

Illinois Conservation Story Map - STORY Submission Form

Directions: Use this form to submit stories about farmers using conservation and best management practices geared at water quality on their farms. Please fill out this form with the relevant information that you would like to share, and email it to April Opatik, American Farmland Trust, aopatik@farmland.org

Name of farmer/landowner:

Organization(s) involved:

Story location (County):

Story Title (50 characters max):

Programs utilized (cost-share, other support):

Story text (3-4 sentences max. No special characters):

Link to organization website or specific project site:

Name and contact information for program point person:

Please select which Best Management Practices (BMPs) are highlighted in your story:

Bioreactor

Buffer (filter strips, grassed waterways, riparian buffers)

Cover Crops

Drainage Water Management (water control structure at the end of tile to hold water back)

Nutrient management ("4R's": Right Source, Right Rate, Right Time, and Right Place, nitrogen inhibitors, etc.)

Soil Health Monitoring

Soil Nutrient Testing

Tillage practices (Strip or No-till)

Water Nutrient Testing

Wetland

Type of site:

Private

Open to public

Photos should be emailed with this form as a .JPEG or .PNG, and should be less than 200KB in size.

Videos should be uploaded to YouTube. YouTube link here:

Please select the watershed in which your story takes place. A map is provided on the following page.

Apple-Plum	Lower Sangamon
Bear-Wyaconda	Lower Wabash
Big Muddy	Mackinaw
Cache	Macoupin
Cahokia-Joachim	Middle Kaskaskia
Chicago	Middle Rock
Copperas-Duck	Middle Wabash-Busseron
Des Plaines	Middle Wabash-Little Vermilion
Embarras	Pecatonica
Flint-Henderson	Peruque-Piasa
Green	Pike-Root
Highland-Pigeon	Saline
Iroquois	Salt
Kankakee	Shoal
Kishwaukee	Skillet
La Moine	South Fork Sangamon
Lake Michigan	Spoon
Little Calumet-Galien	Sugar
Little Wabash	The Sny
Lower Fox	Upper Fox
Lower Illinois	Upper Illinois
Lower Illinois-Lake Chatauqua	Upper Kaskaskia
Lower Illinois-Senachwine Lake	Upper Mississippi-Cape Girardeau
Lower Kaskaskia	Upper Sangamon
Lower Ohio	Vermilion (Illinois basin)
Lower Ohio-Bay	Vermilion (Wabash basin)
Lower Rock	

