



## **EPSILON SIGMA PHI-ALASKA CHAPTER**

### **Call for 2002 Alaska ESP Award Nominations**

The Alaska Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Phi has established an awards and recognition program to coincide with the National awards program. This year we are seeking nominations for five awards as follows:

#### **I. State Distinguished Service Award**

- ESP Member, contributed significantly to state Extension program planning and delivery

#### **II. State Mid-Career Service Award**

- ESP member with 10-20 years of service who has contributed significantly to Extension programs

#### **III. State Early-Career Award**

- Do not have to be an ESP member, but show the ability to plan and deliver Extension programs in less than 10 years of service

#### **IV. State Meritorious Support Award**

- Staff members who, have shown support for the mission, program, and professional staff of Cooperative Extension. Such persons include secretaries, program assistants, technicians, communications production staff, business office staff and others

#### **V. State Friends of Extension Award**

- Non-Extension volunteers who have given outstanding public service and support to state Extension programs. Nominations may be individual, teams, or organizations

## General Directions

- There is one form for each of the five awards. Just make an (X) beside the type of award for each nominee. Be sure that all information and a photograph included. Limit your nomination to three pages.
- Nominations and photograph (digital preferred) are to be submitted by December 2, 2002
- Nominations will be accepted using the form provided on the Alaska web site [http://www.uaf.edu/coop-ext/esp/awards/awd\\_nom\\_form1.html](http://www.uaf.edu/coop-ext/esp/awards/awd_nom_form1.html), e-mail: Natalie Thomas [fnat@uaf.edu](mailto:fnat@uaf.edu), FAX: 907-479-2787 (please call before sending), or by mailing to: Natalie Thomas 176 Henderson Road, Fairbanks, Alaska 99709
- Please make sure the 2002 dues for each ESP nominee have been paid prior to nominating someone for an award. Tony Nakazawa, ESP Treasurer, can tell you the membership status of your nominee. To e-mail Tony Nakazawa send message to: [fnatn@uaf.edu](mailto:fnatn@uaf.edu)
- Awards will be selected in time to submit state winners for Regional and National competition prior to the March 1, 2003 deadline. State Award winners will be honored at a meeting during the year. Regional Awards are presented at ESP National Conference. The next annual conference will be held in 2003 at Galaxy II Summit, Salt Lake City, UT, September 21-25<sup>th</sup>. For more information on the Galaxy II, go to the National ESP web site: <http://espnational.org>