

# WEF Awards

## Arthur Sidney Bedell Award

*Awarded to acknowledge extraordinary personal service to the Michigan Association*

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|------|----------------------|------|----------------------|
| 2013 | Larry Woodard        |      |                      |
| 2012 | Fred Cowles          |      |                      |
| 2011 | Ed Mahaney           |      |                      |
| 2009 | Larry DeLong         |      |                      |
| 2008 | Steve Aiken          |      |                      |
| 2007 | Jimmy Spangler       |      |                      |
| 2006 | Tad Slawecki         |      |                      |
| 2005 | Cheryl Vosburg       | 1979 | Leonard M. Pratt     |
| 2004 | Robert Scheuerman    | 1978 | Thomas C. Hoogerhyde |
| 2003 | Dan Wolz             | 1977 | Joseph Ba            |
| 2002 | Steven Young         | 1976 | Gerald Calhoun       |
| 2001 | Allyn M. Ernst       | 1975 | John P. Gannon       |
| 2000 | William R. Gramlich  | 1974 | John P. Hennessey    |
| 1999 | Michael A. Harvey    | 1973 | William Stonebrook   |
| 1998 | Michael J. Ennis     | 1972 | Cletus L. Courchaine |
| 1997 | Harry W. Bierig      | 1971 | Arthur E. Maass      |
| 1996 | Paul L. Freedman     | 1970 | Wallace J. Benzie    |
| 1995 | Judie Mullins        | 1969 | Robert J. Peterson   |
| 1994 | Jeanette Best        | 1968 | Jack A. Borhardt     |
| 1993 | Barry E. Simescu     | 1967 | Francis B. Frost     |
| 1992 | Jim D. Anderson      | 1966 | Leonard Hillis       |
| 1991 | Frederick T. Eyer    | 1965 | Loring F. Oeming     |
| 1990 | Phillip E. Gerwert   | 1964 | George F. Wylie      |
| 1989 | Cortland V. Overmyer | 1963 | George Hubbell       |
| 1988 | Paul A. Blakeslee    | 1962 | Walter L. Mallman    |
| 1987 | Daryle R. Smith      | 1961 | E. Huntley DeLano    |
| 1986 | Carl V. Huber        | 1960 | Jack E. Cooper       |
| 1985 | John W. Matz         | 1959 | Harlan P. Dodge      |
| 1984 | James W. Hubbell     | 1958 | Donald M. Pierce     |
| 1983 | John Bohunsky        | 1957 | Robert A. Greene     |
| 1982 | Doris Van Dam        | 1955 | Thomas J. Powers     |
| 1981 | Marvin VanEyck       | 1952 | Clarence T. Mudgett  |
| 1980 | Chester Harvey       | 1949 | Willard F. Shephard  |

## William D. Hatfield Award

*Given to operators of wastewater treatment plants for outstanding performance and professionalism*

|      |                      |      |                   |
|------|----------------------|------|-------------------|
| 2013 | Mike Lunn            |      |                   |
| 2012 | Robert Hilla         |      |                   |
| 2011 | Earl Kenzie          |      |                   |
| 2009 | Jeff Johnston        |      |                   |
| 2008 | Joseph Goergen       |      |                   |
| 2007 | Jeanette Best        |      |                   |
| 2006 | David L. Ver Hoef    | 1979 | Larry Martin      |
| 2005 | William Kaiser       | 1978 | R. William Ransom |
| 2004 | Don French           | 1977 | Arthur Maass      |
| 2003 | Bruce Merchant       | 1976 | Edgar Sneiders    |
| 2002 | Cortland V. Overmyer | 1975 | William J. Draper |
| 2001 | Thomas L. Morrissey  | 1974 | Doris Van Dam     |
| 2000 | Richard W. Myers     | 1973 | Mansel M. Corwin  |
| 1999 | Daniel L. Collins    | 1972 | Glen M. Folk      |
| 1998 | Lawrence L. DeLong   | 1971 | Leonard M. Pratt  |

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|------|------------------------|------|-----------------------|
| 1997 | Dan Wolz               | 1970 | John P. Hennessey     |
| 1996 | David Orlaske          | 1969 | Gordon H. Stafford    |
| 1995 | Royce R. Deline        | 1968 | Edwin S. Shannon      |
| 1994 | Herbert Hunt           | 1967 | Jake Craybeek         |
| 1993 | Gary Burk              | 1966 | Charles Clem          |
| 1992 | Stanley W. Wegrzyn     | 1965 | John Sherbeck         |
| 1991 | Steven K. Young        | 1964 | Lester Working        |
| 1990 | Berl Gier              | 1963 | Harold M. Leonard     |
| 1989 | Harry W. Bierig        | 1962 | Leonard Hillis        |
| 1988 | Richard G. Simms       | 1961 | Lloyd B. Tompkins     |
| 1987 | Jim D. Anderson        | 1960 | C. Preston Witcher    |
| 1986 | Daryle R. Smith        | 1959 | Stanley J. Mogelnicki |
| 1985 | Richard E. Sayers, Sr. | 1958 | J. C. Marshall        |
| 1984 | Jimmy L. Spangler      | 1950 | Russell D. Craun      |
| 1983 | Allyn Ernst            | 19?? | David Boes            |
| 1982 | John Halas             | 19?? | Allyn Ernst           |
| 1981 | Ronald G. Wine         | 19?? | Herbert Hunt          |
| 1980 | Gerald L. Herriman     |      |                       |

