

State Commission for Conservation of Soil, Water & Related Resources
Quarterly Meeting
Via Zoom

Thursday, April 8, 2021 – 10:00 am to 12:00 noon

DRAFT AGENDA(3/31/2021)

- Introductions
- State Commission
 - District Grants
 - Conservation District Grant Program update
 - FY 2022 Conservation District Grant Program RFR
 - Review and Approve the existing *Districts in Good Standing* policy
- Healthy Soils Action Plan for Massachusetts – Progress Report
 - Presentation from Keith Zaltzberg
 - Final approval timeline within EEA
- An Act Enabling Partnerships for Growth, Bill H.5250, Signed January 14, 2021.
(the act adds additional responsibilities to the State Commission for work related to healthy soils)
 - Discussion of new law and the State Commission's Section 20 of chapter 21-Powers & Duties.
 - Next steps and actions by the State Commission on healthy soils topic
- General Business Items
 - Supervisor Appointments if needed (voting item)
 - District Annual Meetings update
- Mass Envirothon Council & Committee – Envirothon report (voting item)
- Partner Updates
 - NRCS, DAR, State Grange, F&W, DEP, DCR, MACD, others
- Adjourn

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