

Two Ways to Get Your Name on the Ballot

Interested in becoming a supervisor for the soil and water conservation district? Here are the requirements: Any resident 18 years of age or older who resides within the county of the election can seek election to the SWCD board of supervisors. Names can be placed on the ballot in one of two ways.

1. Candidates can be nominated by the SWCD nominating committee.

This committee works throughout the year looking for candidates who are interested in the conservation and protection of natural resources within the county.

2. Interested individuals may also stop at the SWCD office 12167 State Route 104, Lucasville OH and pick up a nomination petition form. Potential candidates need to secure at least 10 signatures from residents and/or landowners from the county and submit the petition to the district by the close of business on June 19, 2023. Candidates meeting the eligibility requirements and deadline will be listed on the ballot for the special election, which will take place between July 24, 2023 and August 22, 2023. Votes can be cast either by requesting an absentee ballot or by stopping by the office at 12167 State Route 104, Lucasville, Ohio to vote. Office hours are 7:30 am to 4:00 pm, Monday thru Friday. The last day to vote is August 22nd at 3:00 pm.

Soil and water conservation districts, located in all 88 Ohio counties, are legal subdivisions of state government that provide natural resource management assistance to county landowners and other units of local government. The district is funded by the Scioto County Commissioners, and county funds are supplemented by funding from the Ohio Department of Natural Resources. The district is governed by a five-member board of county residents. Board members serve staggered three-year terms.

The nomination procedure changes were adopted by the seven-member Ohio Soil and Water Conservation Commission, which oversees SWCD election guidelines.

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