



Pike Soil & Water Conservation District
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COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT FOR SOIL SAMPLING SERVICES

As the Cooperator:

1. I hereby request assistance from the Pike SWCD to collect and process soil samples from my property. By signing this agreement, I give permission to District staff to access my property for the purpose of collecting soil samples.
2. Upon completing this form, I will identify the location or field(s) that I desire to be sampled for District use and file.
3. I am responsible for selecting the most appropriate test for my needs. See page 2 of this agreement for test descriptions and fee schedule.
4. I understand that each sample (each field, each flowerbed, each garden, each yard) represents one sample, and each sample represents an additional charge. Samples are a representation of an area needing fertility treatment and the District will seek to minimize the total number of samples necessary.
5. I make the decision whether or not to follow the provided fertility recommendations. The sample only provides guidelines in making informed management decisions.
6. Payment in full must be received by the District office no more than 30 days after the date of billing. If payment is not made in full within 30 days, an interest charge of 1.5% will accumulate each month thereafter.

As the District, the Cooperator will be provided the following:

- Assistance in determining the best-suited test for the desired objectives
- Assistance in locating the testing site(s) on an aerial photograph
- Collection of samples in the field
- Preparation of the samples for mailing to testing laboratory
- Completing the necessary forms required and submitting them online
- Mailing the samples to the laboratory
- Receiving the soil sample results
- Interpreting the soil sample results and presenting this information to the Cooperator

To be completed by the Cooperator

Cooperator's Signature

Address & Phone Number

Date of Request

Type of Sample Desired (see page 2)

Farm/Tract # (if applicable)

Location(s) desired for Sample (i.e. field #, yard, garden, flowerbed)

**Fee Schedule for Soil Samples
Current as of January 1, 2015**

S1 - Basic Soil Test Package	\$15.00
Includes: pH, buffer pH, organic matter, available phosphorus, exchangeable potassium, calcium, magnesium, cation exchange capacity (CEC), percent base saturation of cation elements with recommendations	
S2 – Basic Plus Soil Test Package	\$18.00
Includes: same as S1 test PLUS choice of any three of the following micronutrients - boron, copper, iron, manganese, sulfur, and zinc with recommendations	
S3 – Complete Soil Test Package	\$21.00
Includes: same as S1 test PLUS all micronutrients - boron, copper, iron, manganese, sulfur, and zinc with recommendations	
T1 – Basic Turf and Ornamental	\$18.00
Includes: soil pH, buffer pH (when needed), organic matter, available phosphorus, exchangeable potassium, calcium, magnesium, cation exchange capacity (CEC), and percent base saturation of cation elements. Recommendations for nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, magnesium, and lime by plant species on a special turf and ornamental soil analysis report with graphic display of results.	
T2 – Basic Turf and Ornamental with Micronutrients	\$23.00
Includes: same as T1 test PLUS iron, manganese, zinc, and copper. Recommendations for nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, magnesium, lime, iron, zinc, and copper by plant species on a special turf and ornamental soil analysis report with graphic display of results.	
T3 – Complete Turf and Ornamental	\$32.00
Includes: same as T2 test (T1 + micronutrients) PLUS nitrate, nitrogen, sodium, sulfur, boron, and soluble salts. Recommendations for nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, magnesium, lime, iron, manganese, zinc and copper, sulfur and boron by plant species on a special turf and ornamental soil analysis report with graphic display of results.	

For District use only

Date Sample(s) Taken	Total Samples Taken	Sample Type	Sample Cost/Each	Subtotal

Date billed	Date paid	Receipt #	Check #