

## Application for Certification Leading Harvest Farmland Management Standard

*\*Note: All information provided in this application is intended for the purposes of estimating suitability of applicants, estimating cost of audit approaches, and determining required samples. All information is to be considered confidential and is not to be shared outside of Averum personnel and the parties listed in this application.*

### 1. Applying Entity Information

Company Name:	
Company Address:	
Company Website:	
Applicant Name:	
Applicant Phone:	
Applicant email:	

Signatory party for proposals/service agreements:	
Position with applicant:	
Phone:	
Email:	
Project Coordinator for certification:	
Position with applicant:	
Phone:	
Email:	

Is this a joint or group application?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
If YES:		
<input type="checkbox"/> The primary applicant is responsible for the management of all sub entities / group members		
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple sub entities are to be certified separately		

### 2. Assurance Level (Report Type) Requested

Readiness Review (Required in first year)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Certification to Leading Harvest FMS	<input type="checkbox"/>
Surveillance Audit	<input type="checkbox"/>
Recertification to Leading Harvest FMS	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did Averum provide previous readiness/certifications/surveillance audits?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

**3. Other parties / management office(s) included in scope of audit**

Name of company:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Person responsible for conformance:	
Email:	
Nature of responsibilities:	

\*Attach further information if complexity requires

**4. Has the applicant employed any consultants in demonstrating their conformance to the Leading Harvest Farmland Management Standard?**

No

Yes

Please describe the nature of the consulting arrangement, if possible.

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**5. Has the applicant employed the services of KCoe Isom LLP or its subsidiaries (KCoe Isom, Pinion Advisory, ResourceMAX, AgKnowledge, Next GEN, KCoe Capital, KCoe Wealth Management)?**

No

Yes

Please describe the services provided, if possible.

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**6. Scope of Audit (Information on acreage enrolled in Leading Harvest)**

*\*Note: Detailed acreage information (acreage per region, etc.) is extremely effective at reducing the time required to develop approaches and sampling plans. Please attach this information, if at all possible.*

Gross acres enrolled in Leading Harvest	
Management divisions (regions, states, property clusters, etc.)	
Number of properties under direct management	
Number of properties under tenant management	
Number of regional managers employed by applicant controlling acreage in scope	
Crop types produced by enrolled acres	
Focus of portfolio (Commodity, permanent, horticulture, etc)	
Existing certifications and audit schemes on properties in portfolio (Organic, Global G.A.P., etc.)	

## 7. Confidentiality

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## 8. Applicant Signature

I, the undersigned, have the relevant authority to present this application for Certification to the Leading Harvest Farmland Management Standard. The information given in this application is true and may be used as part of the agreement with Averum.

Name:

Position:

Signature:

Date:

## 9. Application

Send the completed and signed application to **[matt.armstrong@averum.co](mailto:matt.armstrong@averum.co)**. We will reach out and begin the certification with you right away!