



MUSKINGUM SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

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Muskingum Soil and Water Conservation District "Conservation Educator of the Year"

Awards Application Form 2019

Background:

The Muskingum Soil and Water Conservation District honors Muskingum County educators for his/her work in conservation education each year. The Conservation Educator of the Year awards program was instituted in 1984.

The objectives of the awards program are to create an awareness and appreciation of the value of conservation education and to stimulate efforts by teachers to advance the wise use, protection, and enhancement of the nation's soil, water, and related resources.

The winner will receive the award at the Muskingum Soil and Water Conservation District's Celebration of Conservation held in the fall.

Eligibility:

The nominee must have taught soil and water conservation concepts to residents of Muskingum County for a minimum of three years. Educators selected need not specialize only in environmental education. Previous award winners are ineligible (see the enclosed list).

Nominations:

1. Each school district may nominate one employee for consideration. Additionally, any SWCD staff or Supervisor or member of the public can nominate one teacher.
2. The awards are based on the quality and scope of the educator's conservation education program and activities within the preceding three school years.
3. Entries shall consist of a completed nomination form and a concise narrative response to each numbered item listed under "Items to be Considered". Supporting letters and/or documents are optional.
4. The nominator must sign the nominating form.

Items to be Considered:

1. Does the nominee have a well-rounded knowledge of soil and water conservation concepts?
2. Does he/she promote conservation education beyond the requirements of his/her job description?
3. Does he/she use a high degree of creativity in planning interesting and innovative methods of teaching appropriate conservation concepts?
4. Please list how students have applied knowledge of soil and water conservation principles to:
 - A. individual project,
 - B. group project, and
 - C. school and community projects.

Deadline:

All entries must be received by Friday, August 2, 2019. They should be mailed to:

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**Nomination Form
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NOMINEE INFORMATION

Name of Educator _____

School District _____

School _____

School Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

County _____

School Phone _____

Department _____

Grade Level(s) _____

Subjects taught other than
environmental or conservation
education _____

Nominee's Home Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Home Phone _____

NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Name of Nominator: _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Phone _____

Signature of Nominator _____