



LAWN SOIL QUALITY IMPROVEMENTS REBATE APPLICATION FORM

All information must be completed to avoid claim denial or processing delays.

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicant Requesting Rebate _____ Installation Address (must be in Marion, IA) _____

Mailing Address (If different than installation address) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Name on Utilities Account _____ Marion Utilities Account Number _____

Contact Person (if different from above) _____ Phone Number _____

Building Type: Single-Family Multi-Family (4 units or less only)

How did you find out about the Rebate Program? _____

PROPOSED LAWN SOIL QUALITY IMPROVEMENTS

Area of lawn to be treated (min. 650 ft²): _____ ft² Proposed completion date: _____

Type of Aeration: Plug (approx. 3" dep) Deep Tyne (deeper than 3")

Amount of compost to be applied (1/2" application rate – see guidance table on next page): _____ yd³

Who will perform aeration? (Company Name or Owner) _____ Source of compost: _____

REBATE REQUIRED RECEIPTS ATTACHED?

Aerator Rental or Service: Yes No Compost: Yes No Rebate Requested: (max. \$350) \$ _____

CUSTOMER AGREEMENT

I certify that I am a customer of the City of Marion utilities, and that this lawn soil quality improvement was completed after April 23, 2015 on the lawn at the address specified above. **I acknowledge that I aerated and applied compost to my lawn and that these measures will help improve my lawn soil quality resulting in less runoff of stormwater generated from my lawn. Additional benefits include minimizing fertilizer use and lawn irrigation.** I have read and agree to the Terms and Conditions on the back of this form. All statements made in this application are correct. I understand that City of Marion reserves the right to inspect and verify this lawn soil quality improvement before issuing a rebate.

Customer Signature _____ Date _____

Include copies of sales receipt, picture of project along with completed rebate form, and mail within 30 days of installation to City of Marion Soil Quality Restoration Program, 1225 6th Avenue, Suite 200, Marion, IA 52302.

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Date Submitted to City for Approval _____ Amount \$ _____ Account No. _____

Reviewed By _____ Date Approved by Engineering _____

City of Marion Lawn Soil Quality Improvement Rebate Program

Amount of Compost Needed for ½" Application Rate

Amount of Compost	Coverage at 1/2" Depth
1 Cubic Yard	650 Square Feet
2 Cubic Yard	1,300 Square Feet
3 Cubic Yard	1,950 Square Feet
4 Cubic Yard	2,600 Square Feet
5 Cubic Yard	3,250 Square Feet
6 Cubic Yard	3,900 Square Feet
7 Cubic Yard	4,550 Square Feet

Terms and Conditions

- The Rebate covers: aeration service or rental, compost and application, seed, and delivery fees.
- Applicant must be a City of Marion utilities customer.
- Lawn soil quality improvements for individuals who have previously received a rebate are not eligible.
- Applicant is solely responsible for making arrangements for aeration and purchase and application of compost.
- Applications must be completed and approved by the Engineering Department prior to completing lawn soil quality improvements. Applications will be reviewed by City staff within 15 days.
- Lawn soil quality improvements can be completed after approval of the application.
- Lawn soil quality improvements must be completed within 30 days of the approved application.
- Once the lawn soil quality improvements have been completed, the approved application and itemized and dated receipts must be submitted for rebate payment within 30 days of completion of the improvement and are subject to verification.
- City staff will inspect installation of lawn soil quality improvements prior to issuing rebate check.
- Rebate checks will be issued to the account holder unless otherwise established prior to submission of application.
- Rebates may be subject to income tax. Consult your tax advisor for more information.
- Rebates are subject to the availability of funds.
- This program is subject to change or could be cancelled without notice.

Disclaimer. The City of Marion makes no warranties, expressed or implied, with respect to any of the aeration and compost applications purchased or installed, including, but not limited to, any warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose. In no event shall the City of Marion be held liable for any incidental or consequential damages or injuries resulting from defective aeration and compost application. The City of Marion reserves the right to cancel or change programs at any time. The City of Marion acceptance of an application does not guarantee payment of rebate or acceptance of financing.

Drop off, or mail, your completed original Rebate Claim Form and sales receipts to:

Lawn Soil Quality Improvements Program
City of Marion Engineering Department, 1225 6th Avenue, Suite 200
Marion, IA 52302

Questions about the Lawn Soil Quality Improvements Program? Call 743-6340.