## DEVILS LAKE BASIN WATER STEWARDSHIP AWARD

AN ANNUAL AWARD PRESENTED BY THE DEVILS LAKE BASIN JOINT WATER RESOURCE BOARD

## CRITERIA:

- PRESENTED TO AN INDIVIDUAL, GROUP OR ORGANIZATION
- WHO HAS CONTRIBUTED TO ASSISTING WITH THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BOARD'S MISSION STATEMENT:

"DEVELOPMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE, COORDINATED WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE DEVILS LAKE BASIN THAT WILL PROTECT THE ECONOMIC AND BIOLOGICAL VALUES OF THE DEVILS LAKE BASIN WHILE PROVIDING OPTIMUM BENEFITS FOR AGRICULTURE, WILDLIFE & FISHERIES, RECREATION AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR ITS CITIZENS."

- MAY BE NOMINATED BY ANY INDIVIDUAL, ORGANIZATION, OR GOVERNMENTAL BODY FROM ANY OF THE SEVEN COUNTIES THAT COMPRISE THE DEVILS LAKE BASIN.
- NOMINEES MUST HAVE DEMONSTRATED A COMMITMENT TO IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR THE DEVILS LAKE BASIN COMMUNITY THROUGH THEIR EFFORTS TO IMPROVE LAND AND WATER STEWARDSHIP IN THE BASIN.
- APPLICATIONS MAY BE OBTAINED FROM ANY JOINT BOARD MEMBER OR THE JOINT BASIN OFFICE AND <u>MUST</u> BE RECEIVED IN THE JOINT BASIN OFFICE BY 5 PM TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023.
- RECIPIENT(S)OF THE ANNUAL WATER STEWARDSHIP AWARD WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE ANNUAL JOINT WATER CONFERENCE AWARDS EVENT IN DECEMBER OF EACH YEAR.