

SOUND AGRICULTURE 2026 EFFICIENT ACRE INCENTIVE REQUIREMENTS

Sound's Efficient Acre Incentive program (the "Program") is available for corn, for grain or silage, growers whose NUE score is equal to or greater than 0.90 lb/bu ("Eligible Grower") as determined by Sound from the grower's 2026 planned fertilizer application and APH. An Eligible Grower purchases and applies a minimum of 4 gallons of SOURCE[®] DC ("SOURCE") in the 2025-2026 growing season from August 1, 2025, through July 31, 2026 ("2026 Season"), signs the Agreement, and agrees to abide by all program requirements. Grower agrees to receive and utilize SOURCE subject to www.sound.ag/terms.

Term and Program Enrollment. This Agreement provides the Grower the opportunity to enroll a minimum of 500 and a maximum of 3,000 corn for grain or silage acres ("Enrolled Acres"). Growers may not enroll any acres previously enrolled in a Sound Efficient Acre Incentive program. Sound Dealers may not enroll any acres on farms they own or substantially control. Growers must purchase and apply SOURCE and follow all "Program Requirements" (listed below) on all Enrolled Acres during the 2026 Season. The Grower must attest to the accuracy of all enrollment data provided in Appendix B ("Enrollment Data") and that Grower can support claims with field level data. Grower is responsible for notifying Sound of any changes to Enrollment Data. Failure to do so may impact eligible payment or disqualify Grower from the program.

Program Requirements. Grower continued program and payment eligibility subject to meeting the following requirements ("Program Requirements"):

- The planned NUE for the Enrolled Acres must be equal to or greater than 0.9 lb/bu.
- Growers should not reduce synthetic phosphorus if:
 - Bray P1 < 15 ppm
 - Olsen < 9 ppm
 - Mehlich 3 COL < 15 ppm
 - Mehlich 3 ICP < 25 ppm
- Enrolled Acres must correspond to relevant 2026 Season SOURCE purchase and may not fall below 500 acre minimum or exceed 3,000 acre maximum.
- Grower must reduce synthetic nitrogen and/or phosphorus against the average nutrient rate for the last three historical crop years ("Baseline"). If Grower has not operated Enrolled Acres for three historical crop years the Baseline will be determined by the average rate across the most recent available crop years with a minimum of one historical crop year.
- Growers must follow indicated Program Practice(s):

- If applying SOURCE only: Reducing 25 lbs of synthetic nitrogen **and** phosphorus on Enrolled Acres within a +/- 5 lb variance of each nutrient (i.e. minimum of 20 lb reduction and maximum of 30 lb reduction for each respective nutrient).
- If applying SOURCE and BLUEPRINT stacked: Reducing 35 lbs of synthetic nitrogen or nitrogen and phosphorus on Enrolled Acres within a +/- 5 lb variance of each nutrient (i.e. minimum of 30 lb reduction and maximum of 40 lb reduction for each respective nutrient).
- Growers will be ineligible for the program if they fail to satisfy requirements by these key dates:
 - *Enrollment:* Growers must be fully enrolled in the program by December 31st, 2025
 - *Invoice:* Grower must pay their total invoice in full by the earlier of the due date or June 30, 2026.
 - *Verification Data:* Grower must supply all requested data by August 31, 2026.
 - *Payment Information:* Grower must provide their W9 by October 15, 2026.

Payment. Payments will depend upon meeting all Program Requirements for Enrolled Acres. Grower may receive \$5/acre incentive payment for relevant Program Practice(s) implemented on Enrolled Acres. Grower must provide a W9 by October 15, 2026 to remain eligible to receive payment. Sound will issue an IRS 1099 Tax Form and Grower is solely responsible for all applicable local, state and federal taxes. Payments will be made to eligible growers on Enrolled Acres that have met all requirements no later than November 15, 2026.

Privacy and Information Security:

All information provided to Sound Agriculture will only be used by us to analyze, improve, support, and enhance the Products and otherwise for any business purpose. We may use service providers to collect, process, and store your information, and we may share your information in non-identifiable format with third parties. Though we have safeguards in place to protect your data, no transmission or electronic storage of information is guaranteed to be secure. As such, we disclaim any responsibility or liability for unauthorized access, use or disclosure of any information submitted to Sound Agriculture.

Miscellaneous

Any dispute, claim or controversy arising out of or relating to this Agreement or the breach, termination, enforcement, interpretation or validity thereof, including the determination of the scope or applicability of this agreement to arbitrate, shall be determined by arbitration in San Francisco, California, before three arbitrators. The arbitration shall be administered by JAMS pursuant to JAMS’ Streamlined Arbitration Rules and Procedures. Judgment on the Award may be entered in any court having jurisdiction. This clause shall not preclude parties from seeking provisional remedies in aid of arbitration from a court of appropriate jurisdiction. This is the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and no changes or modifications or waivers to this Agreement will be effective unless in writing and signed by both parties. This Agreement is governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware without regard to the conflicts of law provisions thereof. In any action or proceeding to enforce rights under this Agreement, the prevailing party will be entitled to recover costs and attorneys’ fees. Any notice required or permitted by this Agreement will be in writing and will be delivered as follows with notice deemed given as indicated: (i) by personal delivery when delivered personally; (ii) by overnight courier upon written verification of receipt; (iii) by email (*provided, however*, if the sender receives an automatically generated notification that such email was not delivered, such attempted email notice shall be

ineffective and deemed not to have been given); or (iv) by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, upon verification of receipt. Notice will be sent to the addresses set forth below or such other address as either party may specify in writing.

Appendix A -- Program Data Requirements

Grower agrees to provide Sound with all requested information and data related to current and historical land use on Enrolled Acres, as well as data needed to monitor, validate, report, and verify fertilizer reduction on Enrolled Acres (“Verification Data”). Such data may include but is not limited to the following:

Data Type	Data Description	Example Data Sources
Field Boundary	Location for project activities	Shapefile
Crop	Crop type	Machine data, receipts / purchase records, management plan, photos
Planting	Planting date	Machine data, receipts / purchase records, planting plan
Synthetic Fertilizer	Application Date(s) Type / Product Application Method Amount / Units	Machine data, receipts/purchase records, fertilizer plan, agronomist recommendation
Organic Fertilizer <i>(if relevant)</i>	Application Date(s) Type (e.g. solid, liquid) Application Method Amount	Machine data, receipts/purchase records, fertilizer plan, agronomist recommendation
Nitrogen Inhibitor / EEF / Other Biological or NUE Product <i>(if relevant)</i>	Application Date(s) Type / Product Composition (N Content)	Machine data, receipts/purchase records, fertilizer plan, agronomist recommendation