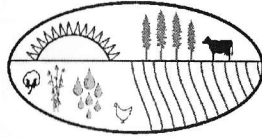


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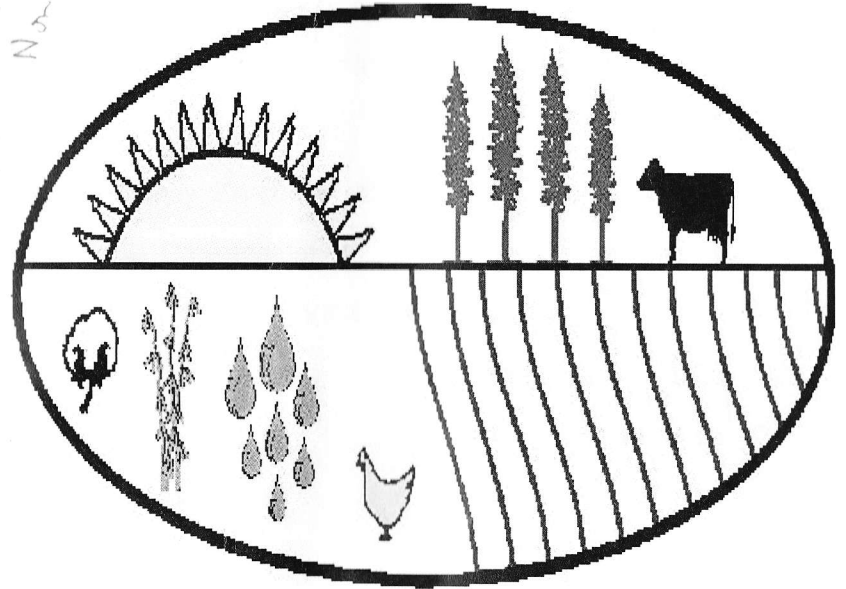


Chestatee-Chattahoochee RC&D Council

GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS

Needs Assessment NRCs

*EPA 319 program to
general control
Non point source*



**February 26—27, 2016
JEKYLL ISLAND
CONVENTION CENTER
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2016 Supervisor Training

Thursday, February 25:

8:30 am NRCS Meeting Ocean Room 2

12:00 am Lunch (On Your Own)

12:30 pm Supervisor Training Registration Meeting Room 4 / 5

1:00 pm Supervisor Training

2:30 am BREAK

4:00 pm Dismissal & Dinner (On Your Own)

5:30 pm GACD Board Meeting Meeting Room 1

Friday, February 26:

7:30 am Registration Oceanside Registration

7:30 am Breakfast (Supervisor Training Attendees)

9:00 am Supervisor Training Meeting Room 4 / 5

9:00 am NRCS Meeting Meeting Room 2 / 3

10:15 am Break

12:00 pm Leadership Luncheon Ben Porter Salon Room 6

12:00 pm Lunch (Registered Guests) Ballroom A

1:00 pm Welcome & Business Session Ballroom B

Keynote Bob Izlar, Warnell School of Forestry, UGA

NRCS Update Terrance Rudolph, State Conservationist

GSWCC Update Brent Dykes, GSWCC Executive Director

NRCW Update Luke Crosson, Director of Workshop

Green Book Update Ben Ruzowicz, GSWCC Urban Program Manager

Election of Officers

Other Business

Where Are We Going Dan Bennett, GACD President

3:00 pm Auxiliary Meeting Meeting Room 1

3:00 pm NRCS Employee Meeting Meeting Room 2 / 3

3:45 pm Break

6:00 pm Annual Awards Banquet Ballroom A

Saturday, February 27:

7:00 am Registration Oceanside Registration

7:00 am Breakfast Ballroom A

Exhibit Showcase & Auxiliary Craft Sale/Country Store

8:00 am General Session Ballroom B

Welcome and Opening Remarks Dan Bennett, GACD President

Invocation

Presentation of Color Glynn Academy ROTC

Pledge of Allegiance

National Anthem Glynn Academy Choir

Memorial Service Brent Dykes, GSWCC Executive Director

Introduction of Keynote Speaker Jerry Holcomb, Coastal SWCD

Keynote Address Jon Burns, House Majority Leader

Breakout Sessions Choose Two:

9:30 am — 10:30 am (1st Round)

Breakout

Estate Planning - Marjorie Shuman, CPA Ballroom B

Invasive Species & Insects— Chip Bates, GFC Meeting Room 1

Waters of the US— Scott Thackston, GFC Meeting Room 2

Soil Health—Nathan Lowder, NRCS Meeting Room 3

10:30 am Break

10:45 am — 11:45 am Breakout (2nd Round)

