

Anthony Terrell (Terry) Rolan (Berry Academy Class of 1964)

Terry Rolan, the environmental resources director for the city of Durham, N.C., is a chemist, public health professional, and utility manager with wide experience in public policy, organizational development, and volunteerism.



Professional Record

Line Officer - United States Navy Reserve Retired -Active Duty - 1969-1971
Black, Crow, and Eidsness, Environmental Consulting Engineers,
Montgomery, AL
City of Durham, Division of Water Resources
Sanitary Engineer I – Industrial Waste Control, December 1973 - June 1974
Process Engineer - June 1974 through November 1974
Sanitary Engineer II - Special Projects, Process Control & Development
Section-
November 1974 - February 1975
Assistant Director - Division of Water Resources, February 1975 - May 1982
Department of Water Resources

Director - May 1982 to April 1998

Environmental Resources Department

Director - April 1998 to present.

AWARDS

Outstanding Young Men of America, 1970

Sigma XI - The Scientific Research Society, University of North Carolina Chapter, 1973

Select Society of Sanitary Sludge Shovelers

North Carolina-Charter Member, 1986

Georgia-Honorary, 2002

Missouri-Honorary, 2003

George Warren Fuller Award, NC Section American Water Works Association

Water Utility Man of the Year, 1990

Arthur Sidney Bedell Award, North Carolina Water Pollution Control Association
and the Water Environment Federation, 1993

Honorary Member Award- American Water Works Association, 2000

Distinguished Alumnus Award- Department of Environmental Sciences and
Engineering, School of Public Health, UNC Chapel Hill, 2000

Life Member-American Water Works association, 2002

Rolan spent six years on the American Water Works Association Water Utility Council, serving as vice-chair, regulatory committee chair, and member of the source water protection work group. He has also been a member of American Water Works Association committees on surface water, dependable yield, sludge disposal, and residuals management.

In his 31 years as an American Water Works Association (AWWA) member, Rolan has compiled a record of volunteerism at the section and international levels that has been recognized with the Fuller Award in 1990 and honorary membership in 2000.

He served two years as an AWWA vice-president and represented the North Carolina Section on the AWWA Board of Directors from 2000 to 2003. Rolan is particularly interested in encouraging the participation of young professionals and those from diverse backgrounds.

In addition to his contributions to technical matters, Rolan has served on the Administrative and Policy Council; the Membership, Strategic Planning, and Young Professionals committees; and the American Water Works Association Research Foundation Board of Trustees. He chaired the Young Professionals Committee in 2002-2003.

His section service ranges from work on numerous committees-including long-range planning, finance and government affairs-to secretary-treasurer, board member, and section chair.



Rolan has a bachelor's degree in chemistry and a master's in public health in environmental chemistry and biology. He is also a recipient of the Water Environment Federation Arthur Sidney Bedell Award and a Distinguished Alumnus Award from the University of North Carolina Department of Environmental Engineering and Science.

He is retired from the US Naval Reserve, serving primarily as a public information and administrative officer.

Other professional affiliations include the North Carolina Water Resources Research Institute, and Public Technology, a nonprofit organization for US cities and counties. He also holds the highest level of certification in North Carolina for both water and

wastewater plant operations. Terry Rolan is seeking election as AWWA president-elect for 2004.

Terry and his wife Linda have 4 grown sons and 6 grandchildren. Terry's fondest memories of Berry include: track and cross country, monthly dances, and weekends at the Rome Teen Club. While at Berry he worked at: ground maintenances, poultry farm, kitchen, and administrative office. His favorite instructor was Bill Green. Terry is a Lay Minister for Church of God in Clinton, North Carolina. His favorite hobbies are traveling, fishing, hunting, and do it yourself projects (DIY)



You can take the boy out of Berry but you can't take Berry out of the boy.
David Woody

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