

WEST VIRGINIA RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION'S ANNUAL AWARDS

Purpose:

The Annual Awards Presentation is a way for WVRWA to honor and recognize its members. Although only one person or system is annually awarded, the awards are intended to praise all individuals and systems associated with the organization. Award recipients will be announced at the Awards of Excellence Banquet on Tuesday, August 19.

Eligibility & Selection:

Winners from the previous year (2024) will not be eligible for the 2025 awards. The WVRWA Awards/Scholarship Committee, composed of WVRWA Board Members, reviews all nominations and makes the final selections for the awards.

An award will not be given for the year if no nominations are received for a category.

All nominations need to include answers to the pertinent questions on the 2025 Awards Nomination Form, including a brief letter that explains why the individual or system is thought to be deserving of the award. When listing the primary reasons for nomination, the nominator can choose to make a simple list of reasons or create a detailed narrative. Nominations submitted without this letter will not be considered.

Nomination Categories

- Office Manager of the Year—Must currently be employed as an office manager of a water/wastewater system
- Water Operator of the Year—Must currently be employed as a certified water operator
- Water System of the Year—Must treat and/or distribute potable water for community consumption
- Wastewater Operator of the Year—Must currently be employed as a certified wastewater operator
- Wastewater System of the Year—Must treat and/or collect wastewater
- West Virginia Rural Water Association System Manager of the Year—Must currently be employed as a water/wastewater system manager



Deadline for Submission of Nominations: July 18, 2025

2025 AWARDS NOMINATION FORM—INDIVIDUAL
Person Submitting Nomination Name:
Person Submitting Nomination Phone:
Award Category: _
Individual Nominee Name: _
System Name: _
Nominee Phone: _
Nominee Address: _
How long has individual nominee been employed for the system: _
How long has individual nominee been employed in present position: _
Is individual nominee certified? (If yes, what certifications do they hold?): _
Has individual ever won an award from WVRWA in the past?
Submit a short letter of support explaining the reasons for the nomination to provide valuable information to the Awards Committee during the selection process.

2025 AWARDS NOMINATION FORM—SYSTEM Person Submitting Nomination Name: **Person Submitting Nomination Phone:** Award Category: _ **System Nominee Name:** _ Nominee Phone: _ **Nominee Address:** How long has system nominee been in operation? How many persons are employed? _ How many customers are served by system? Has system ever been out of compliance? (If yes, for what reason?): Has System or Individual Ever Won an Award from WVRWA in the past? If yes, what award and year received? Submit a short letter of support explaining the reasons for the nomination to provide valuable information to the **Awards Committee during the selection process.** Mail form to: WVRWA, 100 Young Street, Scott Depot, WV 25560 **Fax form to:** (304) 201-1694