12:00 pm Depart for Lunch & Tour (Saint Simons Island)

2015 GACD AUXILIARY OFFICERS

President	Patsy Nix
Vice-President	Karen Rogers
Secretary-Treasurer	Cherry Monroe
Chaplain	Betty Harris

2015 DISTRICT CHAIRPERSONS OF SWCD

Alapaha	Owen C. Prince
Altamaha	Travis Cook
Blue Ridge Mountain	John Kay
Brier Creek	Art Rider
Broad River	George Smith
Catoosa County	Roger Bowman
Central Georgia	Ralph Veal
Clayton County	Kyrishia Johnson
Coastal	M. L. Coffey
Cobb County	Woody Snell
Columbia County	Rick Crawford, Jr.
Coosa River	Davis Nelson
DeKalb County	Dell MacGregor
Flint River	Marty McLendon
Fulton County	Alan Toney
Gwinnett County	Ellis Lamme
Hall County	Mike R. Haynes
Henry County	Amy Rollins

CONSERVATION PARTNERSHIP

NATURAL RESOURCES

CONSERVATION SERVICE

STATE CONSERVATIONIST

Terrance O. Rudolph

LEADERSHIP TEAM MEMBERS

Dale Bogardus – Management and Strategy

Tansel Hudson – Operations

Katura Wright–Programs

Diane Guthrie–State Conservationist Engineer

Chris Groskreutz–State Public Affairs Specialist

Tina Jerome–State Resource Conservationist

Jim Lathem–State Soil Scientist

Michael Watson–Griffin, Area 1

Jack Lewis–Athens, Area 2

Floyd Hooker–Americus, Area 3

David Walden–Waycross, Area 4

Kandi Hostetler–State Conservationist Secretary

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CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Harold Fallin, Vice Chairman.....Region IV
Bob Martin.....Region V

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Brent Dykes

DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Dave Eigenberg

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Robert Amos, Athens Region II
Dustin Rushing, Statesboro Region III
Andy Dyar, MilledgevilleRegion IV
Luke Crosson, DawsonRegion V

Lamar County	Andy Bush
Limestone Valley	Don Keeter
Lincoln County	Marcus Matthews
Lower Chattahoochee River	Hiram Bo Beard
McDuffie County	Don Palmer
Middle South Georgia	Milton Ussery
Ocmulgee River	Tim Allen
Oconee River	Dewey Johnson
Ogeechee River	Fred G. Blich
Ohoopsee River	Roy Gilder
Piedmont	Patrick H. Hardy
Pine Mountain	Sam T. Rigdon, Sr.
Rockdale County	Fox McCarthy
Roosevelt	Joel Keith
Satilla River	Bill Alexander
Stephens County	Roger Sheppard
Towaliga	Sidney Beach
Upper Chattahoochee River	Leonard Ridings
Upper Ocmulgee River	Phillip Standard
Walton County	Dan Bennett
Warren County	Jim McMichael
West Georgia	Denney Rogers

In Memory

Mr. Marshall Taylor—Catoosa County

Mr. Charles Rutland—Coosa River

Mr. Curry Hogan—Lincoln County

Mr. Willard Kimsey—Stephens County

*Mr. Albert Franklin Taylor, Sr.
—Upper Chattahoochee River*

*Mr. Mac Claude Abercrombie, Jr.
—West Georgia*

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Vice-President	Woody Snell, Cobb County
Secretary	Marty McLendon, Flint River
Treasurer	Roger Bowman, Catoosa County
NACD Board Member	Dennis Brown, Broad River
Immediate Past President	Danny Hogan, Central Georgia

EX OFFICIO MEMBERS

GSWCC Executive Director	Brent Dykes
GSWCC Deputy Executive Director	<i>Moving to</i> Dave Eigenberg
NRCS State Conservationist	<i>Nebraska</i> Terrance Rudolph

GROUP VICE-PRESIDENTS

Group I	Davis Nelson, Coosa River
Group II	Clay Wilson, Broad River
Group III	Dan Bennett, Walton County
Group IV	Marty McLendon, Flint River
Group V	Jerry Holcomb, Coastal

ALTERNATE GROUP VICE-PRESIDENTS

Group I	Denney Rogers, West Georgia
Group II	Gene Anderson, Hall County
Group III	Larry Eley, Piedmont
Group IV	Hal Simpson, Alapaha
Group V	Travis Cook, Altamaha