

FEE SCHEDULE SOD QUALITY ASSURANCE

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EFFECTIVE 2018 CROP YEAR

MEMBERSHIP

- **MEMBERSHIP FEE** (*per year: June 1–May 31*)-----\$50.00

FIELD INSPECTION FEES (*Field fees must accompany application*)

- **SOD PRODUCTION SITE INSPECTION** (*per field¹*) ----- \$100.00
- **PRE-HARVEST INSPECTION** (*minimum fee per field¹: \$100.00*) ----- \$5.00/acre
- **LATE APPLICATION² FEE** (*per field¹*) ----- \$20.00
- **RE-INSPECTIONS** (*per field¹*)----- \$100.00

REFUNDS—When fields are canceled, all of the fees, except \$10.00 per field, will be refunded, provided the request is made to the MCIA office prior to the time the field inspection is made. No refunds will be given for cancellations after the fields have been inspected.

¹ A field is defined as that area occupied by one type of sod covered by one inspection report, and not divided by public roads, other crops, or barriers that materially increase the difficulty of inspection.

² MCIA reserves the right to refuse inspection of fields included in late applications. If inspections can be arranged, the late application fee will be assessed.

FINAL FEES (*assessed on product sold*)----- \$0.0025/square foot

RESEARCH AND PROMOTION FEE (*remitted to Minnesota Sod Producers Association*)

- **MNST-2 Sod** (*assessed on product sold*) ----- \$0.0025/square foot
- **MNST-12 Sod** (*assessed on product sold*)----- \$0.0025/square foot