## Life Memberships

*Granted to an individual who is at least 65 years old and has been a dues-paying WEF And Member Association(s) member for 35 years*

|                |  |
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| 2013           | Bill Gramlich, Fred Cowles, Shin Joh Kang  |
| 2012           | Phillip Gerwert  |
| 2011           | Carl V. Huber; Brad Behrman; John E. Racek   |
| 2010           | Stacy Daniels  |
| 2008           | John Dowson  |
| 2007           | Allyn Ernst; James Granger   |
| 2006           | C. Robert Baillod; Darrel R. Smith   |
| 2005           | Paul A. Blakeslee; James C. Kegler; James G. Meenahan; Thomas F. Trahey  |
| 2004           | John Beebe; James C. Kegler; James G. Meenahan; Richard E. Sayers  |
| 2003           | John O'Malia   |
| 2002           | Tom Newhof   |
| 2001           | John M. Bohunsky; Richard Gabrielse; James W. Hubbell; Richard Lennex; Paul J. Monohon; Robert C. Wade   |
| 1998           | Joseph Pozarzycki; Kenneth J.R. Walimaa; Eugene S. Werner  |
| 1995           | Frank Naglich; Don Holley  |
| 1993           | David R. DesPres; Raymond Smit   |
| 1991           | Wallace J. Benzie; John W. Townsend  |
| 1989           | Gerald E. Calhoun; Robert F. McCauley; William P. Richards; Charles Sercu  |
| 1988           | Gerald A. Glysson; Virgil W. Langworthy; Arthur E. Maass; Archie Mark  |
| 1987           | John J. Gannon; Laurence H. Pate; Joseph W. Price; Robert J. Peterson; Ralph W. Purdy; Arnold L. Wilcox  |
| 1984           | Joseph Bal   |
| 1982           | Donald M. Pierce   |
| PRIOR TO 1982: | Jack A. Borchardt; Jack E. Cooper; Harland P. Dodge; M.B. Ettinger; Kenneth Fishbeck; R. A. Greene; Michael A. Groen; Homer J. Hayward; Gerald E. Hauer; George Hubbell; Harold Leonhard; Elmo G. Liddle; J. C. Marshall; Stanley Mogelnicki; C. T. Mudgett; John R. Snell; C. J. Velz |

## Quarter Century Operators' Club Award

*Recognizes someone who has been engaged in treatment plant operation on a full-time basis for 25 years.*

|      |             |
|------|-------------|
| 2009 | Lee Keysor  |
| 2008 | Gary DeKock |

2007 Brian Ross; Charles Bellmore; Mathew Schindewolf; Richard Bigham; Larry Horn  
2006 Edward F. Mahaney;  
2005 Michael Glowinski  
2004 Stephen C. Aiken; Allen Albert; John W. Curth; Patrick Raftery  
2003 Jeffrey Johnston  
2002 Jeanette Best; Tom Kmet; Dwight E. Fargo; James Lounds  
2001 Gerald Austin; William M. Dinley; Barry H. Eads; Dan LeVeque;  
David H. McKay; Michael J. Senyk; Craig A. Smith; Donald H. Uitvlugt  
John J. Vaydik  
2000 Jimmy D. Hyder; Randy L. McConnell; Jerry E. Seay; Douglas Trembath;  
Stephen D. Washburn  
1999 Dale M. Avery; William R. Gramlich; Jimmy L. Spangler; John W. Vasold;  
Steven K. Young  
1998 Frank W. Gauntt; David Ver Hoef; Paul S. Vermaaten; Thomas A. Wojewski  
1997 Douglas Beadle; John Beebe; James Cox; Lawrence DeLong; Charles Klotz;  
Dan Wolz  
1996 Larry W. Woodard; Elmer Pestrue, Jr.  
1992 Dale G. Bos; Joseph Czyzyk, Sr.; Charles G. Davis; Donald Grady, Jr.;  
Charles E. Niblick; David J. Orlaske; Robert Sadlick; Jimmie L. TenBroeke;  
Robert Whip  
1991 Orville L. Dull; James E. Gatton; Carl A. Nowak; William E. Slack;  
Daryle R. Smith  
1990 David Boes; Allyn Ernst; Herbert Hunt  
1989 Edward L. Gill; Otto Green; Larry Martin  
1988 Robert W. Bell; Ronald G. Wine  
1987 Leon Veldhuis; Frank L. Tykosky; Robert J. Swalwell; Donald D. Rennie;  
Normand S. Napier; Berl B. Gier; John C. Funk  
1986 Harold Bailey, Jr.; Edward G. Raygo  
1984 William Stonebrook; R. C. Sweeney; F. R. Szaroletta; D. Van Dam  
1983 D. J. Berthiaume; G. M. Folk; Charles L. Gibbs; C. L. Gray; M. A. Groen;  
G. E. Hauer; Charles Leland; John E. Lermont; A. E. Maass; Archie Mark;  
C. T. Mudgett; John J. Pozarzycki

