

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Farm Service Agency
Washington, DC 20250

Notice CRP-1069

For: State and County Offices

**Restoring CRP Authority and Authorizing CRP Contract
Modifications for Contracts Approved Before October 1, 2025**

Approved by: Acting Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

A Background

On November 12, 2025, the President signed the Continuing Appropriations, Agriculture, Legislative Branch, Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, and Extensions Act, 2026 (Pub. L. 119-37) which includes a 1-year extension of the 2018 Farm Bill, reauthorizing CRP through September 30, 2026.

Notice CRP-1068 restricted modifications and approvals of contracts (CRP-1) and cost share (C/S) agreements that resulted in an increase in contract acreage because of the lapse in authority.

B Purpose

This notice:

- reauthorizes CRP contract and C/S agreement modifications for existing CRP-1's approved before October 1, 2025, that require an increase in acres
- does **not** provide authority for County Offices and COC's to:
 - process or approve new offers for CRP enrollment for any CRP signup type
 - initiate or approve new Forest Management Incentive (FMI) agreements
 - process or approve FMI agreement revisions that increase the obligation
 - initiate or approve new Transition Incentives Program (TIP) contracts

Note: Authority for these actions will be provided in forthcoming notices, as applicable.

- provides authority to resume actions associated with DAFP relief approvals.

Disposal Date	Distribution
October 1, 2026 11-24-25	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices

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2 Action

A CRP-1 Modifications Allowed

This notice authorizes County Offices to make all routine modifications to CRP-1's, conservation plans, and C/S agreements as provided in 2-CRP, including cases that will result in an increase in CRP-1 acres.

State Office review of CRP-1 and FSA-848 modifications is no longer required.

B DAFP Relief Approvals

State Offices will resume actions associated with DAFP relief approvals.

C Conservation Software Availability

An FSA information bulletin will notify State and County Offices when conservation software is available.

Note: Conservation software will be shut down on December 1, 2025, to prepare for the annual batch process for 2025 TIP payments subject to 4-PL provisions, and CRP annual rental payments for contracts subject to 4-PL, 5-PL, and 6-PL provisions. All conservation software will be back online after payment processing is completed.

D State Office Action

State Offices will:

- follow the provisions of this notice
- ensure County Offices follow the provisions of this notice
- contact Joy Alspach or Kim Martin with questions about this notice.

E County Office Action

County Offices will:

- follow the provisions of this notice
- contact their State Office specialist with questions about this notice.