

2023 Award Winners

City of Cle Elum
Joe Schey, Mayor – City of Vader

Best of

Community Impact
Creative Solutions

Professional Achievement

Richard Pedlar
Kari Sample – Department of Commerce
George Brady – City of Pateros

Jedi Award
Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2022 Award Winners

Professional Achievement

David Dunn – City of Olympia
Andy Meyer – Association of Washington Cities

Heart and Soul Award
Heart and Soul Award

2019 Award Winners

Best of

Micki Harnois – Town of Rockford
John Kinney – Selkirk School District
Skagit County PUD
City of Othello
Summit Pacific Medical Center
City of Shelton

Community Impact
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Environmental Stewardship
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Peter McMillin – USDA Rural Development
Royal DeVaney – Town of Waterville

Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2018 Award Winners

Best of

City of Union Gap
City of Deer Park
Town of Lind
City of Pateros
Royal Water District
City of Okanogan
City of Toppenish

Capital Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Sustainable Development
Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Isaac Huang – WA State Public Works Board
Lance Hoyt – City of Toppenish

Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2017 Award Winners

Town of Curlew
City of Tonasket
Regional Loan Partners
City of Brewster
Town of Harrah
City of Newport

Best of

Capital Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Janice Roderick – USDA Rural Development
Karen Klocke – WA State Department of Health
Cus Arteaga – City of Grandview

Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement
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2016 Award Winners

City of West Richland
City of Pateros
City of Richland
Stevens County PUD
Town of Rockford

Best of

Capital Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater

Professional Achievement

Cathi Read – WA State Department of Commerce
Steve Gorcester – WA State Transportation
Improvement Board (TIB)

Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2015 Award Winners

Team Rubicon
City of West Richland
City of Bremerton
City of Stevenson

Best of

Community Impact
Energy Efficiency
Transportation
Solid/Wastewater

Professional Achievement

Eugene Dobry – USDA Rural Development
Lynn Kohn – WA State Department of Commerce

Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2014 Award Winners

Town of Lind
Raft Island Improvement Association
City of Port Angeles
North Perry Avenue Water District
Skokomish Indian Tribe
City of Spangle

Best of

Community Impact
Community Facilities
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Debbie Harper – US Department of Agriculture
Lloyd Halverson – City of Camas

Heart and Soul Award
Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2013 Award Winners

Lincoln County
City of Tonasket
City of Kittitas
Town of Almira
City of Grandview
City of Sultan

Best of

Community Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Tom Justus – WA State Department of Health

Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2012 Award Winners

City of Walla Walla
Yakama Nation
City of West Richland
City of Tekoa
City of Rock Island
WSDOT-VERG

Best of

Community Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

John LaRoque – WA State Public Works Board

Heart and Soul Award

Richard Koch – WA State Department of Ecology

Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2011 Award Winners

City of Washougal
Yakama Nation
City of Camas
Hunters Water District
City of Snohomish
Snohomish County

Best of

Community Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Skip Rand – Rural Community Assistance Corporation (RCAC)

Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

Gary Rhoades – Evergreen Rural Water of Washington (ERWOW)

Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement

2010 Award Winners

LOTT Clean Water Alliance
City of Grandview
Cascade Water Alliance
City of Deer Park
City of Airway Heights
City of West Richland

Best of

Community Facilities
Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Wallace Bushman – Grant County

Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement



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2009 Award Winners

City of Wenatchee
Malaga Water District
City of Republic
City of Blaine
Town of Twisp

Best of

Community Impact
Creative Solutions
Drinking Water
Solid/Wastewater
Transportation

Professional Achievement

Joe Mitschelen – Rural Community Assistance Corporation (RCAC)

Joe Mitschelen Lifetime Achievement