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*(Excerpted from Barb Crawford's introduction of Mark at the awards ceremony)*

**Mark Butler** has been honoured as the 2010 Ira P. MacNab Award recipient, established by the Atlantic Canada Section of the American Wastewater Association (ACWWA). The award has a proud history, stretching back to 1957, and it includes Mark's dad as a recipient in 1985.

Mark first became a leader in the water community while attending the University of New Brunswick - he became involved with and led a chapter of Water for People. While serving on the Board of the ACWWA, Mark's talents were recognized by fellow Board members and the membership. As Education Chair, Mark was critical in developing new courses and strategies that have continued to serve the section favourably. He also served as Chair of ACWWA and was able to successfully implement a Board restructure. Although his term with the ACWWA Board has ended, Mark's presence is still very strong. He formed a new committee for Past Chairs of the ACWWA that meets annually and he was extremely active in planning the 2010 Annual Conference.

Outside of his ACWWA contributions, Mark is a key member of Dillon's team in the Saint John office. Mark and his wife, Kate, are proud parents of four children who are active in community sports and activities.

Overall, Mark's contributions to the ACWWA and to the water profession are outstanding and well deserving of recognition for the 2010 MacNab Award.

**CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR  
ACHIEVEMENT MARK !**