



ASSOCIATION *of*  
FISH & WILDLIFE  
AGENCIES

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## 2021 SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARDS

**Purpose of Award:**

To promote recognize those among the members who have distinguished themselves by outstanding commitment to the work of the Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies.

**Nominations:**

The nominated agency and team leader must be a state, provincial or federal agency associated with the Association. The award is primarily designed to recognize accomplishments for the previous calendar year; however, consideration may be given to projects that have been active over several years.

**Judging:**

The winner will be selected by judges appointed annually by the chair of the Association's Awards Committee.

**Award:**

Recipients of a Special Recognition Award will receive a plaque at the Annual Awards Banquet held during AFWA's Annual Meeting in September.

**Criteria:**

Nominated individuals must be associated with a state or federal agency or an AFWA affiliate or contributing member organization. Requests for an exemption to this qualification may be made to the chair of the Annual Awards Committee.

**Application:**

Please include the following items in your nomination package:

1. Name, address and telephone number of nominator.
2. Name, address and telephone number of nominated individual.
3. Description of the individual's commitment to the work of the Association of Fish & Wildlife Agencies (please provide a brief narrative):
  - a. The form of the commitment may be to a single critical effort or for a career-long history of achievement.

**Direct Questions & Annual Awards Nominations to:**

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**Deadlineto Submit Nominations:**

**July 1, 2021**