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*Comptroller*

April 3, 2024

Sent via electronic mail to: [WeakleyAssessor@frontiernet.net](mailto:WeakleyAssessor@frontiernet.net)

Honorable Lisa Odle  
Weakley County Assessor of Property  
116 W. Main St., Room G01  
Dresden, TN 38225

Dear Lisa Odle:

On March 15, 2024, I received a request for approval of the attached Weakley County Agricultural and Forest Land Greenbelt Applications. Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. 4-3-5103, the State Board of Equalization, at its meeting on October 30, 2018, delegated authority to the Executive Secretary to approve county specific greenbelt forms that are substantially similar to the state-approved greenbelt forms.

I reviewed the attached Weakley County Agricultural and Forest Land Greenbelt Applications and find them to be substantially similar to the state-approved greenbelt forms. Therefore, the attached forms are approved for immediate usage in Weakley County. Please continue to use the state-approved Open Space Greenbelt Application which can be found on our website: <https://comptroller.tn.gov/content/dam/cot/sboe/documents/greenbelt/2022.08.GreenbeltApplication.OpenSpace.SBOEApproved.pdf>.

State law requires Forest Land Greenbelt Applications to include evidence of forest management practices. The State Board of Equalization recommends its state-approved Forest Management Plan as a base minimum. It can be found on our website: <https://comptroller.tn.gov/content/dam/cot/sboe/documents/greenbelt/ForestManagementPlan2018.pdf>.

If you need to contact me, please call 615.747.5292 or email [Robin.Pope@cot.tn.gov](mailto:Robin.Pope@cot.tn.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "R. Pope", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Mr. Robin E. Pope, J.D.  
Executive Secretary  
State Board of Equalization  
615.747.5292

c: Penny Crowell (via email to [Pennycrowell@weakleycountytn.gov](mailto:Pennycrowell@weakleycountytn.gov))



## Application for Greenbelt Assessment Agricultural

State of Tennessee      County of Weakley



Control Map	Group	Parcel	Special Interest	Acerage in Ag Use	Total Acerage	Soruce of Title Book/Page

Property Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Property: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Crop(s) or other agricultural product (s) and expected yield or volume which will be sold:

Product

Expected Yield or Sales

Do you own or have an ownership interest in other property in this county which has been approved for Greenbelt? If so, please identify the parcel(s) using the assessor's description(s). Attach additional pages if necessary.

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Indicate if the land is:

- Yes  No  Unsure  
 Yes  No  Unsure  
 Yes  No  Unsure

Enrolled in a conservation program administered by the United States Department of Agriculutre.

Subject to a conservation easement as defined by T.C.A. § 66-9-303.

Restricted by T. C.A. § 68-212-225, if at the time of enrollment, the land was classified as agricultural land by the assessor or property.

I certify that I am the owner of the property described above, that the information I have supplied is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that I am presently using said property as agricultural land. I have read and understand the requirements for Greenbelt eligibility and agree to notify the Assessor of any change in the use or ownership of the property which might affect its continued eligibility.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name of Property Owner

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Property Owner

On this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, before me personally appeared the above-named property owner, to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing certification, and acknowledged its execution as (his) (her) free act and deed.

\_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_ My Commission Expires

This instrument was Prepared by:      Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**LISA ODLE**  
 Weakley County Property Assessor  
 116 W. Main St. Room G01  
 Dresden, TN 38225

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE RECORDING FEE.

Register of Deeds Use

Assessor's Use
Approved
Denied

\_\_\_\_\_ Assessor of Property



Application for Greenbelt Assessment  
**FOREST**  
 State of Tennessee County of Weakley



Control Map	Group	Parcel	Special Interest	Acres in Forest	Total Acreage	Source of Title Book/Page

Property Owner:

Mailing Address:

Address of Property:

Description of Timber with amounts: Hardwood \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ AC Softwood \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ AC Both \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_ AC  
(Oak, Hickory, Maple, Poplar, Walnut, Cherry, Etc.) (Pine)

Projected Harvest Date/Yield: \_\_\_\_\_

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**FOREST MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES**

Please circle the number of the statements that best describes your objectives for this property.

**Landowners Objectives for Management:**

- To grow or harvest timber in an environmentally sound manner.
- To maintain the property for posterity
- To maintain and enhance the monetary, wildlife and aesthetic value of the property.
- To generate income from the land resources by carrying out management objectives.

**Management/Harvesting History:**

- To generate income from the production of forest products.
- To enhance wildlife habitat.
- To maximize timber growth.
- To prevent soil erosion and stream sedimentation.
- To produce timber for sale to supplement overall farm income.

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Dated \_\_\_\_\_

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