Appendix A:

BMP Category 1: Soil Health and Nutrient Management

1.2 AGRICULTURE STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM

BMP Category	
☐ 1.1.1 Erosion Control Structures	☐ 1.1.2 Advanced Merit Erosion Control Structures

Project Details Please complete the table below in order of priority properties.				
Property Numbers (PIDs)	**Crop information (previous crop and planned crop for the construction year)**			
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				
6.				
Estimated Total Project Cost	☐ **Less than $10,000**	☐ **$10,000 - $20,000**	☐ **$20,000-$30,000**	☐ **Over $30,000**
Preferred Construction Time	☐ **April/May**	☐ **June**	☐ **July**	☐ **August**

If you wish for your project to be considered for advanced merit, please submit a project proposal as detailed below. Advanced Merit projects are assessed based on factors, such as, watershed or location sensitivity, distance to watercourses, collaborations with watershed groups or adjacent landowners, fields where projects would involve multiple landowners, or transportation corridors.

1.1.2 Advanced Merit Erosion Control Structures ONLY - Project Proposal
Please submit a project proposal for the Merit-Based Erosion Control Structures application, including the following information:

- Project title;
- Estimated project start date;
- Estimated project end date;
- PID(s);
- Crop information (previous crop and planned crop for the construction year);
- Describe the proposed field's proximity to sensitive areas (i.e. wetlands, estuaries, streams, etc.);
- Describe any problem areas associated with the proposed fields. (i.e. areas where washouts have occurred, siltation of adjacent streams/estuaries/wetlands from erosion, areas impacting neighbours or transportation corridors);
- Outline any community or producer collaboration you have been involved with in relation to proposed fields. (i.e. discussions with watershed groups, neighbours, other producers on adjacent lands);
- Describe improvements you would like to see as a result of this program (i.e. improved protection of sensitive areas, reducing off-site drainage impacts to neighbours or roadways, completing a multi-producer project that would improve drainage in multiple fields, etc.).