



**Franklin Soil and Water  
Conservation District**  
*Creating Conservation Solutions for Over 70 Years*



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### **“Plant the Seed of Conservation” Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District’s 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting and Board of Supervisors’ Election.**

**9/13/2019 FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO-** Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District is holding its 73<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting and Board of Supervisors’ Election on Thursday September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019. The Annual Meeting will be hosted at our office (1404 Goodale Blvd, Suite 100, Columbus, Ohio 43212) from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., while the election will be open to the public from 11:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. The evening will include highlights of the past year, current program updates, dinner, a silent auction, and our Conservation and Educator of the Year Awards.

The theme, “Planting for Conservation” will focus on our fundraising efforts for our Conservation Stewardship Fund with The Columbus Foundation. Tickets are available for \$25 and all proceeds from the Annual Meeting and silent auction are dedicated to the Franklin Soil and Water Conservation Fund, with the goal of installing conservation projects that assist in the protection and improvement of soil and water resources in Franklin County.

Enabled under Ohio Revised Code 1515, soil and water conservation districts are subdivisions of the State of Ohio organized along county boundaries. The five-member Board of Supervisors is the governing body of Franklin Soil and Water. Supervisors must own land or reside in Franklin County. They are elected to three-year terms. There are two candidates for one open seat: Chris Wible and Abigail Rhodebeck. [[Click for a short biographies of the candidates.](#)]

Residents or landowners, firms and corporations that own land or occupy land in Franklin County and are 18 years of age or older may vote for supervisors. A non-resident landowner, firm or corporation must provide an affidavit of eligibility, which includes designation of a voting representative, prior to casting a ballot. [[Find out ways you can vote in our Board of Supervisors’ Election.](#)] It is not necessary to register in order to vote in the election. Registration covers entry to event and dinner.

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