



### **3. The WAY: Watershed Forestry Program Funding Contract**

Administered by the Watershed Alliance of York

Date

Implementation Partner

C/O

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Please review, sign, and return this contract to **Watershed Alliance of York (WAY)** at the address below with a copy of the signed **Landowner Agreement, Planting Plan, and Map**. Upon receipt of this signed contract and email approval notice from WAY, your project will begin, and funding will be dispersed to your organization.

#### Program Description and Project Guidelines

As the recipient of riparian forest buffer establishment funds, please review **The WAY: Watershed Forestry Program Description and Project Guidelines** document prior to signing the contract.

#### Funding Recipient Responsibilities

The recipient of funds must provide the following to receive funds:

- Provide the signed **Landowner Agreement** between the landowner of the site where the tree planting is to be installed and the partner organization;
- Provide a final planting plan for the site, approved by WAY.
- Agree to install \_\_\_ acres of riparian forest buffer on project named: \_\_\_\_\_;
- Agree to manage all aspects of the installation of the tree planting;
- **Complete and submit a post-planting report within 60 days of planting date to WAY**, that includes a final map of planted acres, a stem count, and one to three site reference photos that reflect the originally approved project application;
- Ensure riparian buffer maintenance is upheld for the duration of the six-year **Landowner Agreement**.

#### Watershed Alliance of York's Responsibilities

As the administrator of the funding, WAY will provide a pre-planting **award of \$6,000 per acre of unique riparian forest buffer to the implementation partner** upon receipt of this signed contract.

Total payment for the project named: \_\_\_\_\_ is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

In providing this funding, WAY assumes no obligation to provide further funding or support to the funding recipient (implementation partner) beyond the terms stated in this contract.

Amendments

During the implementation time of the project, any modification to the project must be discussed with WAY. Contact WAY at (717) 840-7430. Once the change is approved, please submit the change in writing.

Cancellation

If you are unable to complete your proposed project, contact the Watershed Alliance of York immediately so funding may be redistributed.

Contract Details

The project \_\_\_\_\_ **[NAME]**, which is for the implementation of \_\_\_ acres of riparian buffer planting will begin with the signing of this contract and will end \_\_\_\_\_ **[DATE- 6 years after signing]**. After you have agreed to comply with the above contract goals, please sign and return to Watershed Alliance of York, using the address below.

Please also provide the following for the Implementation Partner organization:

**EIN:** \_\_\_\_\_ **and** **IRC Section:** \_\_\_\_\_ 501(c)3 \_\_\_\_\_

*We are looking forward to working with you to complete this project.*

**Funding Recipient**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

This section to be completed by WAY only
_____ Authorized Signature, President
_____ Authorized Signature, Secretary
_____ Date

Return this agreement to:  
Watershed Alliance of York  
2401 Pleasant Valley Road | York, PA 17402  
Phone: 717.840.7430