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Letter from the Editor

Dear Members of NACIS,

Welcome to CP54, the spring 2006 issue of *Cartographic Perspectives*. A quick look out my office window would hardly suggest that it is the middle of spring here in Duluth. Forty degrees...rain and snow mixed with fog...hardly a leaf in sight on the trees. Is this possible evidence that global warming is a ruse? Hardly. It's more an indication that I'm just not very good at selecting places to live that have desirable spring climates. Some geographer I turned out to be...ya, shuure, you betcha.

Jim Anderson, Lou Cross and I have revised the *Instructions to Authors* for *CP*. These are published in the back of this issue. Please take note of the expanded information on citing Internet sources, submitting illustrations, and obtaining permissions to re-publish work. Of special note are permissions to reproduce previously published

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