

2019 SECTION AND ASSOCIATION AWARDS

SERVICE AWARDS

GEORGE WARREN FULLER AWARD
Given annually for distinguished service to the water supply field in commemoration of the sound engineering skill, the brilliant diplomatic talent, and the constructive leadership that characterized the life of George Warren Fuller. (AWWA award given on behalf of Section)
Bud Spillman
LYLE D. HERMAN AWARD
Given in recognition of contributions of time and talent to RMSAWWA
Ryan Walsh
WALT A. WEERS JOINT SERVICE AWARD (RMSAWWA/RMWA)
Presented to individuals who have demonstrated continued, long-term dedication and service to the members of RMSAWWA and RMWEA
Edyta Stec-Uddin
Volunteer Excellence AWARD
Presented to member for volunteer efforts in supporting the mission of RMSAWWA
Roger Harshman
OUTSTANDING COMMITTEE CHAIR AWARD
Presented to recognize an outstanding committee chair for their efforts on behalf of the Section
Randy Hays, Audit Committee

ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

RALPH M. LEIDHOLDT PLANT OPERATOR
Given in recognition of an outstanding water treatment plant operator for exceptional performance, dedication, and teamwork.
Ralph Haight, Aurora Water
OUTSTANDING DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM OPERATOR
Given to recognize an outstanding water distribution system operator for exceptional performance, dedication, and teamwork.
Travis Scurlock, Parker Water & Sanitation District
OUTSTANDING WATER TREATMENT PLANT MAINTENANCE
Given in recognition of an outstanding water treatment plant maintenance professional for exceptional performance, dedication, and teamwork.
Mike Ginan, Jacobs Rio Rancho
ALICE DARILEK WATER CONSERVATION
Given to recognize an outstanding performance and commitment to water conservation. Named in honor of Alic Darilek, whose dedicated work in New Mexico helped water conservation efforts throughout the region.
Laura Wing, City of Thornton
OUTSTANDING WATER TREATMENT PLANT
Given to an outstanding water treatment plant in recognition of exceptional performance, dedication, and teamwork.
Medium – Water Treatment Facility, Raton Water Works
Large – Marston WTP, Denver Water

OUTSTANDING WATER LABORATORY

Give to recognize an outstanding water laboratory staff for exceptional performance, dedication, and teamwork.

Laboratory Services Section, Colorado Springs Utilities

MEMBERSHIP AWARDS**DANA KEPNER AWARD**

Given to the RMSAWWA member that recruited the most new AWWA members. Prior to 1977, this award was called the Snoopy Award

Bud Spillman

MEMBERSHIP AWARD

A traveling trophy given annually to the state with the greatest percentage increase in membership

Not Given, Drop in Membership

AWWA AWARDS**Service to the Water Industry – 75 Year Award**

Albuquerque Benalillo County Water Authority

PARTNERSHIP FOR SAFE WATER

Wemlinger WTP, Aurora Water – 10-Year Phase IV Excellence in Water Treatment Award

Marston WTP, Denver Water – 2019 Presidents Award for Water Treatment

Rapid Creek WTP, Ute Water Conservancy District – Phase III 15-Year Directors Award

Peter D. Binney WPF, Aurora Water – 5-Year Directors Award for Water Treatment

City of Westminster – 2019 Directors Award for Distribution System Operations

SILVER WATER DROP

The Silver Water Drop is presented to individuals who have been members for 25 years or more.

Daniel M Campbell

Paul T. Carroll

Michael T. Cook

Richard L. Gerstberger

Dean Gregory

Robert J. Harberg

Paul W. Lander

Karl G. Linden

Murray J. McCaig

Scott E. Monroe

A. Mark O'Meara

Scott G. Perry

H. Thomas Settle Jr.

David A. Sohns

Arnold Strasser

William D. Wright

Thomas A. Zancanella

LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Life Membership is presented to individuals who have been members for 30 years or more and are 65 years or older.

James R. Adamsson

Joy M. Barrett

William B. DeOreo

Joanne Fagan

Michael C. Ketterling

Ralph E. Kingan

Ralph Mitchell

John M. Stubbart

GOLD WATER DROP

The Gold Water Drop is presented to individuals who have been members for 50 years or more.

Fred L. Hinker

SCHOLARSHIPS

JAMES B. WARNER

Given to encourage young professionals to seek higher education in a water-related field in honor of James B. Warner. Give to students who are at least a junior in college pursuing a water related field.

Carmen Velasquez, University of New Mexico

Charlie Liu, Colorado School of Mines

JAMES B. WARNER ASSOCIATES

Given to encourage young professionals to seek education at the associate degree level in a water-related field in honor of James B. Warner. Give to students who are beginning their second year of an associate degree at a community college and pursuing a water related field.

Greg Ching, Red Rocks Community College

SMALL SYSTEM MANAGEMENT

Given to an outstanding operator for a small system to provide opportunity to attend a management development course

Not Awarded