



# City of Columbus

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## Legislation Text

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Recognizing Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District on their 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**WHEREAS**, Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District was established on May 11, 1946, as a part of the nationwide effort to combat the land erosion and dust storms which greatly damaged the ecology and agriculture of the United States during the 1930s; and

**WHEREAS**, Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District's mission is to promote responsible land use decisions for the conservation, protection, and improvement of soil and water resources by providing information assistance through effective partnering, technical guidance, and education; and

**WHEREAS**, the work performed by Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District is of great benefit to the City of Columbus and its residents and provides a tremendous resource in the ongoing effort to encourage sustainable agricultural practices, prevent erosion, reduce pollution, manage storm water, and promote land use planning; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Columbus is committed to responsible environmental stewardship and the conservation of our natural resources through working with stakeholders in the community like Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBUS:** That this Council does hereby recognize Franklin Soil and Water Conservation District on its 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and expresses its gratitude for their ongoing work.