

## SWCD and CCE Soil Health Assessment Program and Testing Services 2021



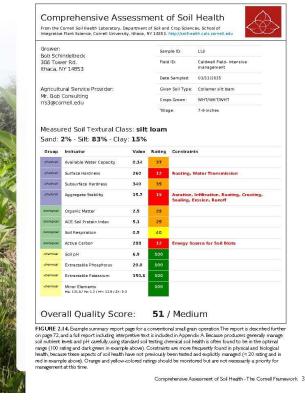
## Seeking farmers interested in <u>FREE</u> soil health testing on their farm!

**Program Goal:** evaluate, monitor, and educate farmers about soil health on their farm to facilitate the adoption of more practices that promote soil health practices.



 CCE Ag Stewardship/SC SWCD staff consults with producer to learn past and current operations, and future goals.

- Samples are collected and shipped by Ag Stew/SWCD staff
- Samples are analyzed using Cornell's Comprehensive Assessment of Soil Health (CASH) test
  - O Physical indicators
  - O Biological indicators; and
  - O Chemical indicators
- Results reviewed by the producer and Ag Stew/SWCD staff
- **Recommendations** given and management strategies to improve soil health discussed.



For more information about the CASH test visit: https://soilhealth.cals.cornell.edu

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Soil Health Assessment - Part II