



Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY & PUBLIC WORKS

Jim Gray
Mayor

Susan C. Bush
Acting Commissioner

To: Mayor Jim Gray
Urban County Council

From: Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director

Via: Susan C. Bush, Acting Commissioner

Date: November 17, 2011

Re: Requesting Approval of a Class B (Infrastructure) Incentive Grant Award Agreement with Bluegrass Stockyards, LLC funded by the Water Quality Management Fee pursuant to Sections 16-408 and 16-410 of the Code of Ordinances.

Grantee: Bluegrass Stockyards, LLC

Incentive Grant Amount: \$150,000.00

Account Number: 4051 – 303204 – 3373 – 78112 (Fully budgeted)

The grant application of Bluegrass Stockyards, LLC was reviewed and recommended by the Water Quality Fees Board at its October 13, 2011 meeting. Class B Infrastructure grants do not require a match, however Bluegrass Stockyards, LLC has committed \$26,170 toward the project. The Grant Award Agreement requires the Mayor's signature.

Grant Project Description

Target Watershed: Town Branch

Project Site Location: 375 Lisle Industrial Avenue

Grantee shall design and construct four stormwater control facilities to improve water quality and reduce runoff leaving the site. Facilities include a biofiltration swale, a bioretention area, a detention basin, and bioretention basin with forebay. The grantee will collaborate with UK, Locust Trace Agri-Science Farm, Fayette County Extension Office and Conservation District in allowing the site to be used by students for research and environmental learning.

Questions regarding this agreement should be directed to Susan Plueger, the Incentive Grant Program Administrator, at 859-425-2482.

Attachment

Pc: Susan Bush, Acting Commissioner, Department of Environmental Quality & Public Works
Ed Gardner, Department of Law
Julie Mantrom, Division of Water Quality
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