



Agriculture et Agroalimentaire Canada

On January 28,2025 Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada announced that the New Brunswick Soil and Crop Improvement Association (NBSCIA) is one of 13 organizations to receive funding for the expansion of the On-Farm Climate Action Fund (OFCAF) ending March 31,2028.

The OFCAF funding will support New Brunswick's producers in their ongoing progress adopting beneficial management practices (BMPs) that reduce greenhouse gases (GHGs) and store carbon, specifically for in-field nitrogen management, expanding cover cropping, and implementing rotational grazing practices. These practices also provide other environmental benefits such as improved biodiversity and soil health.

As of April 1, 2025 NBSCIA is accepting applications for the OFCAF 2-21 program in the following BMP areas of:

- 1. nitrogen management
- 2. cover cropping
- 3. rotational grazing practices

Detailed program guidelines and the application process are available on the NBSCIA website: <u>https://www.nbscia.ca/ofcaf-program-registration/</u>

For assistance with the application process contact a member of the NBSCIA OCAF Program Administration team: Stephen London (506) 392-0408 <u>ofcaf.facf@nbscia.ca</u>; David Walker (506) 461-6046 <u>research@nbscia.ca</u>; David Good (506) 391-9424 <u>drgood449@gmail.com</u>; Ray Carmichael (506) 276-3311 <u>ofcafadmin@nbscia.ca</u>