

**AMERICAN PUBLIC WORKS ASSOCIATION**  
KC METRO CHAPTER

**EXCELLENCE IN PUBLIC WORKS PUBLICATION AWARD**

**Purpose:** To recognize articles or books published in the field of public works that has made a positive contribution to the field. The award is meant to provide encouragement and recognition to field professionals and historians whose research and publications have made outstanding contributions to the field of public works.

**Eligibility:**

- 1) Articles and books must be published during the preceding three (3) years and cover one or more of the following topics: Flood Control & Drainage; Irrigation; Waterways; Solid Waste; Planning; Engineering & Administration; Public Buildings; Sewer & Wastewater Treatment; Roads, Streets & Highways; Urban Mass Transportation; Community Water Supply; Military Installations; Airways & Airports; Parks & Recreation; and Energy.
- 2) Articles must be a minimum of 500 words in length and published by a widely known journal or periodical. Articles published by APWA, its chapters or the Society are not eligible.

**Nominations:** Anyone may nominate (including individual authors or their publishers). Nomination forms are available from the Awards Committee of the KC Metro Chapter or on line at <http://kcmetro.apwa.net/c/awards/>.

**Selections:** One (1) electronic copy of the nomination information (not to exceed two (2) pages including nomination form) and one (1) electronic copy of the publication or three (3) hard copies of the publication must be submitted to the Awards Committee Chairperson of the KC Metro Chapter of APWA. The Awards Selection Committee will review the nominations and make a recommendation to the Executive Committee of no more than three (3) nominations to receive this award. The Executive Committee will then review the recommendations and make a determination to accept or to reject the recommendation(s). No award need be made if it is determined by the Executive Committee that the achievements of any nominee are not of sufficient merit to warrant this recognition.

**Presentations:** The recipient of the award(s) will be recognized at the annual holiday meeting of the KC Metro Chapter of APWA and in the Chapter newsletter.

