



Updated – October 15, 2020

The Dakota County Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) office is closed in response to the COVID-19 health pandemic. Pesticide applicator testing is available by appointment only. Please call 651-480-7780 to schedule an appointment. The SWCD office remains closed for all other appointments, meetings or events.

It has now been over six months since the pandemic has required us to communicate and work differently. The SWCD remains committed to the health and safety of our employees, partners and the public. We encourage residents to contact us through by phone at 651-480-7777 or by email at swcd@co.dakota.mn.us

SWCD Staff are implementing programs and assisting landowners with conservation projects. Most employees are working remotely to perform their duties. You can access individual staff emails at the following link and then click on their name <http://www.dakotawcd.org/staff.html>.

Field tasks are conducted under implemented safety measures such as isolating one person to a vehicle, avoiding large in-person field meetings, wearing a mask and practicing social distancing. We are making every effort to provide good public service while maintaining your health and safety.

The SWCD Board of Supervisors meets via teleconferencing as applicable under law. Meeting information is available on our web site at www.dakotawcd.org.

Thank you for your continued patience during this time. Please be safe.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brian Watson".

Brian Watson, District Manager
Dakota County Soil and Water Conservation District