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LOCAL MEDIA HONORED AT STATE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT CONVENTION

The Paynesville Press was honored on December 1, 2003 for the MASWCD Media Award at a Dec 1st luncheon at the annual convention of the Minnesota Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts (MASWCD) in St. Paul.

Each year, local Soil and Water Conservation Districts have the opportunity to nominate the Media for their work in promoting soil and water conservation in the local media. The Paynesville Press is a rural town newspaper which takes pride in providing quality news concerning local events and natural resource issues affecting the people of central Minnesota. The Paynesville Press has been a strong local supporter of conservation and the local SWCD in Stearns County, Minnesota.

The Paynesville Press has supported the Stearns County SWCD by printing numerous articles and by making sure the public is aware of soil and water conservation in the county. Additionally, the Paynesville Press has provided a wealth of information about local soil and water conservation on their web site.

The Paynesville Press has been a strong supporter of conservation in Stearns County and recognition with the Media Award at the 2003 MASWCD is noteworthy.

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