

Western Canada Water Environment Association

Call for Nominations – Deadline April 30

If you know anyone worthy of an award nomination or are interested in serving on the Board of Directors submit your nomination at <https://wcwea.org/index.php/about/nominations>.



AWARDS

Laboratory Analyst Excellence Award

The Board of Directors established this award in 1993 to recognize individuals for outstanding performance, professionalism, and contributions to the water quality analysis profession. Nominees must be a member of the Water Environment Federation and employed at an educational facility laboratory, industrial, commercial, or municipal laboratory which performs wastewater-related analysis, and must have direct analytical responsibilities.

Arthur Sidney Bedell Award

The Arthur Sidney Bedell Award was established to acknowledge extraordinary personal service to a Member Association. Nominees must be a member of the Water Environment Federation and demonstrate organizational leadership, administrative service, membership activity, stimulation of technical functions, or similar participation.

William D. Hatfield Award

The William D. Hatfield Award is presented to a wastewater treatment plant operator for outstanding performance and professionalism. Nominees must be a member of the Water Environment Federation and contributed to the dissemination of information concerning advancements in the field.

Burke Award

Recognizes a municipal or industrial wastewater facility for establishing and maintaining an active and effective safety program. This award was established in 1982 in honor of George W. Burke, Jr., for his many years of service to both the water environment field and WEF as staff manager of technical services. Mr. Burke was instrumental in developing WEF's annual safety survey and assisting in the production of several safety training aids and promotional packets.

Board Nominations

The WCWEA Board of Directors meets in person 2 times during the year – during the WCW Annual Conference and in January for planning, as well as online during the year. There are also opportunities to attend WEF education and training events.

Board members are expected to attend all Board meetings, assist the WCWEA networking and training events as well as participate on WCW PC * as representative for WCWEA.

Treasurer

The Treasurer serves as the fiscal officer of the Board and is responsible for the financial tracking and reporting of the Board. The term is three years.

Trustee (Manitoba)

Trustees take part in all actions of the Board including supporting the objectives of the Strategic Plan and act as liaison/coordinator with WCW PC*. The term is three years.

*WCW PC – Western Canada Water Provincial Council. Each Provincial Council plans and coordinates training events for their province.