# Iowa Backgrounder MULTI-STATE RCPP

# American Coalition for Ethanol (ACE) Regional Conservation Partnership Program

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- 5-year contracts with farmers in eligible counties to adopt approved conservation practices
- Work with technical team led by land-grant university to measure and verify the GHG benefits of the practices
- Empower farmers and ethanol producers to earn higher tax credits and premium prices in clean or low carbon fuel markets based on the conservation practices



## **ELIGIBLE COUNTIES**

Butler, Buena Vista, Cerro Gordo, Cherokee, Floyd, Franklin, Hancock, Howard, Ida, Mitchell, Sac, Worth, Wright

#### TO SCHEDULE A CALL TO LEARN MORE



Practice Type	RCPP Payment Rate
No-Till/Strip Till (from Conventional Till)	\$61/acre
No-Till/Strip Till (from Reduced Till)	\$39/acre
Reduce Till (from Conventional Till)	\$22/acre
Nutrient Management ("4R")	\$40/acre
Cover Crop	\$54/acre
"Early Adopter" Management Fee	\$2,500/year

## **IOWA PARTNERS**











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