

HENRY COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Annual Plan of Work Fiscal Year (FY) 2022

On September 11, 1981 the Henry County Soil and Water Conservation District was organized and is a legal subdivision of the Georgia State Government.

The Conservation District meetings are held on the First Tuesday of each month at the Henry County Farm Bureau located at 117 Racetrack Road, McDonough, GA 30253 at 8:30 a.m. unless publicized otherwise.

DISTRICT SUPERVISORS:

Amy Rollins – 52 New Hope Drive, McDonough, GA 30253/Chairwoman Vikki Consiglio- 305 Broadmoor Way, McDonough, GA 30253/Supervisor Ross McQueen - 340 Colvin Dr., Locust Grove, GA 30248/Supervisor Jake Carter – 1767 Turner Church Rd., McDonough, GA 30252/Supervisor Vicki Temple - 1021 Privet Way, McDonough, GA 30253/Treasurer

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This Plan of Work establishes the major objectives for the Henry County Conservation District during FY 2022. It emphasizes conservation of natural resources within the District.

Major Objectives

1. Natural Resources Conservation

Promote the conservation of soil, water, forestry, wildlife, and other natural resources.

2. Conservation Education

Promote conservation education through youth and adult education programs.

3. Public Relations & Information

To create public awareness of District conservation programs and objectives.

4. Erosion and Sedimentation Program

Provide technical assistance related to erosion control and sedimentation prevention to citizens and local units of government.

Natural Resource Conservation

Action Item

- 1. Promote natural resources conservation with the Natural Resources Conservation Service and the Farm Service Agency through the District responsibility for implementing the Environmental Quality Incentives Program, Conservation Stewardship Program, Conservation Reserve Program, and other Farm Bill programs.
- 2. Aid landowners to plan and apply conservation Best Management Practices.
- 3. Host an annual Local Work Group Meeting with agency partners and local farmers to prioritize resources and practices for Farm Bill Program Funding.
- 4. Provide soils information to the public through the web-based Web Soil Survey to promote proper land use planning.

Conservation Education

Action Item

- 1. Sponsor high school students to attend the Natural Resources Conservation Workshop (NRCW) at Abraham Baldwin Agricultural College (ABAC) in Tifton to introduce them at an early age to the concepts of soil and water conservation. 4310 Lexington Road, Athens, GA 30605
- 2. Hold an annual poster contest for local 4th and 5th graders and award winners appropriately.
- 3. The Conservation District may pay a per diem and mileage at a rate not to exceed the rates set annually by the GSWCC to supervisors who attend conservation meetings and continuing education opportunities.
- 4. Hold annual Arbor Day tree give-a-way at the Henry County Farm Bureau Office in McDonough, GA.
- 5. Support and Promote the Local and State Envirothon Competitions.
- 6. Maintain membership in the Georgia Association of Conservation District Supervisors and the National Association of Conservation Districts.
- 7. Seek outside sources of income to strengthen and support District activities and programs.
- 8. Sponsor a conservation/education farm field day with NRCS and the Georgia Soil & Water Conservation Commission.
- 9. Support Henry County Government in development of green space areas.

- 10. In collaboration with its partners, sponsor and conduct E&SC seminars for developers, builders, and contractors. At least a part of the seminar will be held on-site to provide examples of timely and effective BMPs.
- **11.** Promote the inclusion of natural areas, greenways, greenbelts, wildlife habitats or similar areas in new housing developments.
- 12. Conduct Ongoing Training Seminars for Engineers, Contractors, Developers, City and County Employees on various topics, keeping them informed about changing laws and procedures pertaining to their everyday job duties. Attendants will also receive Certification Credit Hours for participating and/or State Certification for NPDES Level 1A or 1B (and recertification) when available.

Public Relations and Information

Action Item

- 1. Develop and distribute annual report on the District's accomplishments.
- 2. Provide for oversight of District funds by the annual review of expenditures and income and prepare a detailed financial report at the end of each fiscal year.
- 3. Work closely with other agencies (FSA, RD, Cooperative Extension Service, Georgia Forestry Commission, GSWCC, NRCS, RC&D, and DNR) to coordinate conservation program activities in the District. Encourage each agency representative to attend board meetings and keep District supervisors informed on the various agency programs in the District.
- 4. Prepare news articles on the District's program and activities.
- 5. Keep locally elected officials fully informed about conservation issues and of on-going conservation programs and District accomplishments.
- 6. Maintain the district website and Facebook page to highlight District activities and objectives.
- 7. Hold officer elections every 2 years in December of even-numbered years to elect a Chairman, Vice Chairman, and a Treasurer.

Erosion and Sedimentation Program

Action Item

- 1. Review erosion and sediment control plans for land disturbance projects within the limits of each Local Issuing Authority (LIA) that falls under the requirements of the erosion and sediment control ordinance of the LIA where there is not a Memorandum of Agreement with the District.
- 2. Provide technical assistance to evaluate soil and water resources for proposed development projects.
- 3. Promote soil and water conservation through the GSWCC Erosion and Sedimentation Certification Program.
- 4. Provide LIA's with technical assistance for their erosion and sedimentation control program and assist with interpretation of the Georgia Erosion and Sedimentation Act.

The District will seek, manage, and expend funds made available through private, local, state and federal sources in such a way as to promote soil and water conservation and conservation education.

Contact Information:

www.gacd.us/henrycounty

Social Media

Facebook: @HenryCountyGeorgia Instagram: henrycountyswcd



GFC SEEDLINGS PRICE LIST 2020-21

				ELITE (SENETI	cs					
Name						Per 1000	Per 500		Per 50		
Georgia Giants (Loblolly)						\$78	\$49		\$30		
Elite Straight Loblolly						\$78	\$49		\$30		
Super Select Premium Slash						\$78	\$49		\$30		
			AD	VANCE	D GEN	ETICS					
Select Piedmont 3 Loblolly						\$73	\$46		\$27		
Upper Coastal Plains Loblolly						\$73	\$46		\$27		
Lower Coastal Plains Loblolly						\$73	\$46		\$27		
Select Premium Slash						\$73	\$46		\$27		
OTHER PINES											
Longleaf	\$100					\$60		\$41			
Shortleaf (2 nd Generation)						\$70	\$46	5	\$27		
Virginia						\$70	\$46	\$46		\$27	
				HARD	WOOD	S					
OAKS	Per 500	Per 250	Per 50	Per 10	ORNAMENTALS		Per 500	Per 250	Per 50	Per 10	
Cherrybark	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Bald Cypress		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Gobbler Sawtooth	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Catalpa		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Live	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Red Cedar		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Northern Red	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	River Birch		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Swamp Chestnut	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Thuja		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
White	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Yellow Poplar		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Willow	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35							
FRUIT	Per 500	Per 250	Per 50	Per 10	FLOWER		Per 500	Per 250	Per 50	Per 10	
Crabapple	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Crape Myrtle		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Persimmon	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Dogwood		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	
Wild Plum	\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	Redbud		\$210	\$160	\$55	\$35	

Pollinator Package 5 Dogwood, 5 Redbud, 5 Yellow Poplar \$65

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