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Welcome to *Focus*, our E-Newsletter

Award Winning

Scott Stephens and Bret Bacon were recognized for completing 30 and 20 years of service, respectively, at the 77th annual Conservation Partnership Meeting of the Ohio Federation of Soil and Water Conservation Districts (OFSWCD). Shown left to right in the photo: OFSWCD officer Matt Peart, Scott Stephens, and OFSWCD President Bob Short.



Virtual Conservation Workshops Nearing

- **Family Wetland Day:** Saturday, April 18th. Visit [City of Powell](#) or Powell's [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#) pages to view a virtual wetland tour and access educational wetland resources.
- **Pond Clinic:** Tuesday, May 5th, 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. View this clinic virtually at [City of Powell](#), when available.



Tree Sale—Order Pickup Changes

Trees will be available for pickup at the office Tuesday, April 14th through Friday, April 17th from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. For after-hours pickup, please call the office to make arrangements. When picking up trees, please pull down to the lower level parking lot, and someone will be available to hand your order to you. There will be no need to get out of your car or enter the office. If you live in-county and are unable to make it to the office for pickup, we will deliver your order on Friday, April 17th. You must call the office at 740-368-1921 before noon Thursday, April 16th to request delivery.

[Read More About The Tree Sale >](#)



In The Press

A variety of natural resources topics (written by our staff) are available, courtesy of the Delaware Gazette:



[In a Pickle? Try Green Eggs and Ham](#)

[Family Foraging Fun in the Great Outdoors](#)

~ A note from Scott Stephens, Delaware SWCD Administrator:

Our office has made changes to protect the health and safety of the people we serve, our employees, and the community. Please know that we will be doing everything we can to continue typical services. Until further notice, the Delaware SWCD will be closed to the general public. Documents may be mailed via U.S. Postal Service or emailed to the Delaware SWCD office (click the “contact us” link on our website). In addition, a box has been placed at the entrance to the Delaware SWCD for dropping off documents. Thank you for your understanding during this challenging time.

April showers bring May flowers. And remember, “Hope springs eternal!”



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