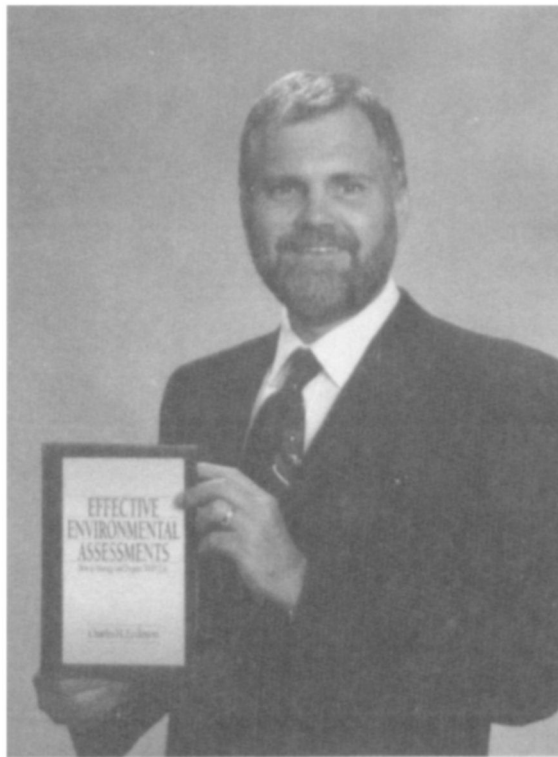


Eccleston Receives President's Award for Outstanding Performance at NAEP Conference

Upwards of 50,000 Environmental Assessments (EAs) are prepared annually. Yet, NEPA regulations do not focus on EAs, but on preparing Environmental Impact Statements. This has resulted in a great deal of diversity in the way EAs are prepared between agencies, and even within the same agency. The text *Effective Environmental Assessments: How to Manage and Prepare NEPA EAs*, by Charles Eccleston, is the first textbook exclusively devoted to the subject of preparing an adequate EA. For his



efforts, Mr. Eccleston received the following NAEP award at the 2001 annual conference in Washington, DC:

President's Award for Outstanding Performance: "In recognition of outstanding performance in the Environmental Profession and for the Advancement of NEPA Practice as author of *Effective Environmental Assessments: How to Manage and Prepare NEPA EAs*."

Mr. Eccleston is president of the Environmental Planning and NEPA Services Company, and this is the third book that he has authored on the NEPA planning process.

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