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Historical Information

Soil and water conservation districts (SWCDs) were established in the 1930s to develop comprehensive programs and plans to conserve soil resources, control and prevent soil erosion, prevent floods, and conserve, develop, utilize and dispose of water. As of 2026, 47 districts serve as local resources for residents in nearly all Virginia localities. Districts, which are political subdivisions of the state, manage conservation programs, employ staff and deliver conservation services free of charge.

Scope and Content

State Water Control District files, 1938-2008, include correspondence, certificates of organization, and reports for water districts in Virginia.

Other Descriptive Data

These records are part of the Dept. of Conservation and Recreation record group (R.G. 18)

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