



Through the On Farm Network, we are able to provide quality nitrogen testing and aerial imagery to assist our producers in effectively managing nutrients.



The SWCD is a leader in promoting conservation practices to protect and increase the health of the soil through workshops and cost share programs.



Cover Crop fly-on's

2014 Pond Workshop

How does your contribution help?

Your important contribution will be used to hold workshops, develop educational literature, demonstration plots, publications, and other items to keep our office operational.

Benefits of Membership:

Level 1: One ticket to the SWCD Annual Business Meeting and advertisement on website and in one newsletter.

Level 2: Two tickets to the SWCD Annual Business Meeting, an advertisement on website and in two newsletters and one 3 gal tree at our Fall Tree Sale.

Level 3: Four tickets to the SWCD Annual Business Meeting, advertisement on website and in all newsletters* and one 3 gal tree at the Fall Tree Sale.

Level 4: Advertisement in all SWCD newsletters* and on our website including company logo and link; four tickets to the SWCD Annual Business Meeting and one 5 gal tree at the Fall Tree Sale.

To join the Delaware County SWCD as a Friend of Conservation, please fill out the back of this brochure and mail with check payable to:

**Delaware County SWCD
3641 N Briarwood Lane
Muncie, IN 47304**

Memberships run from January 1st to December 31st.

*The Delaware County SWCD prints 4 newsletters per year.



**Delaware County Soil & Water
Conservation District**

Friends of Conservation

Purpose of Soil and Water Conservation Districts:

To provide information about soil, water, and related natural resource conservation; identify and prioritize local soil and water resource concerns; and connect land users to sources of educational, technical and financial assistance to implement conservation practices and technologies.

www.delaware.iaswcd.org

765-747-5531 ext. 3

Support local conservation efforts by becoming a Friend of Conservation of the Delaware County SWCD!

Friends of Conservation are individuals, businesses or groups wishing to support conservation and local natural resources with much needed funding. This support will help the Soil & Water Conservation District provide technical guidance, education and programs specific to the needs of the County relating to conservation.

The Delaware County SWCD is a very small, non political organization in the unique position to be able to bring a variety of programs to our local producers.

One focus of the DCSWCD is the health of the soil and related agricultural practices. Securing funding to assist landowners and producers to increase the health of the soil and decrease erosion is a high priority. Practices supported by the DCSWCD include cover crops and no-till, grassed waterways, buffer strips, pollinator habitats, etc.

Our targeted approach includes hosting educational workshops with experts in the field, grant writing to bring cost-share for these practices and providing a local contact for

the state's On Farm Network nitrogen testing program.

In addition to our work with local agricultural producers, the DCSWCD also works to bring recreational opportunities and other urban conservation practices to the community; including the trail systems at Prairie Creek Reservoir, Urban Swales in Muncie, the Bank Stabilization's at Prairie Creek Reservoir, Minnetrista's Green Roof and the John M. Craddock Wetland Nature Preserve.

As a Friend of Conservation, you will help keep our office functioning and providing valuable services. In return, members can benefit from our educational materials, programs, networking, and advertisements throughout the year.

2014 Farming For Soil Health



2014 Cover Crop Plot Field Day

Friend of Conservation Form

	Amount of Contribution
Level 1 Friend (\$100-\$299)	_____
Level 2 Friend (\$300-\$499)	_____
Level 3 Friend (\$500-\$999)	_____
Level 4 Friend (\$1000+)	_____

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone _____

Email: _____

Company Website: _____

Send this form along with check payable to:

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