

2017 SAW Stewardship Award Recipient - Jeremy Brown, Cutknife, Saskatchewan

On April 7, 2017, the Saskatchewan Association of Watershed presented Jeremy Brown of Cutknife, Saskatchewan with the 2017 SAW Stewardship Award.

Jeremy Brown has demonstrated leadership, and commitment to the protection and enhancement of watersheds, throughout his career with the Water Security Agency. Jeremy is a Professional Agrologist, and has worked directly with producers to help them to develop water sources, protect existing water sources, and has delivered countless presentations to producers encouraging watershed stewardship and riparian area protection. Jeremy has advanced watershed stewardship activities throughout the province through his work with the Agri-Environmental Group Plans and watershed stewardship groups, and has frequently gone “above and beyond” to provide technical support and assistance to watershed stewardship groups and staff. Jeremy’s dedication to stewardship and approachable nature quickly made him a “go-to” for many watershed group staff members as an excellent resource, mentor, and friend. He has always been very willing to accommodate requests for assistance with project ideas, applications, and technical support including farm visits that often took him significant distances from his North Battleford office.

Jeremy Brown has recently announced his departure from the Water Security Agency to take on the role of Provincial Forage Specialist with Ducks Unlimited, where he can continue to work with producers and groups to protect and enhance watersheds and habitats. We are grateful that we will still have the opportunity to work with Jeremy into the future in his new role, but we wanted to seize this opportunity to recognize Jeremy for all of his support and assistance in the success of the watershed stewardship groups and AEGPs to date. Jeremy’s passion for agriculture and environmental stewardship are inspiring to all, and we feel that he makes an exceptional candidate for the SAW Watershed Stewardship Award this year.

Jeremy, SAW thanks you for your commitment to Source Water Protection and Watershed Planning Services.