



Rocky Mountain Section 2008 WEF Awards



Arthur Sidney Bedell Award

This award was established to acknowledge extraordinary personal service to a member association.

Jenny Hartfelder, MWH Americas, Inc.

George W. Burke, Jr. Award

This award was established to honor municipal and industrial wastewater facilities for active and effective safety programs.

Town of Erie, Colorado

William D. Hatfield Award

This award is presented to operators of wastewater treatment plants for outstanding performance and professionalism.

Kevin Hill, Littleton/Englewood WWTP

Laboratory Analyst Award

This award was established to recognize individuals for outstanding professionalism, performance and contributions to the water quality analysis profession.

Kathryne Marko, City of Longmont

2008 RMWEA Awards

Select Society of Sanitary Sludge Shovelers

Jeff Rabas, Ramey Environmental, Inc.

Thomas Crapper Award

This award is presented to recognize worthwhile, behind the scenes contributions that led to the success of the organization.

Ginny Farmer

Friends of the RMWEA Award

These awards are given to a deserving municipality, vendor, and consulting firm for valuable support of the organization.

Consulting Firm – Richard P. Arber Associates
Municipality – Colorado Springs Utilities
Vendor – Liquid Waste Management

Analytical Merit Award

This award is presented to recognize outstanding wastewater analytical skills.

Colorado – No nominations
New Mexico – Elisabeth Norris, CH2M HILL, OMI
Wyoming – No nominations

Biosolids Management Merit Award

This award recognizes outstanding biosolids management.

Colorado – Paul Hepler, 75th Street WWTF, Boulder, CO
New Mexico – No nominations
Wyoming – No nominations

Collection System Award

This award is presented to recognize outstanding collection system performance.

Colorado – City of Aurora Wastewater Division
New Mexico – Richard Sims, City of Rio Rancho
Wyoming – No nominations

Industrial Pretreatment Award

This award is presented to recognize outstanding industrial waste pretreatment.

Colorado – No nominations
New Mexico – Neal Klimek, City of Rio Rancho, NM
Wyoming – No nominations

Industrial Waste Treatment Award

This award is presented to recognize outstanding industrial waste treatment.

Colorado – No nominations
New Mexico – No nominations
Wyoming – No nominations

Plant Operations Merit Award

This award is to recognize outstanding wastewater treatment.

Colorado – Bill Burks, Tri-Lakes Joint-Use Authority
New Mexico – Anthony Martinez, CH2M HILL OMI Project, Grants, New Mexico
Wyoming – No nominations

Plant Maintenance Award

This award recognizes outstanding wastewater maintenance.

Colorado – No nominations
New Mexico – Wayne Tsosie, City of Farmington WWTP
Wyoming – No nominations

Plant Performance Award

This award is presented to recognize outstanding results in plant operations, maintenance, and public relations.

Colorado – Buena Vista Sanitation District
New Mexico – No nominations
Wyoming – No nominations

Quarter Century Award

Awarded to members who have been significant, full-time participants in the water environment industry for a period of 25 years, 10 of which must have included involvement in day-to-day collections, maintenance, operations, laboratory, or management of a wastewater facility.

Michael Boyett, Littleton/Englewood WWTP

Bill Martin Scholarship

This scholarship is for high school students, enrolling in a 2 or 4-year college or university for study related to the water environment profession.

Benjamin Buhler, Regis University

Tony Campman Scholarship

This scholarship is for an RMWEA member or a dependent of an RMWEA member, pursuing study at a 2 or 4-year college or university in the water environment profession.

Nathan Hancock, Colorado School of Mines