## **CETA's 2024 Distinguished Service Award**

CETA's Distinguished Service Award is awarded to someone who has strong personal and business ethics and dedicated to the future growth of the Power Cleaning Industry.

CETA is pleased to announce a well deserving recipient



## **Mylan Williams** CEO Hy-Flo Equipment Co.

Submitted by Scott Hansen

Mylan Williams (57 years old) is a proud father of two sons and President (Second Generation Owner) of Hy-Flo Equipment Company in Pittsburg, KS.

Mylan has dedicated and contributed his entire 40-year career to the pressure washer industry.

Four decades ago, Mylan began working for his father, Ronald Williams, right out of high school in 1984. For the first 15

years Mylan worked in the shop as a pressure washer repairman and rebuild specialist. In 1999 Mylan was promoted to sales and traveled throughout Hy-Flo's sales territory where he would sell equipment and help grow the company. In the fall of 2009, Mylan's father Ron was forced to abruptly retire in order to take care of his wife (Sharon Flower Williams) who tragically had her 5th stroke which paralyzed the left side of her body. Overnight, Ron went from full time Hy-Flo to full time caregiver, and it was all up to Mylan to keep the company afloat. At the time Mylan was in his own little sales world when he was suddenly thrust into being the General Manager and now in charge of running the entire company. Within the first 5 years under Mylan's leadership, he was able to grow the company / sales by double which is a remarkable achievement! Mylan officially became the owner of Hy-Flo in 2017 and is proud to work with his two sons Landan & Chandler who represent 3rd generation Hy-Flo.

Hy-Flo has been a proud and loyal distributor for Alkota Cleaning Systems of Alcester, SD for over 45 years. Under Mylan's leadership Hy-Flo has been fortunate to receive countless sales awards and have been one of Alkota' s "Top Ten" distributors for decades. Mylan is well known within the Alkota Distributor network by attending Alkota Sales Conventions and incentive trips. It is worth mentioning that Mylan



Mylan & Paula Williams Family

was the recipient of Alkota's distinguished "Presidential Award" in 2018. Hy-Flo has also been a proud CETA Member for over 30 years and Mylan has attended countless CETA Conventions through the years.

On a personal note, Mylan is a well-known and respected pillar in his local community of Pittsburg, KS. He is known for his high moral character and good business ethics. He is a wonderful son, brother, husband, father, grandfather, landlord, and boss. Mylan is a very giving person and loves to help others. He is a very humble person who does not seek or desire attention.



Mylan & Paula Williams with their sons Chandler & Landon