

Operator's Meritorious Service Award - Minnesota Section AWWA

Purpose of the Award: Recognition of special performance in one or more of the following:

1. Continuous compliance with all public health standards in treated drinking water.
2. Consistent and outstanding contribution to plant maintenance thereby prolonging the useful life of equipment.
3. The development of new and/or modified equipment or significant process modifications to provide for more efficient and/or effective treatment.
4. Special efforts in the training of treatment plant operators.
5. Special acts not directly related to water treatment, but which demonstrate dedication to the public beyond the normal operating responsibilities.
6. Consistent and outstanding contribution to operation and/or maintenance of distribution lines, pump stations and reservoirs.

The Award: Operator's Meritorious Service Award Plaque.

Frequency: Annually or as deserved.

Eligibility: Any member may nominate one water supply or distribution individual who during the time period of the meritorious activity, worked in any operations related capacity by submitting a completed entry form to the Secretary. Persons who have received the Operator's Meritorious Service Award previously are not eligible. Members of the current MNAWWA Board of Directors are not eligible.

Nomination Deadline: July 1

Selecting Recipient: The Operator's Meritorious Service Award Committee shall select a recipient from the list of nominees by a simple vote. The Operator's Meritorious Service Award Committee shall be composed of a number of members, appointed by the section chair.

Presentation of the Award: The award will be presented at the MNAWWA annual conference.

OPERATOR'S MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

Deadline for Submission: _____

Return To: _____

Address: _____

	<u>Nominee</u>		<u>Utility</u>
1.	Full Name: _____	Name:	_____
	Title: _____		_____
	Address: _____	Address:	_____
	Phone No.: () _____	Phone No.:	() _____

2. Eligibility: Please note the area(s) of the nominee's accomplishments.

- a. Continuous compliance with public health standards in finished water. _____
- b. Consistent and outstanding contribution to plant maintenance thereby prolonging the useful lives of equipment. _____
- c. The development of new and/or modified equipment or significant process modifications to provide for a more efficient or effective treatment. _____
- d. Special efforts in the training of treatment plant operators. _____
- e. Special acts not directly related to water treatment, but which demonstrate dedication to the public beyond the normal operating responsibilities. _____
- f. Consistent and outstanding contribution to operation and/or maintenance of distribution lines, pump stations, and reservoirs. _____

3. Justification: Please note the nominee's accomplishments which entitle him/her to receive this award.

4. Biographical Data: Please complete the Biographical Information Data Form.

5. Citation - Please provide recommended citation of 50 words or less:

Submitted By: _____

Name (Please Print) Date

Mailing Address: _____

Phone No.: () _____

(Attach additional sheets as required.)

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

(Print Clearly or Type)

a. Brief employment history: _____

b. Civic organization memberships (Lions, Kiwanis, schoolboard, etc.) _____

c. Year joined AWWA: _____ and offices held (indicate whether section or Association-level): _____

d. Professional organization memberships: _____

e. Professional awards or honors received. Give year and identify awarding organization:

f. College(s): _____ Degree: _____
_____ & Year: _____

g. Publications - List three major publications: _____

Attach additional information as necessary.