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LARRY SCHULTZ RECEIVES "CLARK CRONQUIST WATERLINE AWARD"

Larry Schultz of Southeast Water Users District was presented with the highly prized "Clark Cronquist Waterline Award", by the North Dakota Rural Water Systems Association (NDRWSA) at the 36th Annual Rural Water EXPO and Conference banquet held February 2, 2022 in Fargo. This award is given to someone who through their distinctive leadership and perseverance has gone above and beyond the call of duty in the promotion, development, or enhancement of rural water on a state or national level.

Larry has been involved in the water industry for over 25 years. He was instrumental in getting Ransom/Sargent Rural Water started and built in the early 1990's. Larry has spent countless hours attending informational meetings, meeting with legislators, and state water commission personnel. His son also recalls a publication about Larry in the "ND Water Magazine" highlighting the number of miles he traveled in his red 1995 Chevrolet pickup running to Bismarck for meetings to get the project off the ground and funded. He has been a board member for 23 years and served on the ND Rural Water Executive Board for 8 years. He continues to be a true advocate for rural water.

He enjoys spending time with his wife, son and daughter-in-law, and their three grandchildren. In his spare time, he enjoys hunting and fishing with his family.

The NDRWSA was formed to coordinate rural water system programs on a statewide basis. The association also provides technical, managerial and financial assistance to aid municipalities and rural water systems in complying with the federal Safe Drinking Water Act and the Clean Water Act.

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