

Jennings County Soil & Water Conservation District

March 7, 2017

Annual Meeting Minutes

The Annual Meeting of the Jennings County Soil & Water Conservation District was held at the Rolling Hills Shrine Club in North Vernon, Indiana. There was a total of 113 people in attendance. The meeting began at 6pm.

The meal was catered by Rolling Pin Catering and the speaker for the event was Dr. John Scott Foster, Executive Director, Wesselman Nature Society in Evansville. Dr. Foster's presentation was about Pollinators and was well received with the crowd in attendance.

Conservation Awards were presented to N.V. Plain Dealer & Sun, Barb King and her staff for the Friend of Conservation Award. Jennings County School Corporation under the direction of Amber Fields was presented the Conservation Education Award.

Jane Hardisty, NRCS State Conservationist, was in attendance to re-present the Jennings County SWCD and Pollinator Committee with the IASWCD District Showcase Award, the NRCS State Earth Team Volunteer Award and the NRCS National Earth Team Partnership Award.

Andy Ertel presented the district's year in review showcasing the many activities that the district staff, supervisors and volunteers provide in Jennings County.

Brad Ponsler was re-elected to the SWCD board for another 3 year term.

The Annual Meeting concluded at 8:15pm.

Minutes taken by Kelly Kent

Board Approved Annual Meeting Minutes on March 23, 2017

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