News and Announcements

Associate Editor Named for North Central Region

Michael G. Ulmer, Assistant State Soil Scientist, Natural Resources Conservation Service, Bismarck, North Dakota, has been appointed by the editorial board to a 3-yr term as Associate Editor, North Central Region for Soil Survey Horizons. Mr. Ulmer replaces Jim L. Richardson, who was Associate Editor for the region for 6 yr.

Mr. Ulmer has been a soil scientist in North Dakota since 1977. His past positions have included field mapper, project leader, and State GIS Coordinator. Mr. Ulmer’s present position includes responsibility for interpretations and special investigations in the state. He received B.S. and M.S. degrees from North Dakota State University. His graduate work emphasized the development of wheat and sunflower soil productivity indexes. Mr. Ulmer is a past presi-