

Secretary of the Commonwealth

Regulations Division
One Ashburton Place, Room 1613
Boston, MA 02108-1512

Dear Secretary Galvin:

In accordance with the requirements of M.G.L. c. 30A §§ 18 through 25, please accept this as a Public Notice that a representative of the State Commission for Conservation of Soil, Water & Related Resources will oversee and administer a conservation district on-line annual meeting and conduct the election of supervisors for that district.

The virtual meeting to conduct these elections for the Worcester County Conservation District will be October 20, 2021 starting at 7:00 p.m. The agenda is;

- 7:00 Welcome by Chair Susan Phinney
- 7:05 Introduction about WCCD and Opportunity to speak on board volunteering by Susan Phinney
- 7:10 Introduction of NRCS District Conservationist Bob Purcell to talk about NRCS services and programs suitable for this audience.
- 7:20 Report of the Nominating Committee by Scott Davis
- 7:30 Elections and swearing in of WCCD supervisors Susan Phinney, Scott Davis and Jenny Stimson.
- 7:35-8:10 Presentation as partner of Davidian's Farm CIG grant "Maintaining Soil Health by integrating Cover Crops and Reduced Tillage using a New Plastic Mulching Technology in Shaped-Bed Vegetable Production" by Joel Betts, Breton Lorway, and Mike Davidian.
- 8:10 Brief business meeting by Chairman Susan Phinney
- 8:15 Adjourn

Nominations of candidates for these positions may be made by the petition of land occupiers of the district, delivered to the State Commission for Conservation of Soil, Water & Related Resources via email at Thomas.anderson@mass.gov or at the time of the holding of the election and/or by any land occupier present at the on-line meeting. Voting will be by open roll call and the candidates receiving the highest number of votes will be declared elected.

Registration in advance is required. Email your request for the Zoom link to thomas.anderson@mass.gov . After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Please advise if anything further is required. I can be reached via this email address. Thank you.

Sincerely;
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