Membership

Name Changes for Two ASA Communities

Two ASA Communities have changed their names. The former Remote Sensing of Evapotranspiration Community will now be called Evapotranspiration Measurement and Modeling to reflect a broader scope of interests, including many measurement and estimation techniques other than remote sensing. The former Nutrient Loss Assessment and Prevention Community has changed its name to Nutrients and Environmental Quality, as the members feel the name change will make the Community more inclusive.

The leadership of each Community conducted online polls of its respective members to gather input and vote on the name change. The Community name changes were then approved by the ASA board.

Add these two Communities to your ASA membership by visiting My ASA Communities today: www.agronomy.org/account/communities/asa.

New Community Committee Formed

A committee aimed at supporting the health, stewardship, and review of ASA Sections and Communities was formed in early 2013, called the “ASA Community Stewardship and Review Committee.” It is a board-level committee appointed by ASA President Sharon Clay and includes several at-large members. Former ASA President Newell Kitchen chairs the committee, with members Jeff Hattey, Drew Lyon, Judy Tolk, and Sara Uttech (ex-officio).

For more information about the new ASA Community Stewardship and Review Committee, view the Committee description at www.agronomy.org/about-society/committees/A213, or contact one of the committee members.

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Note to SSSA members: the SSSA bylaws ballot closed 12 Feb. 2013, and the SSSA membership approved the revised bylaws. The bylaws are posted at www.soils.org/files/about-society/sssa-bylaws.pdf.