SYSTEM SIZE:

=>120 acres complete rotation 0 =>120 acres partial rotation -1.0 =>80 acres <120 acres -2.0 =>40 acres <80 acres -3.0 <40 acres -4.0

1. Central Platte NRD will evaluate the applications according to nitrate levels.

CONTINUOUS SIGNUP

Use Central Platte NRD Center Pivot Incentive Program application form. Natural Resources Conservation Service certification is required.

Applications are not effective until approved by the NRD Board of Directors. After approved, application will be returned to County Natural Resources Conservation Service office and landowner/operator will be notified by NRD concerning approval. *All applications must be approved before project can be started.*

Application for cost share assistance for pipeline to convey water to pivot point to facilitate change from gravity irrigation to sprinkler irrigation may be made anytime prior to the new pivot system being delivered to the field site. Pivot installation prior to pipeline cost share application approval by the board does not disqualify the application for pipeline cost share provided the application was completed and submitted to the board prior to pivot system delivery on site. Pipeline applications submitted in conjunction with an application for the Central Platte NRD pivot incentive program will be considered a high priority application and approved for funding if the companion pivot is approved for funding by the board. In all cases, the pivot system must be installed and operational for the first irrigation season following cost shared pipeline installation regardless of the pipeline cost share approval date. Failure to have the pivot system on site and operational for the first irrigation season following cost shared pipeline installation will result in a refund of cost share earned, as determined by the board of directors.

Landowner/operator must present a **paid** bill for the purchase of the center pivot and the Natural Resources Conservation Service will check on the installation of the pivot.

Claims for payment will not be accepted more than five months from the date application is approved. Applicant must be in compliance with all rules and regulations of the CPNRD programs in order to receive payment. There are no extensions.

US Citizenship must accompany application.