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Newly Elected and Reelected Piedmont Soil and Water **Conservation District Supervisors Receive Oaths from New Region Four Representative** 

On January 6, 2015, the Piedmont Soil and Water Conservation District held their first District meeting of the New Year. The first act of business was to give the oath of office to the newly elected and also the reelected Supervisors representing their Counties. Reelected Supervisors for the Piedmont Soil and Water Conservation District were Mr. Heck Davis, Putnam County; Tim Duvall, Greene County; and Mr. Thomas Macfie, Taliaferro County. The new Supervisor elected to represent Baldwin County is Mr. Richard Torrance.

The Piedmont SWCD is made up of Baldwin, Greene, Hancock, Jones, Morgan, Putnam and Taliaferro Counties. There are two supervisors representing each county, one being elected and one being appointed. The supervisors meet monthly to discuss pressing soil and water resource related issues from their respective counties.

The oath was given by the new Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Region Four Representative, Andy Dyar. Mr. Dyar is a resident of Greene County and has been with the Commission since 2006. Mr. Dyar graduated from the University of Georgia and received a degree in Agricultural and Environmental Sciences. His duties began in the Milledgeville office and later transferred to the Athens office where he worked in the Watershed Dam Program and

then as a Resource Specialist in the Region Two office. Mr. Dyar says "It's great to be back in the Region Four area and I look forward to working with the people in this area."

For more information regarding the Piedmont Soil and Water Conservation District and the Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Commission, please contact Andy Dyar at 478-445-5766.



Pictured left to right: Andy Dyar, Region Four Representative; Heck Davis, Putnam County; Tim Duvall, Greene County; Thomas Macfie, Taliaferro County; and Richard Torrance, Baldwin County.