

Fertilizer Production Expansion Program Self-Screening Eligibility Tool

Examples of public entities

State and local governments; federally-recognized Tribes and Tribal organizations

Examples of private entities

Nonprofits and producer-owned cooperatives; sole proprietors and certain for-profit businesses

Applicant Ownership



Is your proposed or existing project located in the United States, its territories, or Tribal areas?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

NOTE: Public entity applicants, continue to the next question. If you are a private entity applicant, are you independently owned and operated, and not influenced or controlled by another's authority or jurisdiction?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

Proposed Operations



Will you manufacture or process in accordance with all federal, state, Tribal, and local regulations governing fertilizer and nutrient manufacturing, processing, storage, distribution, and waste management?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

Will you certify that you **DO NOT** hold a manufacturing, processing, or distribution market share equal to – or greater than – the entity that holds the **fourth largest share** of the market for nitrogen, phosphate, and potash – or any combination of the three?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

If awarded an FPEP grant, do you certify that you will use the funds to increase or otherwise expand the manufacturing and processing of fertilizer and nutrient alternatives to improve their availability in the U.S.?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

Regulatory Factors



If your project is – or will be – located on Tribal lands, do you have a resolution of support from the governing body of the Tribe that has jurisdiction over the project site?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

Are you registered – and do you agree to remain active – in the System for Award Management (SAM) while your application is active, and throughout your award term?

YES. Continue to next question.

NO. You are not eligible. Stop here.

Will your project comply with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)?

YES. You are eligible to apply.

NO. You are not eligible to apply.