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JOHN QUINTANA RECEIVES ALLTRICITY NETWORK'S 2026 HONORARY LIFE MEMBER AWARD

ENGLEWOOD, Colorado — John Quintana, retired from Western Area Power Administration (WAPA), received the 2026 Honorary Life Member Award from Alltricity Network at its 2026 Fall Convention, held October 5-7 in San Antonio, TX.

The Honorary Life Member Award honors retired individuals for their years of dedicated service, esteemed reputation, and lasting contributions to the association, their organization, and the electric utility industry.

Over his 38-year career with WAPA, John built a wealth of experience across training, safety, apprenticeship coordination, and maintenance management, ultimately serving as Maintenance Manager at WAPA's Lakewood, Colorado, headquarters. He also shared his expertise through industry committees, including NESC, ANSI, EPRI, and EEI STEP. John brought that same dedication to Alltricity Network, where he served as Transmission Committee Chair for several years, continuing in the role until his retirement. His career reflects a deep commitment to advancing the electric utility industry and strengthening the knowledge and capabilities of the professionals who keep it running.



Congratulations to John and to all the 2026 Alltricity Network Leadership Award Winners. Thank you for your dedication to the electric utility industry:

Industry Leadership Award Recipients

- » Cody Carver, Chief Operations Officer, Delta-Montrose Electric Association
- » Bradley Palu, Corporate Safety Manager, Nebraska Public Power District
- » Joshua Walker, Vice President of Electric Consulting, ENTRUST Solutions Group (a Leidos Company)

Honorary Life Member Award Recipients

- » Jon Feickert, Retired, Black & Veatch
- » John Quintana, Retired, Western Area Power Administration

Distinguished Leadership Award

- » (2025 recipient) Scott Fry, Managing Director, Mycoff Fry Partners, LLC
- » (2026 recipient) Joe Frazier, Director of Generation Major Projects, Salt River Project

The 2027 nomination period will open in early Spring 2027. For details and submission guidelines for each award, visit AlltricityNetwork.org/Awards.

About Alltricity Network (formerly known as RMEL):

Alltricity Network is a not-for-profit electric utility trade association that has served the industry since 1903. United through education, networking, and training, our community—and our impact—is stronger. Alltricity Network's mission is: **Preparing the electric utility industry for the future through education and networking**. For more information, visit our website: AlltricityNetwork.org.