Wisconsin Society of American Foresters

John Macon Award

This is an award that is unique to our State to recognize an outstanding WI-SAF member from within the Wisconsin Society of American Foresters for their outstanding contributions to forestry in Wisconsin. The purpose is to recognize outstanding efforts over a sustained period of time by a WI-SAF member in the promotion of forestry through voluntary service to the Society.

The award was established in 1979 and funded by an endowment from the estate of John W. Macon, a former Timberlands Manager for Consolidated Papers.

Nominees for the John Macon Award must demonstrate a strong continuing commitment to volunteer work supporting WI-SAF and its members which furthers the cause of forestry. Nominees must be members of the WI-Society of American Foresters. Evaluation will be based on:

1. Leadership in Volunteer Work Supporting WI-SAF
2. Promotion of Forestry
3. Evidence of outstanding efforts over a sustained period of time

The nomination must be submitted by December 31st of each year to the Chair, Professional Recognition Committee of WI-SAF. The award will be presented the following year at the WI-SAF annual conference. The nomination packet must include:

1. A nomination letter from the person placing the individual in nomination.
2. A biographical sketch (not to exceed three pages), including education, experience, and evidence of complying with the three evaluation criteria.