

**A&WMA Georgia Chapter**  
**1998 Environmental Awards Winners**

**Major Source: Compliance Management Program**

**Delta Air Lines** was the 1998 recipient of AWMA's Air Quality Award for **Major Source: Compliance Management Program** for the recent comprehensive revision and implementation of their internal regulatory compliance procedures. The result of this revision is a system for regulatory compliance assurance which takes full advantage of state-of-the-art information technologies. Delta's air quality compliance program includes:

- An Environmental Procedures Manual which translates applicable regulatory requirements into concise shop level instructions;
- An Environmental Coordinator Program that gets employees involved in environmental compliance at all levels of Delta's organization;
- Comprehensive environmental training to supplement the Environmental Procedures Manual; and
- An internal audit system for compliance status assessment and tracking.



Awards Chair Sean Nicholl presents Award to John C. Marshall and Ira Pearl of Delta Air Lines.

## **Hazardous Waste Management Program - 1998**

**Lockheed Martin Aeronautical Systems** has developed an impressive Hazardous Waste Management System which tracks hazardous waste from its point of generation through disposal. The system ensures that all hazardous waste drums are characterized properly, monitored weekly and removed within 90 days, if necessary. This information has been integrated into an information management system, and is available at the desktop using a web interface.

Waste drums are identified using bar coded labels, and tracked through the process of storage, transport, and disposal. Manifesting is accomplished by selecting a waste type or site, the transporter, disposal facility and state. The manifest is automatically printed on the appropriate state form, according to the location of the disposal site.



Sean Nicholl presents Award to Barbara Foster and Gary Altgilbers of Lockheed Martin Aeronautical Systems.

## **Waste Minimization/Pollution Prevention - 1998**

**Shaw Industries** has demonstrated a commitment to waste minimization/ pollution prevention through the development of numerous programs that re-use waste carpet scraps, that would otherwise go to the landfill. Shaw has worked independently and with other organizations to develop technology that puts carpet waste back to use in the carpet mill and as a strengthening component in roads and concrete construction. Shaw's most recent drive to minimize waste has lead their Green Team to develop a system of collecting post consumer carpet for recycling uses.

Shaw's carpet manufacturing process generates only 7 % waste and Shaw recycles 75% of that amount. They have been responsible for keeping millions of pounds of carpet waste from arriving at the landfills each year. Shaw's waste minimization goal is to send zero waste to the landfills by the new millennium.



Sean Nicholl presents Award to Ann Marie Magee and Jim Daubs of Shaw Industries