

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY OF ARBORICULTURE ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER

ARBORIST OF THE YEAR AWARD APPLICATION

Request for Nominations

The Arborist of the Year Award acknowledges the services, actions, and ideas of an individual or work group that has made a "substantial personal / business contribution to practical arboriculture" in the Rocky Mountain Chapter. Nominations may be made to recognize significant achievements, life changing experiences, innovations, selfless acts to promote trees, and / or substantial impacts to support the practice, technology, and research of arboriculture.

To be eligible, the contribution to practical arboriculture should:

- 1) Be enduring.
- 2) Have provided substantial impact to the profession.
- 3) Have made a perceivable change or improvement.
- 4) Be the works solely, principally, or equally of the nominee(s) either in its development or application.
- 5) Have application throughout the Rocky Mountain Chapter or must have a significant impact within the area in which the contribution was made.
- 6) Be current, or was a founding contribution that occurred in the past.
- 7) *ISA/RMC* membership is not required, but is preferred.

The Chapter's Awards Committee will be reviewing nominations and selecting the most deserving candidate(s) looking for notable impacts to the topics listed below:

- 1) Life Changing Experiences
- 2) Work Above and Beyond the Line of Duty
- 3) Advances in Employee and Public Safety
- 4) Dedication to Arboriculture or Urban / Community Forestry
- 5) Industry Changing Actions and Innovations
- 6) Public and Industry Awareness & Education
- 7) Selfless Personal / Business Donation of Time and Expertise
- 8) Major Impacts to the Urban / Community and Traditional Forests of the Chapter

Please submit a written narrative describing the on-going services of the nominee(s). Focus the content of the narrative to demonstrate contributions to the areas described above.

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Please submit your application to the ISA-RMC by mail or email. **Applications need to be received no later than August 18, 2017.**Awards will be announced at the ISA-RMC Annual Conference on Tuesday morning, September 12, 2017.

Mail completed applications to:

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