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ROWE Professional Services Company planner receives Michigan Association of Planning award

Flint, Michigan, Oct. 1, 2009 – ROWE Professional Services Company employee J. Douglas Piggott, AICP, PCP, received the 2009 Michigan Association of Planning's award for exceptional contributions.

Piggott, the sole recipient of this distinguished award, is being honored for his quiet, yet inspired, selfless and humble contributions to the 5,000-member Michigan Association of Planning. He was presented as MAP's 2009 Exceptional Contributor on Sept. 30 at the organization's annual conference awards banquet in Mt. Pleasant.

MAP is a non-profit organization formed in 1945 to achieve a desired quality of life through comprehensive community planning that includes opportunities for a variety of lifestyles and housing, employment, commercial activities, and cultural and recreational amenities.

Piggott joined MAP in 1990 and became a member of its law committee in 1992. His passion for the profession, along with his expertise, helped to frame MAP policy, which is often turned into legislation and regulatory change.

Piggott has more than 25 years of experience in the planning profession. He is an associate (owner) of ROWE, where his responsibilities include assisting cities, villages, townships, and counties in preparing land use plans; zoning ordinances and maps; downtown development and tax increment financing plans; house numbering projects; tax mapping; site plan and rezoning request review; zoning board of appeals training; parks and recreation planning; grant writing and administration; and water and sewer rate studies.

ROWE's headquarters is in Flint, Mich.; additional offices are located in Lapeer, Mt. Pleasant, Grayling, and the tri-cities area in Mich., and Myrtle Beach, SC.

ROWE Professional Services Company is a full service professional consulting firm specializing in civil engineering, surveying, aerial photography/mapping, landscape architecture, planning and land development services.

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