## Public Officials Award

*This award is presented to an elected or appointed local, state or federal public official that has made a documented, significant contribution in the areas of clean water legislation, public policy, government service, or another area of public prominence that resulted in improvements to the water environment.*

2012 Congressman John Dingell

## Service Awards

*Recognizes outstanding work by retiring directors on the Board of Directors.*

2013 Dave Vago, Brian Ross, Todd Wibright  
2012 Joe Keefe; Michelle LaRose; Kari Saganski  
2011 Myron Erickson; Laura Gruzwalski; Christine Kosmowski; Tim Lynch  
2010 Dave Vago; Larry Woodard  
2009 Christine Kosmowski; Keith McCormack; Brian Ross; Jimmy Spangler  
2008 Ed Mahaney, Jeanette Best, Larry DeLong, Bob Scheuerman, Steve Aiken  
2007 Randy Hamlett; Fred Cowles; Scott Devries; Tad Slwecki  
2005 Bill Gramlich  
2004 Curt Christeson  
2003 Mark Hill; John Ironside; Steve Young

## George W. Burke Jr. Safety Award

*Given for an active and effective safety program in municipal and industrial wastewater facilities*

- 2013 Severn Trent - Kruger  
2012 Lowell WWTP, Operated by United Water  
2011 United Water – Wixom, MI Operation  
2009 Benton Harbor-St. Joseph WWTP  
2004 Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority  
2003 Delhi Township Maintenance/Safety Department  
2002 Coldwater Board of Public Utilities  
2001 Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority  
2000 Delhi Charter Township  
1994 City of Grandville  
1992 BASF Corporation, Holland Plant WWTP  
1991 Coldwater Board of Public Works  
1990 Bridgeport Charter Township  
1987 Monroe Wastewater Plant  
1986 Ypsilanti Community Utilities Authority  
1985 Benton Harbor/St. Joseph Sewage Disposal Plant  
1984 Delhi Township WWTP

## **Laboratory Analyst Excellence Award**

*Recognizes individuals for outstanding performance, professionalism and contributions to the water quality analyses profession.*

- 2011 Sandra Buchner  
2010 David Krohn  
2009 Carol Injasoulian  
2007 Allan Albert  
2005 Otis Walker  
2003 Mary Lendardson  
2002 TomKmet  
2001 Pardip Kumar Sarda  
2000 Gary DeKock  
1999 Christine M. Kosmowski  
1999 Lucy McPeek  
1998 Terry Benish  
1997 Jane Hoch  
1996 Jeff Johnston

## **Gordon Maskew Fair Medal**

*Awarded to an educator for worthy accomplishments in the training and development of future engineers.*

- 1990 Walter J. Weber, Jr.  
1984 Jack A. Borchardt

## **George J. Schroepfer Medal**

*Awarded to a professional engineer for a design which achieves substantial cost savings or economic benefit.*

- 1999 Peter R. Duakss  
1993 Glenn S. Burkhardt  
1991 John M. Ironside

## **Student Paper Competition**

*Open to any student for submitting a paper dealing with water-related concerns or hazardous wastes.*

1993 Rominder Suri

## **George Bradley Gascoigne Medal**

*Awarded to the author(s) of an article published in either the Journal, Operations Forum, or any member association publication*

1966 Brian L. Goodman; C. Preston Witcher

1951 Leonard S. Hillis

## **Harrison Prescott Eddy Medal**

*Awarded for research in the principles of wastewater treatment which is published in the Journal*

1965 Jack A. Borchardt; William E. Gates

1953 Donald M. Pierce

1944 John Raymond Snell

## **Philip F. Morgan Medal**

*Recognizes valuable contributions to the implant study and solution of an operational problem*

- 1979 Daryle R. Smith  
1968 E. Huntley DeLano; Doris M. (Van Dam) Voshel

## **Thomas R. Camp Medal**

*Recognizes a person who demonstrates a unique application of basic research through design*

- 1988 Walter J. Weber, Jr.

## **Charles Alvin Emerson Medal**

*Given annually to that individual whose contributions most deserve recognition.*

- 2002 Paul Freedman  
1965 Loring F. Oeming  
1957 Earnest Boyce

## **Willem Rudolf Medal**

- 1998 Byung R. Kim  
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## **Kenneth Allen Award**

- 1946 Thomas J. Doyle  
1943 Edward F. Eldridge

## **Honorary Membership**

*Extended to persons who have proven their preeminence in the fields encompassed by Federation objectives.*

- 1975 Jack E. Cooper  
1972 Donald M. Pierce  
1970 Loring F. Oeming  
1959 Earnest Boyce

## **WEF Outgoing Delegate**

- 2010 Jimmy Spangler