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Jerry Olds Receives 2015 Oilfield Patriot Award from Ohio Oil and Gas Association

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 28, 2015 – During a July 27 ceremony, the Ohio Oil and Gas Association (OOGA) presented Jerry Olds, founder and president of Solid Rock Energy, Inc. (Solid Rock), with the Oilfield Patriot Award, an annual honor bestowed by the trade association.

Established in 2006, the award recognizes individuals who have made significant contributions to protect, promote and advance the common interests of those engaged in all aspects of Ohio's crude oil and natural gas industry. Olds was honored for being a long-time influencer and advocate for the industry, including being a trailblazer by drilling in new geologic formations in the Appalachian Basin.

“For the past several decades, Jerry has contributed immensely to the oil and gas industry, our members and the state of Ohio,” said David R. Hill, president of the Ohio Oil and Gas Association. “There’s no denying that Jerry exemplifies the spirit of an Oilfield Patriot.”

A resident of Worthington, Ohio, Olds founded Solid Rock in 1981. The company produces crude oil and natural gas in Ohio. He is a past president of OOGA and is currently a member of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

Past Oilfield Patriots include William G. Batchelder (2014), William Kinney (2013), Rhonda Reda (2012), Steven L. Grose (2011), David R. Hill (2010), James R. Smail (2009), W. Jonathan Airey (2008), Sarah Tipka (2007) and Jerry James (2006).

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