



LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The Cleaning Equipment Trade Association (CETA) established the Lifetime Achievement Award in 1995 to recognize those who have achieved excellence in the Pressure Cleaning Industry and to honor those who have made significant contributions.

Nominee must have made a significant contribution to the industry and will continue to distinguish their work in the improvement of our industry.

Please contact Awards Chair, CETA, with suggested nominations and requests for information at email info@ceta.org

CRITERIA FOR LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

I. GENERAL CRITERIA FOR THE AWARD

WHO MAY RECEIVE THE AWARD?

The award may be given to an individual, or may be split between two or more individuals, who have spent a minimum of **20 years** making consistent and regular contributions to Pressure Cleaning Industry. This individual may either be a representative from a Dealer/Distributor, Supplier/Vendor or Manufacturer.

WHEN IS THE AWARD GIVEN?

The CETA Board of Directors felt that it was important to ensure not only that the award go to individuals whose achievements are outstanding, but also to ensure that the award remain a special award. Since the inception of the Life Time Achievement Award, the Board of Directors has presented the award annually; however, this does not alter the discretionary status of this award.

The award may be presented to one, two or more deserving individuals each year at Power Clean. However, the CETA Board of Directors may also decide not to give out the award in any given year if, in their discretion, there are no deserving candidates nominated.

HOW ARE THE AWARDEE(S) NOMINATED?

When the call for papers goes out, nomination forms will be enclosed with the call. These nominations will be filled out in accordance with the criteria listed below. In addition to the form a statement of contributions must be submitted and vitae so that the CETA Board will have some way of knowing how that individual met the criteria. A CETA Board Member choosing to nominate a candidate must do so by preparing and presenting a nomination presentation to the Board of Directors. The Board reviews nominations and vitae submitted determining the merits of the candidate/candidates and votes by secret ballot to determine, by majority vote, the winning candidate. In the event that more than two candidates are presented for consideration, the Board votes by secret ballot, to reduce the field to the two most popular candidates. A subsequent vote, by secret ballot, is taken to determine the winning candidate or candidates.

WHO SELECTS THE AWARDEE(S)?

The CETA Life Time achievement Award is an award made at the sole discretion of the CETA Board of Directors to an individual deemed, by the Board of Directors, to have made significant contributions to the pressure cleaning industry.

WHAT ARE THE CRITERIA FOR THE AWARD?

The award will be given based on how well the individual meets standards listed under these categories: ethics, involvement, and service to the industry. In order for individuals to be considered as awardees, the ethical and CETA standards must be met in their entirety, and at least one standard under the other categories must be met. The categories and their standards are discussed in Part II.

II. SPECIFIC CRITERIA FOR THE AWARD

A. ETHICS

Nominees for the award have proven to be ethical in all business practices.

B. Involvement

The nominee's will be considered on the merits of their involvement with the Pressure Cleaning Industry such as:

1. The award can only be presented to past or present members of CETA.
2. The award will recognize;
 - dedication and service to the Pressure Cleaning Industry.
 - has made outstanding contributions to the Pressure Cleaning Industry
 - has made outstanding contributions to their Community
 - was/is a leader serving on committees or organizations involving the pressure washer industry
 - was/is known for developing creative and proactive programs which have benefited our industry
 - work with CETA to develop benchmarking or other programs leading to the success of our industry
3. Self-nominations will not be accepted

C. OUTREACH

1. The nominee has made efforts to involve or solicit involvement of individuals that could benefit our industry.
2. The nominee has served as a mentor to others within the Pressure Cleaning Industry and has provided a positive experience through this mentorship.

D. SERVICE

1. The nominee has demonstrated those qualities that most exemplify the standards of leadership established by his/her 20 years of commitment to the Pressure Cleaning Industry.
2. The nominee has served as a member or industry advisor on the CETA Board of Directors, Standing Committees, Special Issue Sub-Committees, or steering committees.