Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists Of the Province of Manitoba

Honorary Life Membership

to

R. R. (Bob) Foster

B. Sc. (Civil), P. Eng.

Bob Foster became registered with the Association on 19 April 1967, and has been a member continuously for 40 years. Bob graduated from the University of Manitoba with a B.Sc. degree in Civil Engineering in May 1965. He also received a Master of City Planning from the University of Manitoba in 1971, and a B.A. in Sociology, from the University of Winnipeg in 1986.

Bob was a member of Council for five years and was President in 1984. He served on the Executive Finance Committee for one year; the Social/AGM Committee for eight years, the Public Relations committee for two years the Bulletin Committee (now the Publication Committee) for five years; the CCPE Affairs Committee for three years; the Committee to Review Committees for two years; the Admissions Review Board for one year; the Nominating Committee for four years; the Awards Committee for one year; the Public Relations subcommittee re the Engineering Museum for one year; and the Task Force on Sustainable Development for one year. This makes a total of 34 Committee years of service.

In 1987 Bob received the Association's Outstanding Service Award. Bob was commended by Council in recognition of the work he had done in connection with the Engineering Diorama at the Manitoba Museum of Man and Nature to mark the Centennial of Engineering in Manitoba in 1987.

Bob started his career with Wardrop Engineering Inc. in 1966 – progressing from Design Engineer to Manager of Civil Engineering, Planning and Environmental Services, to Vice President. Then, in 1997 Bob became Director responsible for engineering, environment and project management activities with the Winnipeg Airports Authorities. In 1999 he started working for Acres International Ltd., and in 2002 Bob became self-employed and pursued assignments on an individual basis where his many years of experience brought a mature and practical application of technology and business insight to the planning, environmental and technical aspects of development projects.

Honorary Life Membership is granted to Bob Foster in recognition of the service he has provided to the Association and to the profession in Manitoba.

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