



Landowners !! CP-33 Program \$\$\$

Get Paid to Retire the least productive areas of your fields.



Several government and / or Pheasant Forever programs are available to help landowners provide Habitat. Of **URGENT IMPORTANCE IS CP-33**, available to Miami County for a limited time, and no doubt the best deal for wildlife and landowners that we have seen in a very long while.

MAXIMIZE CROPLAND PRODUCTION – BRING BACK UPLAND BIRDS

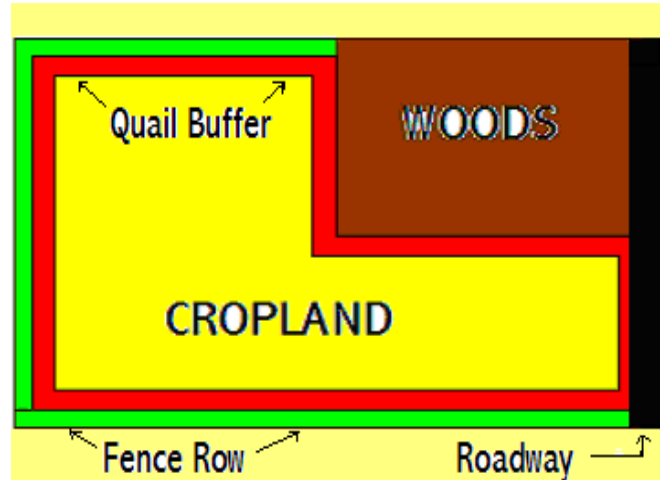
Wildlife habitat (30 – 120 feet in average width) can be established along the perimeters or edges of agricultural fields. This upland habitat practice (**CP 33**) is a Continuous Sign-up Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) practice targeted to provide native grass and forb habitat for Bobwhite Quail, Pheasants, and a variety of wildlife species.

Landowner Eligibility:

- Acreage to be enrolled must have a row crop history -been farmed 4 out of 6 years from 1996 – 2001 (*soon to be 2002 to 2007*)

Payment & Contract Length:

- Rental payments for 10 years at **100%** of government soil rental rate!
- **+ \$100 / acre** signing incentive payment!
- **+ No out-of-pocket expense owner !**
- **+ PF will plant it for you !**
- **May be more bonus money for some situations!**



Questions?

Erik Lewis Farm Bill Biologist—Miami County NRCS office 335-7645 or 654-3884

or

Pheasants Forever –Miami County Chapter
Terry Lavy- Habitat Chair 937-606-4754



How to Enroll:

Contact the Miami County Farm Service Agency (FSA) Office.
335-1918 - **ask about CP-33**

SQUARE-UP FIELDS AND PROVIDE WILDLIFE HABITAT, ASTHETIC VALUE, IMPROVE WATER QUALITY, AND STOP SOIL EROSION, ALL WHILE COLLECTING ANNUAL RENTAL PAYMENTS
LITTLE OR NO OUT-OF-POCKET COST !

Don't Qualify ? Call us anyway– we can still help you !