2017 CASQA Awards Program

In its 14th Year
Recognizing Outstanding Projects, Activities, and Leaders in the Stormwater Management Profession
Awards Program Mission

The mission of the CASQA Awards Program is to advance the stormwater quality management profession by identifying and recognizing exemplary leadership, outstanding projects, activities, and contributions to the field of stormwater quality management.
CASQA Listened

The CASQA Awards Program audience asked for more detail on the award winning projects and activities.

The CASQA Awardees indicated a need for award recognition at a venue closer to where the outstanding project, activity, or program occurred.
CASQA Responded

CASQA introduced Blue Ribbon Technical & Poster Presentations at the 2016 CASQA Conference to highlight award winning projects and activities. **CASQA continues that successful program this year.**

Blue Ribbons in the Conference Program and App identify Awardee presentations and posters.
CASQA Responded

CASQA will formally present the Award Monuments to the Awardees at a fitting City Council, School Board, or similar venue local to the Award.

This morning, I will announce each outstanding project and program.
2017 CASQA Awards Program

And this year’s outstanding projects, programs, and activities are...
Outstanding Public Works
BMP Implementation Project
LA Sanitation – City of Los Angeles
for the
Laurel Canyon Boulevard
Green Street Design Build Project

Tuesday, 10:20a-10:50a
Convention Center 204
Outstanding Industrial BMP Implementation Project

Port of Tacoma for the West Hylebos Pier
Biofiltration Stormwater Treatment Project

Tuesday, 1:35p-2:05p
Convention Center 204
Outstanding News, Information, Outreach and Media Project

City of Sunnyvale, City of Cupertino, and Santa Clara Valley Water District for the

Schools Goin’ Green Youth Outreach Program

Monday - Wednesday
Convention Center 2nd Floor Landing
Adjacent to Convention Center 202
Outstanding Stormwater Research Project

City of Elk Grove in partnership with the California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment, and Department of Land, Air, and Water Resources, UC Davis for the Elk Grove Dry Well Project

Tuesday, 10:20a-10:50a
Convention Center 203
Outstanding Ultra-Urban, Sustainable BMP Implementation Project
LA Sanitation - City of Los Angeles
for the
Broadway Neighborhood
Stormwater Greenway Project

Tuesday, 2:45p-3:15p
Convention Center 203
Outstanding Regional, Sustainable BMP Implementation Project

Santa Margarita Water District in partnership with Orange County Public Works, Rancho Mission Viejo, and PACE Advanced Water Engineering for the Gobernadora Multi-Purpose Basin Project

Tuesday, 2:10p-2:40p
Convention Center 203
Outstanding Retrofit, Sustainable BMP Implementation Project

City of Santa Monica for the Los Amigos Park Stormwater Harvesting and Direct Use Demonstration Project

Tuesday, 1:35p-2:05p
Convention Center 203
CASQA Leadership Award

The Leadership Award is CASQA’s top award. It is awarded to an individual that has shown outstanding leadership within CASQA and has made exceptional contributions to the stormwater quality management profession over a significant time period. This Award has only been presented 4 times in CASQA’s history.
CASQA Leadership Award

Sandy Mathews, a past recipient of the CASQA Leadership Award, will announce and present the next recipient of this prestigious award.
Leadership Award Criteria

- Known for contributions to the stormwater quality management profession
- Displays exceptional character
- Known for technical, policy, and administrative contributions to CASQA and/or profession
Contributions to the Orange County Stormwater Management Program

- Led the Orange County Stormwater Program for 33 years
  - A partnership of 36 municipalities and two Water Boards
  - Recognized by more than 12 awards

"His leadership brought together co-permittees in a collaborative framework to address the stormwater mandate ... Mary Anne Skorpanich

"The best executive is the one who has sense enough to pick good men to do what he wants done, and self-restraint to keep from meddling with them while they do it." T. Roosevelt
Contributions to the Orange County Stormwater Management Program

- Looks beyond compliance to the scientific foundations of stormwater management
  - Technical leader of the Nitrogen and Selenium Management Program
  - Founding member of the Southern California Stormwater Monitoring Coalition
  - International stormwater collaboration and engagement

Without him, and his commitment to science-based management decision making, there would be no SMC.” Ken Schiff
“Through Chris' mentorship of staff … the California stormwater management community continues to benefit from Orange County Stormwater alumnus who are dedicated and passionate about improving water quality throughout California.” Amanda Carr

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“The task of a leader is to get his people from where they are to where they have not been.” H. Kissinger
Contributions to CASQA

- CASQA Director 2003-2009
- Vice Chair 2006-2007
- Chair 2008-2009
- Instrumental in starting the Training Subcommittee
- Organized the International LID Workshop

“… one of his most enduring legacies is vetting and procuring the annual conference venues… Chris was the originator of the idea for CASQA to hold an Annual Conference.” Scott Taylor

“Do something wonderful, people may imitate it.” A. Schweitzer
“The way to get started is to quit talking and start doing.” W. Disney
CASQA Leadership Award
Presented to
Chris Crompton
Congratulations to all 2017 Awardees!

Thank You to Everyone that Submitted a 2017 Award Nomination!
2017 Awards Committee

- **Jeff Endicott (Chair)**
  - CASC Engineering and Consulting
- **Karen Ashby**
  - Larry Walker Associates
- **Brian Currier**
  - CSUS Office of Water Programs
- **Bill Dean**
  - Dean & Associates
- **Sharon Gosselin**
  - County of Alameda
- **Maureen Kerner**
  - CSUS Office of Water Programs
- **Darcy Kuenzi**
  - Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District
- **Anna Lantin**
  - Michael Baker International
- **Dianne Laurila**
  - CASC Engineering and Consulting
- **Sandy Mathews**
  - Larry Walker Associates
- **Neal Shapiro**
  - City of Santa Monica
- **Melanie Sotelo**
  - CASC Engineering and Consulting
- **Richard Watson**
  - Richard Watson and Associates
- **Jason Wright**
  - TetraTech
CASQA acknowledges the important contributions of Conference Exhibitors when they reach 10 years of support for the CASQA Conference, and then every 5 years thereafter.
2017 Award Recipients

In grateful appreciation of your decade of support and dedication to CASQA.....

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