

**NORTH CAROLINA SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION
AGENDA**

WORK SESSION

May 12, 2026: 4:00 p.m.

Virtual through Microsoft Teams

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May 20, 2026: 9:00 a.m.

1959 Jake Alexander Boulevard

Suite 1300, Salisbury, NC 28147

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I. CALL TO ORDER

The State Government Ethics Act mandates that at the beginning of any meeting the Chair reminds all the members of their duty to avoid conflicts of interest and inquire as to whether any member knows of any conflict of interest or potential conflict with respect to matters to come before the Commission. If any member knows of a conflict of interest or potential conflict, please state so at this time.

II. PRELIMINARY – Business Meeting

Welcome – Cell phones set to silent

Chair Barbara Bleiweis

Rowan County Welcome

Mr. Bruce Rider, Vice-Chair
Rowan Soil and Water
Conservation District

III. BUSINESS

1. Approval of Agenda

Chair Barbara Bleiweis

2. Approval of Meeting Minutes

Chair Barbara Bleiweis

A. March 10, 2026, Work Session Meeting Minutes

B. March 18, 2026, Business Session Meeting Minutes

C. April 14, 2026, Business Session Meeting Minutes

3. Division Report

Director David Williams

4. NC Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts Report

President Gail Hughes

5. NRCS Report

Mr. Julius George

6. Consent Agenda

A. Supervisor Appointments

Ms. Kristina Fischer

ATTACHMENT 1

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| B. Supervisor Contracts | Mr. John Beck |
| C. Job Approval Authority Applicants for Consideration | Mr. Josh Vetter |
| D. Technical Specialist Designations | Mr. Michael Shepherd |
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| 7. Additional Items Submitted Since Work Session | |
| A. Additional Supervisor Appointments | Ms. Kristina Fischer |
| B. Additional Supervisor Contracts | Mr. John Beck |
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| 8. Streamflow Rehabilitation Assistance Program (StRAP) Round 2 and 3 Allocations | Mr. Matt Safford |
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| 9. Request for Exception to Criteria for Extension of Previous Program Year Contracts Policy | Ms. Julie Henshaw |
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| 10. Inquiry Committee Findings | Ms. Kristina Fischer |
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| 11. Managing Nutrients in NC: Watershed Rules, Achievements, & New Directions | Ms. Allie Dinwiddie |
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| 12. District Special Request | |
| A. Post Approval(s) | |

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT