Public Comment Form

Draft Nitrogen Fertilizer Rule

Please submit written comments on the draft Nitrogen Fertilizer Rule by August 25, 2017 through mail or email to:

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All comments should, but are not required to, include a contact name, phone number and/or email address to provide for follow-up discussion on specific comments.

Questions
For any questions regarding the content of the draft Nitrogen Fertilizer Rule, please contact
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Comments
Nitrogen is the most misunderstood nutrient pertaining to crop health and development. Enacting a regulation that is broad and encompassing, related to nitrogen, is unlikely to obtain results. Healthy soil needs a living root, cover, and livestock. The more of those things you can put on a parcel of soil, the greater the water holding capacity, organic matter, and thus health and productivity. Restricting an important nutrient/building block of vegetation is a step in the opposite direction of the administration’s agenda.

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