



April 15th 2026

WELCOME TO THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE FINNISH SOCIETY OF SOIL SCIENCES (FSSS)

The Annual meeting of the FSSS will be held on Wednesday April 29th 2026 at 15:00 as a hybrid meeting. The meeting of the Society's Acidic Sulphate Soils subdivision is organized before the annual meeting at 13:00-15:00.

You can participate in the meeting either at present in the Natural Resources Institute Finland (Latokartanonkaari 9, Helsinki) or virtually (Microsoft Teams). You don't need to register for the annual meeting separately. In connection with the meetings, coffee and snack will be served for those who wish. In order to minimize food waste, we ask those participating in to register using the online form no later than April 24th 2026. The link to the registration form can be found [here](#).

Remarks about the Annual meeting:

- Each member of the FSSS present at the meeting has one vote at the meeting. Virtually participating members have the right to speak, but not the right to vote (see the FSSS's rules at www.maapera.fi).
- You can present written initiatives on other matters to be discussed at the meeting (item 11 of the agenda) no later than Wednesday April 1st 2026 (tiina.tormanen@luke.fi). (expired)
- Other than members of the Society can also participate in the annual meeting. They have the right to speak at the meeting, but not the right to vote.
- Registration, instructions and meeting material will be announced later.

Program:

13:00-15:00 The FSSS's Acid Sulphate Soil Division meeting

For further information, contact Miriam Nystrand (miriam.nystrand@abo.fi)

15:00 Annual meeting of the FSSS

Keynote speech: will be announced later

15:30 Opening the FSSS's Annual meeting

See the agenda below.

~ 17:00 Closing the FSSS's Annual meeting

With Spring regards,

The Board of the Finnish Soil Science Society



Agenda of the FSSS Annual meeting

The meeting language will be Finnish.

1. A chairman and a secretary shall be elected for the meeting
2. The legality and quorum of the meeting shall be established
3. Two auditors of the meeting minutes and at least two tellers shall be elected
4. Consider the report of the Board of Directors on the activities of the previous year
5. Present the financial statements and the opinion of the accountants for the previous year
6. To decide on the approval of the financial statements and the discharge of the Board of Directors and the National Committee from the activities of the previous year
7. The strategy and budget of the Society and the National Committee for the current financial year are approved
8. The preliminary strategy and budget for the following financial year shall be approved
9. Decide on the amount of the Society's membership fee for the next financial year
10. Elect one accountant and deputy accountant for the following financial year and determine their reward
11. Address other issues
 - young researcher spotlight
 - Maaperätieteen päivät in January 2027
12. Closure of the meeting