



May 2020 WVCA Report

COVID 19

The governor has deemed it safer for West Virginians to remain at home until it's deemed safe to lift all precautions he has put in place. WVCA employees will continue to operate under telecommute status for the foreseeable future.

Request to Conservation Districts

The WVCA is encouraging Conservation Districts to review and update your District Plan of Work. Plans are due to Guthrie by June 15.

Conservation Farm Tour

The state farm contest has been cancelled for 2020. Districts are encouraged to name a farmer to be recognized at the October awards banquet. These farms will be eligible to run in the statewide contest for 2021.

2020 WVACD Quarterly Meeting Dates/Locations

Discussion has been held on whether to hold the July quarterly meeting and question of location, whether to go ahead as planned in EPCD since that is a hot spot for the virus. One suggestion was Flatwoods as a safer location. Meeting will depend on virus restrictions at that time.

Please check with your representatives for updates.

AGEP

- **May/June/July 2020**– CDs to finalize upcoming FY program, update AgEP agreement addendum, take action to approve LORs
- **June 15, 2020**– Deadline for CDs submit final practice list to WVCA (CDs can submit final list any time after SCC approval of practice list)

State Fair of WV Volunteer Sign Ups

The schedule for state fair volunteers is now available under WVCA admin. If you would like to schedule a time to work at the state fair, please contact your district manager.

O&M Sponsor letters

Please review your agreements and be sure that they are current. It is the responsibility of CDs to accomplish this this year.