



# Conservation Reserve Program



## Status—July 31, 2007

### Current Enrollment

General	32.94 mil. ac.
Continuous (non-CREP)	2.89 mil. ac.
<u>CREP</u>	<u>.96 mil. ac.</u>
Total	36.79 mil. ac. 1/

Last General Sign-up #33, Mar/Apr 2006, 883,000 acres, \$53.44/ac.

FY 2007 Continuous Sign-up #35, 163,000 ac., 24% below '06. The lowest July activity (9,000 acres) since 1999. Includes unknown, but small number of 9/30/2007 expiring contracts.

### Re-enrollment and Extension (REX)

2007-Expiring Contracts	13.6 mil. ac. to stay in program (86% of eligible)
'08-'10-Expiring Contracts	9.4 mil. ac. to stay in program (78% of eligible)
Total Declining REX	4.8 mil. ac.

### Sept. 2007-Expiring Contracts

Declining REX	2.1 mil. ac.
<u>Continuous/CREP</u>	<u>0.3 mil. ac.</u>
Total	2.5 mil. ac. 2/

Initiatives	Practice Code	In July (Acres)	Cumulative (Acres)
Upland bird habitat buffers	CP33	1,722	161,716
Bottomland hardwood trees	CP31	50	36,409
Non-flood plain/playa wetlands	CP23a	48	28,765
Flood-plain wetlands	CP23	565	106,265
Longleaf pine plantings	CP36	1,351	10,558
Prairie pothole duck nesting habitat	CP37	234	5,175

Performance Measures	Practice Codes (CP's)	Cumulative (Acres)		Year-to-Date (Acres)
		9/30/2006	Current	
Conservation buffers	13,21,22,29	1,860,336	1,903,935	43,599
Wetland restorations	9,23,23a,27,28,30,31,37	2,029,703	2,069,253	36,550

1/ Includes 13,000 ac. of continuous sign-up 35 with contracts starting 10/1/2007 (FY 2008).

2/ Technically 5.1 mil. ac. expire, but 2.6 mil. ac. will immediately begin new 10- or 15- year contracts (at new rental rates) under REX on 10/1/2007.