NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE (NRCS) IN COOPERATION WITH KANE-DUPAGE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT (KDSWCD)

Section 1619 of the 2008 Farm Bill prohibits the Secretary of Agriculture and its employees from disclosing certain information that has been provided by agricultural landowners and producers to participate in the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) programs.

Section 1619 of the 2008 Farm Bill prohibits the release of information that falls into certain categories. Information that has been provided to USDA by an agricultural producer or owner of agricultural land concerning the operation, practices, or the land itself in order to participate in USDA programs is not to be disclosed by any USDA employee.

An example of the type of information prohibited by disclosure under Section 1619 includes, but is **not limited to,** the following:

- State identification and county number (where reported and where located)
- Producer or landowner name, business full address, phone number, Social Security Number, and similar personal identifying information.
- Farm, tract, field, and contract numbers.
- Production shares and share of actress for each Farm Serial Number (FSN) field.
- Acreage information, including crop codes.
- All attributes for Common Land Units (CLUs) in USDA's Geospatial Information System.
- Any photographic, map, or geospatial data, that, when combined with other maps, can be used to identify a landowner.
- Location of conservation practices.

As landowner/producer of a parcel with track number of ______(address of

parcel if not actively farmed), I authorize ______ to view,

copy, transcribe and/or publish protected information that falls under Section 1619 of the 2008

Farm bill.

Signature of Landowner/producer:

Printed: _____

Date: _____

Please include an aerial map with the boundaries of the parcel in question