## **Field Border**

## Definition/Purpose

A Field Border means a strip of perennial vegetation established at the edge of the field that provides a stabilized outlet for row water to improve water quality. Benefits may include reduced soil erosion, sedimentation and pollution from dissolved and sediment-attached substances. (DIP)

## **Policies**

- 1. Wildlife plantings are acceptable cover for field borders.
- 2. All NRCS standards and NC Agriculture Cost Share Program policies relative to vegetation must be followed.

FIELD BORDER	
Maintenance Period	10 YEARS
BMP Units	ACRES
Required Effects	ACRES_AFFECTED SOIL_SAVED NITROGEN_SAVED PHOSPHORUS_SAVED
JAA/NRCS Standard unless otherwise noted	ECS – 386 – Field Border
CS2 Reference Materials	NC-ACSP-11 Signature Page Map with BMP location, fields, and roads.