition from invasive plant species until a suitable stand is established. Medium control of invasive plants should be used for medium to high cost activities occurring on a property with medium to high invasive species cover. See Appendix F for guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.					
TACL	Invasive plant control - heavy	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	600.00	720.00
	This component code is not intended to be used for eradicating invasive species, but to decrease competition from invasive plant species until a suitable stand is established. Heavy control of invasive plants should be used for high cost activities occurring on a property with high invasive species cover. Use either TACL or TACM not both on the same areas. See Appendix F for guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.					
TACM	Invasive plant control - heavy equipment	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	600.00	720.00
	This component code is not intended to be used for eradicating invasive species, but to decrease competition from invasive plant species until a suitable stand is established. Heavy equipment control of invasive plants should be used for high cost activities occurring on a property with high invasive species cover and involves the use of heavy equipment such as brush mowers, dozers, etc. Heavy equipment always equates with high cost and high cover. In fact, cover has less to do with cost, than does the ruggedness (slope, debris, rocks, wetness, etc.) of the site. Use either TACL or TACM not both on the same acres. See Appendix F for guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.					

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	Description					
TACN	Invasive plant control follow up - light	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	250.00	300.00
	<p>This component code should be used for follow up treatments necessary to meet the goal of the initial treatment cost-shared using TACJ, TACK, TACL or TACM. DNR foresters should use their best judgment in determining whether follow up treatments are necessary to successfully complete the desired outcome. Follow Up - Light should be used for low-medium cost activities occurring on a property with low to medium invasive species cover.</p> <p>See Appendix F for additional guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.</p>					
TACO	Invasive plant control follow up - medium	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	450.00	540.00
	<p>This component code should be used for follow up treatments necessary to meet the goal of the initial treatment cost-shared using TACJ, TACK, TACL or TACM. DNR foresters should use their best judgment in determining whether follow up treatments are necessary to successfully complete the desired outcome. Follow Up - Medium should be used for medium to high cost activities occurring on a property with medium to high invasive species cover.</p> <p>See Appendix F for additional guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.</p>					
TACP	Invasive plant control follow up - heavy	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	600.00	720.00
	<p>This component code should be used for follow up treatments necessary to meet the goal of the initial treatment cost-shared using TACJ, TACK, TACL or TACM. DNR foresters should use their best judgment in determining whether follow up treatments are necessary to successfully complete the desired outcome. Follow Up - Heavy should be used for high cost activities occurring on a property with high invasive species cover.</p> <p>See Appendix F for additional guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.</p>					
TACQ	Invasive plant control follow up - heavy equipment	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 2 WFLGP 3 WFLGP 4	NA	600.00	720.00
	<p>This component code should be used for follow up treatments necessary to meet the goal of the initial treatment cost-shared using TACJ, TACK, TACL or TACM. DNR foresters should use their best judgment in determining whether follow up treatments are necessary to successfully complete the desired outcome. Follow Up - Heavy Equipment should be used for high cost activities occurring on a property with high invasive species cover and involves the use of heavy equipment such as brush mowers, dozers, etc.</p> <p>See Appendix F for additional guidance on using WFLGP funds for invasive plant activities.</p>					

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	Description					
TACR	Insect and disease prevention and management - low	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	50.00	60.00
	<p>This component code should be used for low cost activities that will minimize the risk of forest pest introduction or that will reduce the damaging population of forest pests. Example activities include fungicide application on cut stumps to prevent annosum root rot, tree wound dressing application on cut stumps to prevent oak wilt transmission, aerial/ground pesticide application or oiling of gypsy moth egg masses.</p> <p>See Appendix G for additional guidance for using WFLGP funds for insect and disease activities.</p>					
TACS	Insect and disease prevention and management - medium	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	500.00	600.00
	<p>This component code should be used for medium cost activities that will minimize the risk of forest pest introduction or that will reduce the damaging population of forest pests. Example activities include removal of dead/dying trees damaged by forest pests, reduction of susceptible host materials when a pest is present or predicted, practices that will reduce the risk of significant damage caused by forest pests in new plantings or practices that will promote regeneration of resistant tree species.</p> <p>See Appendix G for additional guidance for using WFLGP funds for insect and disease activities.</p>					
TACT	Insect and disease prevention and management - high	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	1250.00	1500.00
	<p>This component code should be used for high cost activities that will minimize the risk of forest pest introduction or that will reduce the damaging population of forest pests. An example activity would be trenching to prevent the spread of oak wilt.</p> <p>See Appendix G for additional guidance for using WFLGP funds for insect and disease activities.</p>					
TACU	Aggressive native plant control - light	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	250.00	300.00
	<p>This component code should be used to decrease competition from aggressive native plants, including vines, to allow a stand to become established. Activities and factors involved with determining the use of this code will be similar to those for invasive plant control.</p>					
TACV	Aggressive native plant control - medium	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	450.00	540.00
	<p>This component code should be used to decrease competition from aggressive native plants, including vines, to allow a stand to become established. Activities and factors involved with determining the use of this code will be similar to those for invasive plant control.</p>					
TACW	Aggressive native plant control - heavy	Acre (AC)	WFLGP 3	NA	600.00	720.00
	<p>This component code should be used to decrease competition from aggressive native plants, including vines, to allow a stand to become established. Activities and factors involved with determining the use of this code will be similar to those for invasive plant control.</p>					