



The Agriculture Commission of South Carolina

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NOMINATIONS BEING ACCEPTED FOR CANDIDATES TO SERVE ON THE SOUTH CAROLINA CORN BOARD

Pursuant to the provisions of the “Agricultural Commodities Marketing Act” of 1968, and the “Marketing Order No. 14 for South Carolina Corn” issued by the Agriculture Commission of South Carolina on April 12, 2024, **NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Agriculture Commission of South Carolina Corn is seeking nominations for the inaugural South Carolina Corn Board.

As a board member for the South Carolina Corn Board, your primary focus is to help determine the funding spent for research, education, and advertising and sales promotions for the corn market in the State of South Carolina.

If you are interested in becoming a South Carolina Corn Board Member, you will need to request a petition. This petition can be requested by calling Ellen Lloyd, Assistant to the Agriculture Commission of South Carolina, at (803) 734-9807 or (803) 734-2217 or by emailing elloyd@scda.sc.gov. **All petitions must be received by Friday, April 26, 2024.** Petitions received after Friday, April 26, 2024, regardless of the postmark date, will not be accepted. **Due to recent delays with the U.S. Postal Service, candidates are strongly encouraged to return their petitions via email to CornCheckoff@scda.sc.gov.** For a petition to be eligible/accepted, it must be signed by no less than five corn producers from the counties of the district seat you are petitioning for. (See Districts/Counties below).

Terms of office are for three years. To qualify, a candidate must be a resident of South Carolina and be actively engaged in producing corn within the State of South Carolina for a period of no less than one year. Additionally, during that one-year period, candidate will have derived a substantial portion of his/her income from corn production and shall continue to do so from the production of corn during their term of office. The South Carolina Corn will hold approximately four quarterly meetings per year to conduct business. Reimbursement for mileage is paid for travel to and from meetings. In addition, a \$50 per diem is paid per meeting attended.

District 1 includes the Counties of Abbeville, Aiken, Anderson, Cherokee, Chester, Edgefield, Fairfield, Greenville, Greenwood, Kershaw, Lancaster, Laurens, Lexington, McCormick, Newberry, Oconee, Pickens, Richland, Saluda, Spartanburg, Union, York.

District 2 includes the Counties of Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Horry, Marion, Marlboro.

District 3 includes the Counties of Clarendon, Georgetown, Lee, Sumter, Williamsburg.

District 4 includes the Counties of Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Beaufort, Berkeley, Calhoun, Charleston, Colleton, Dorchester, Hampton, Jasper, Orangeburg.



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