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- Must meet NRCS cover crop specifications as outlined in practice code 340 specifications (available through local Conservation District or TA provider.)
- Acres already receiving federal cost share dollars for cover crops (ex: EQIP, CSP, RCPP) are not eligible to participate in the Farmers for Soil Health program.
- Must provide documentation of cover crop mix, including germination, and species in mix and seeding rate.

Additional information regarding NRCS cover crop specifications:

- Minimum seeding rate is determined by zones and by seeding method.
- Kansas Cover Crop Seeding Rate Zones can be found in the NRCS [eFOTG](#) and also as a PDF on the FSH Producer information page of the KACD.net website.
- The Kansas Cover Crop Seeding Rate Zone Map shows the seeding rate (in seeds per acre) based on drilled/planted application.
- If broadcast or aerial application is used the seeding rate is required to be increased by additional 50%.
- Approved cover crops, crop type, seeding date, seeds per pound, etc following NRCS specifications can also be found on the eFOTG and as a PDF on the FSH Producer information page of the KACD.net website.

Need assistance selecting the right cover crop mix? Start by contact your [local conservation district](#) or one of the Farmers for Soil Health Technical Assistance providers:

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