Carl N. Becker Stewardship Award Nomination Form

Nominations are valid only for the current year. Preference may be given to "local" nominees who are geographically proximate to the location of the current year's meeting.

The winner of the award should be advised that they will need to be **present in person** at the Natural Areas Conference Awards Banquet on Wednesday October 11, in order to accept the award. NAA will cover the winner's registration costs.

Nominators for nominations that are not selected will be advised accordingly and encouraged to resubmit the nomination for a future conference.

Return this form, a copy of the nominee's resume and at least one letter of reference or support for the nominee/nomination by May 12 to: Rick Myers at Rick.Myers@dcr.virginia.gov

Name of Nominator:
Nominator Address:
Nominator Telephone:
Nominator Email:
Date:

Name of Nominee:
Nominee Title:
Nominee Address:
Nominee Telephone:
Nominee Email:

1. Describe the achievement(s) that form the basis for this nomination.

2. Describe the scope of the activity and the complexity of the resources/issues addressed.

3. How was creativity demonstrated? What new ideas or different approaches did the nominee or group use to solve the problem(s)?

4. What methods or techniques did the nominee use to overcome obstacles and how did these contribute to the success of the overall mission?

5. What other decisions or actions illustrate the nominee's or group's overall, long-term commitment to natural area preservation and activities designed to restore and/or preserve sustainable ecosystems? How has this commitment been communicated to the public?

6. Describe whether a nominee's accomplishments were strictly in the course of employment or were above and beyond: did the nominee volunteer/donate time and resources?

7. Describe the nominee's involvement with NAA. Is the nominee an NAA member?
If so, how long have they been a member? Has the nominee ever served on the NAA Board, or on an NAA Committee? If so, for how long have they served?