



Association Executive Director's

Report to the Commission

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2025 Legislative Items

We have attended several meetings within the General Assembly, following the progress of funding. This is the long session when a biennial budget should be adopted. We will continue to follow the progress of bills that have funding directed to Soil and Water.

Advanced Training for Soil and Water Conservation Supervisors

We will soon start the planning for the Advanced Training. It will be offered regionally with plans to hold this year's in the Coastal Region. The date will likely be in July.

NC Resolution to NACD

We had 2 resolutions presented to NACD. The first was a resolution requesting NACD work with Congress to provide compensation for loss of property use due to federal regulations. That resolution already had similar language in adopted NACD policy.

The second resolution was requesting NACD work with NRCS, or Congress if needed, to include farmland as property for EWP. This one was adopted without edits. Other states expressed interest in this resolution at the NACD National Meeting and offered their support.