

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

COMMENDING ARKANSAS' 76 CONSERVATION DISTRICTS FOR  
DEDICATED STEWARDSHIP OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF  
THE STATE, ESSENTIAL TO THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING  
OF THE CITIZENS OF ARKANSAS AND THE WORLD.

WHEREAS, the Arkansas General Assembly of 1937 passed the Nation's first Conservation District Law, act 197 of 1937; and

WHEREAS, the State's Natural Resources are basic to the "Natural Image" identity Arkansas has nurtured; and

WHEREAS, Conservation Districts have served the State's people and resources with unsurpassed dedication for the past fifty years; and

WHEREAS, that resource is basic to the health and economy of the State and its people; and

WHEREAS, Conservation Districts and their Directors are deserving of public commendation and appreciation;

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly and the individual members of the Assembly hereby express sincere appreciation of Arkansas Conservation Districts for their outstanding contributions to the future of the State and Nation and to the well-being of the people, and commend them for their dedication to the wise utilization of our Natural Resources; and

THAT the week of May 24 -- 31, 1987 is hereby designated and recognized as "Soil Stewardship Week" in Arkansas.