

OHIO SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION

SWCD - Resident Absentee Ballot Request Form

County residents wishing to vote absentee by mail may use this form to request an absentee ballot. All requests must be received by the local SWCD Office not sooner than 21 days and not less than 5 days prior to the election.

County residents wishing to vote absentee in person at the local SWCD Office must complete this absentee ballot request form not sooner than 21 days prior to the election and no later than time posted by the local SWCD Office in the election legal notice.

Per Ohio Revised Code 940.04 the _____ Soil & Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors, will hold an election for _____ supervisors to be held on _____.

To process this Absentee Ballot Request, the informational box below must be completed by the voter.

I, _____, hereby apply for an absentee ballot and registration envelope from the _____ Soil and Water Conservation District. I hereby certify that I am an eligible voter in this special election as I meet the criteria of being at least 18 years of age and reside within the county's jurisdictional boundaries. Legal Signature _____ Date _____ Please note: Submitted Absentee Ballot Request Forms must contain the voter's legal and original signature to be valid. Thus, any Absentee Ballot Request Forms not having a legal and original signature will be deemed invalid. Faxes, email or scanned Absentee Ballot Request Forms will not be accepted and will be deemed invalid.

If requesting an absentee ballot and registration envelope to be mailed to you, please complete the following:

Name: _____ Street Address: _____ City: _____ State & Zip Code: _____

To be processed and have a ballot mailed to you, please mail the completed Absentee Ballot Request Form to the following address:

_____ SWCD _____, OH _____

Questions? Please contact your local Soil & Water Conservation District at: _____.



What is a Soil & Water Conservation District?

Conservation Districts are locally organized, self-governing bodies chartered by the State. Through voluntary action and cooperation with landowners and other stakeholders, Soil & Water Conservation District works to conserve Licking County's natural resources for the benefit of all.

2019 Board of Supervisors Election

The Licking County Soil & Water Conservation District (LCSWCD) has a five-member Board of Supervisors elected by landowners and residents of Licking County. As unpaid Public Officials, the Board members are responsible for conducting business within the scope of the laws and administrative rules that govern Soil & Water. Board members also help guide Soil & Water's mission with professionalism, efficiency and effectiveness.

The Ohio Soil & Water Conservation Commission will cause an election of one (1) Supervisor of the Soil & Water to be held in accordance with Chapter 940 of the Ohio Revised Code on November 6, 2019. The three-year term will begin January 1, 2020. The top candidate with the most votes will be announced at the end of the Annual Banquet on November 6, 2019.

Voters may cast their ballot one of the following three ways:

1. *Vote on Wednesday, November 6, 2019 from 5:30 p.m.–6:30 p.m., at The Grove by the River, 840 Hollander Street, Newark, Ohio.*
2. *Walk in to cast an absentee ballot at the Soil & Water office starting October 16, 2019 and before 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, November 6, 2019.*
3. *Mail request for an absentee ballot* Complete and mail the Licking County Resident Request for Absentee Ballot SEL-2 form (available at www.LickingSWCD.com) by November 1, 2019. A ballot will be mailed to the address provided on the form. The ballot must be returned to the Soil & Water office via mail or in-person to be a valid ballot.

**If you DO NOT reside in Licking County but own land in Licking County, contact LCSWCD at (740)670-5330 for the proper absentee ballot request form. **

2019 Candidates

David Grim

Mamie Hollenback

Visit www.LickingSWCD.com for candidate information.