

## Reading Application/Contract Numbers

Example: 745A1215XXX

- Red digits = Program code
  - 72 = WHIP
  - 74 = EQIP
  - 81 = CSP
  - 82 = RCPP-EQIP
  - 83 = RCPP-CSP
- Green digits and letter = State code
  - 5A12 = Illinois
- Yellow digits = last 2 digits of Fiscal Year
  - 14 = Fiscal Year (FY) 2014
  - 15 = Fiscal Year (FY) 2015
  - 16 = Fiscal Year (FY) 2016
  - 17 = Fiscal Year (FY) 2017
  - 18 = Fiscal Year (FY) 2018
- Blue digits and letters = Unique 3 Character Identifier
  - XXX = Unique 3 digits and letters for "Farmer Joe's" contract
  - 2DZ = Unique 3 digits and letters for "Betsy Bean's" application
  - K5W = Unique 3 digits and letters for "Farmers LLC's" contract
    - *In applications and contracts from FY 2008 to current, the unique 3 characters contain NO letter "O"s. So, in those contracts, anything that looks like a letter "O" or the number 0 (zero) is actually the number ZERO.*
- Farm Bill 2002 = FY 2002-2008
- Farm Bill 2008 = FY 2009-2013
- Farm Bill 2014 = FY 2014-2018