Clean Fuel Regulations FAQ

Why do you have to fill out this form?

• Well, you don't! You can choose not to fill out the form, it's <u>completely voluntary</u> and we will continue to **ACCEPT ALL YOUR CORN** regardless.

Why would you want to fill it out then?

• Carbon intensity scores are derived from declared Mt's, the lower our carbon score at SLG, the lower the carbon score that will pass on to Kawartha Ethanol. The lower Kawartha Ethanol's carbon score, the more credits they are able to create. The lower score, and more credits give them more to negotiate with when contracting with the Fuel companies resulting in a more desirable market for their Ethanol and in turn your corn.

How exactly does this create a better market for Corn?

• Each year, fuel producers are required to reduce their carbon intensity. One way to do this is by buying low CI ethanol and related CFR credits to blend with their fuel. These can be purchased from ethanol producers such as Kawartha Ethanol. These carbon credits are "created" based on a variety of factors, including the declared Mt's.

What is the deadline for declarations?

• December 31, 2024 – for anything brought in during that proceeding harvest period.

If a crop is planted in 2024 but harvested in 2025, are these Mt's counted against the 2024 or 2025 declaration?

- If declared for 2024 it will correspond to the 2024 crop year
- Which means, 2024 planted corn = harvest 2024

What is a Carbon Credit?

- Each credit denotes a reduction of 1 Tonne of CO2 throughout its lifecycle, 1 calendar year.
- This is why will we ask for a new declaration each year with the new planting/harvest year

How do I complete a declaration form?

- You can complete a declaration form by downloading the SLG APP on the <u>APP store</u> or <u>Google play.</u>
- You can print and complete this <u>declaration form</u>, and email to: <u>info@slgrainsfs.ca</u> or mail to: P.O Box 429, Uxbridge ON L9P 1M8.

I have more questions, who should I contact?

• If you have any additional questions or concerns, please give us a call at SLG **905-640-2260** to discuss them directly.