

GEORGIA SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR 2014 ELECTIONS

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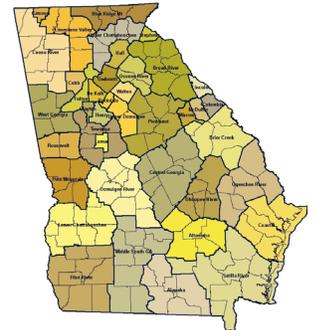
<http://gaswcc.georgia.gov>



Qualifying for the November 2014 General Election
must be completed March 3 - 7, 2014

For more information on qualifying as a candidate,
contact the Georgia Soil and Water Conservation
Commission at (706) 552-4470

<http://gaswcc.georgia.gov/how-do-i-become-swcd-supervisor-2014-elections>



District supervisors are elected for terms of four years. In November 2014, over 110 counties in Georgia will hold an election to choose a District Supervisor to represent them on a Soil and Water Conservation District Board.

Becoming a District Supervisor is an opportunity to help set local priorities for improving and protecting their local community's soil and water resources. District Supervisors are encouraged to be active in support of their District's activities.

These are non-partisan races. While the position is unpaid, District Supervisors are eligible to receive per diem for attendance at District meetings and events.

Key Date: Candidates seeking election in November must qualify in their county during the March 3 - 7, 2014, qualifying period as required by the Georgia Secretary of State Elections Division. Candidates who do not qualify by that date cannot appear on the November 2014 General Election ballot.

How to qualify as a candidate for Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor

1. The candidate must be a resident in a county that is scheduled to hold an election for district supervisor.
2. Obtain a petition to run for office from a Georgia Soil and Water Conservation Commission office, a local soil and water conservation district office, or the GSWCC website at <http://gaswcc.georgia.gov/how-do-i-become-swcd-supervisor>.
3. Collect 25 signatures from qualified registered voters in their county.
4. Turn in a completed petition to local elections officials during the Qualifying Week of March 3 - 7, 2014.
5. File a financial disclosure form (The Ethics in Government Act requires each person who qualifies as a candidate for election as a public officer to file a Personal Financial Disclosure Statement within 15 days of qualifying. The final deadline for filing in 2014 has not been set yet.).
6. If the petition is approved by the local election official, the candidate's name will appear on the November ballot
7. The candidate with the highest number of votes in the 2014 November General Election will be declared the new District Supervisor.

The following counties will hold elections for Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor in 2014:

Appling	Colquitt	Habersham	Montgomery	Tift
Atkinson	Dawson	Hall	Morgan	Toombs
Bacon	Decatur	Haralson	Muscogee	Towns
Baker	DeKalb	Heard	Newton	Treutlen
Baldwin	Dodge	Henry	Oconee	Troup
Barrow	Dooly	Irwin	Oglethorpe	Turner
Bartow	Early	Jasper	Pickens	Twiggs
Ben Hill	Echols	Jefferson	Polk	Union
Berrien	Elbert	Jenkins	Putnam	Walker
Bleckley	Emanuel	Johnson	Quitman	Walton
Brantley	Evans	Lamar	Randolph	Ware
Bulloch	Fannin	Lanier	Richmond	Warren
Burke	Fayette	Laurens	Rockdale	Washington
Butts	Floyd	Lee	Schley	Webster
Camden	Forsyth	Lincoln	Seminole	Wheeler
Candler	Franklin	Lowndes	Stephens	White
Carroll	Fulton	Lumpkin	Stewart	Wilcox
Catoosa	Gilmer	Macon	Sumter	Wilkes
Chattooga	Glascokk	Madison	Talbot	Wilkinson
Clarke	Glynn	Marion	Taliaferro	Worth
Clay	Grady	Meriwether	Taylor	
Clayton	Greene	Mitchell	Terrell	
Cobb	Gwinnett	Monroe	Thomas	



To qualify, a candidate:

Must be a citizen of Georgia.

Must be a qualified voter.

Must be a resident of the county in which seeking the office.

For more information about qualifications and disqualifications to the elected office of Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor, see the Georgia Secretary of State's Information for Candidates at <http://sos.ga.gov/>.