One elected position and one appointed position on the Skagit Conservation District (SCD) Board will expire in 2020. The positions are currently held by Jed Holmes (elected) and Margery Hite (appointed). There are no term limits, so both candidates may choose to continue on the Board if elected by the public or appointed by the Washington State Conservation Commission to do so.

To vote, request an absentee ballot by 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 3, 2020 by calling the SCD at (360) 428-4313 or cast your vote at our public walk-in poll election, which will be held from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Wednesday, March 25 at 2021 E. College Way, Mount Vernon, WA. Voters must be Washington State registered voters and live within Skagit County.

To be an elected candidate, you must be a Washington State registered voter and live within Skagit County and file an information form with the SCD by 4 p.m. Tuesday, February 25, 2020. For your name to appear on the ballot, a valid nomination form signed by 25 registered Skagit County voters must also be filed by February 25, 2020. Information forms and nomination petitions are available by contacting the SCD at (360) 428-4313.

To be an appointed candidate, go to http://scc.wa.gov/elections/ and complete the Conservation District Appointed Supervisor Application form. This is only available on-line. The SCD can provide assistance if needed. Applications for the appointed position must be received by the Washington State Conservation Commission (WSCC) by close of business on Tuesday, March 31, 2020.

More about the Board of Supervisors
The SCD Board is a governing body of five supervisors who are unpaid public officials. The Board oversees the work of the SCD, which provides voluntary, incentive based options that support working landscapes while protecting and enhancing our natural resource land base. Three of the Board Supervisors are elected by the voters of Skagit County and two are appointed by the WSCC.