

WAFWA AWARDS SUMMARY

Year	Award	Recipient	State/Province
2020	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Steve Jeffries	Washington
	President's Award	Miles Moretti	Mule Deer Foundation
	Pogue-Elms Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award	Malcolm Clemenhagen	Idaho
	WAFWA's Professional of the Year Award	Rebecca Dockter	Montana
	Federal Conservation Partner of the Year Award	Dan Collins	USFWS (NM)
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year Award	Dr. Jim Strogen	Arizona
	Commission of the Year Award	Wyoming Game and Fish Commission	Wyoming
	Special Achievement Award	AZ Hunting Angling Heritage Work Group	Arizona
	Special Recognition Award	ID 2019 Statewide Wolf Estimate Project Team	Idaho
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Kyle Kaskie	South Dakota
2019	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Virgil Moore	Idaho
	President's Award	Ron Klataske	Audubon of Kansas, Inc.
	Pogue-Elms Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award	Wade Hovinga	Utah
	WAFWA's Professional of the Year Award	Colin Gillin	Oregon
	Federal Conservation Partner of the Year Award	Ray Suazo	BLM (AZ)
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year Award	Eddie Pribyl	Nevada
	Commission of the Year Award	Game and Fish Commission	Arizona
2018	Special Achievement Award	Colin Berg	Oklahoma
	Special Recognition Award	Larry Kruckenberg	Wyoming
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	John D. Groendyke	Oklahoma
	President's Award	Intermountain West Joint Venture	Montana
	Professional of the Year Award	Doug Howie Jason Schooley	North Dakota Oklahoma
	Pogue-Elms Wildlife Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award	Dustin Shorma	Wyoming
	WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Julie Mika Carter Jon Sjoberg Therese Thompson	Arizona Nevada Colorado-WNTI
Federal Conservation Partner of the Year Award	McAlester Army Ammunition Plant	Oklahoma	
Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year Award	Joshua Coursey and Joel Faigl	Wyoming	
Commission of the Year Award	Game, Fish and Parks Commission	South Dakota	
Special Achievement Award	Tony Rodger and Matt Skoog	Oklahoma	
Special Recognition Award	Tom Mackin	Arizona	

		Jeff Tibbits	Oklahoma
2017	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Joanna Lackey	New Mexico
	Professional of the Year Award	Craig McMullen	Arizona
	Pogue-Elms Wildlife Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award	Nicole Kozicki	California
	Federal Conservation Partner of the Year Award	Matthew Heller	U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (MT)
	President's Award	Mule Deer Working Group	
	Commission of the Year Award	New Mexico State Game Commission	New Mexico
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year Award	David Stambaugh	New Mexico
	WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Scott Lavin	Arizona
	Special Achievement Award	Alaska Wood Bison Reintroduction Effort	Alaska
	Special Recognition Award	Western States Wolverine Conservation Effort	
2016	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Tod Stevenson	New Mexico
	Professional of the Year Award	Bill Bates	Utah
	Professional of the Year Award	Clay Brewer	Texas
	Pogue-Elms Wildlife Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award	Nate Martinez	Colorado
	Federal Conservation Partner of the Year Award	Kathi Stopher	U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (Utah)
	President's Award	Yellowstone Grizzly Delisting Efforts Jeff Gould Ken McDonald Brian Nesvik	Idaho Montana Wyoming
	Commission of the Year Award	Nevada Board of Wildlife Commissioners	Nevada
	WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Lance Cherry	New Mexico
	WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Jim Heffelfinger	Arizona
	Special Achievement Award	Wildlife Action Plan Website Tool Development Team	South Dakota
2015	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Alan Clark	Utah
	President's Award	Bi-State Sage-Grouse Conservation Effort <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Oversight Committee Technical Working Group Local Area Working 	California Nevada

		Group	
	Professional of the Year Award	Ken McDonald	Montana
	Professional of the Year Award	Jon Sjoberg	Nevada
	Professional of the Year Award	Jeff Ver Steeg	Colorado
	Pogue-Elms Award	Jeremy Smith	New Mexico
	Commission of the Year Award	Game and Fish Commission	Wyoming
	WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Jim Odenkirk	Arizona
	Special Achievement Award	Elk Management Plan Team	South Dakota
	Special Recognition Award	Dr. Tom Arvas	Arizona
2014	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Keith Sexson	Kansas
	Special Appreciation Award	Larry Kruckenberg	Wyoming
	President's Award	Texas Bighorn Society	Texas
	Professional of the Year Award	Steve Rosenthal	Arizona
	Professional of the Year Award	Tom Ryder	Wyoming
	Pogue-Elms Award	Mark Imsdahl	California
	Commission of the Year Award	Game and Fish Commission	Arizona
	WAFWA Contributor of the Year Award	Sean Kyle	Texas
	Special Achievement Award	Pete Gober	FWS - Colorado
	Special Recognition Award	Ty Gray	Arizona
2013	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Mark Bruscano	Wyoming
	President's Award	Platte River Basin Environments, Inc	Nebraska
	Professional of the Year Award	Bill Van Pelt	Arizona
	Pogue-Elms Award	Jim Sterling	Idaho
	Special Recognition Award	Lesser Prairie Chicken Interstate Working Group	Grant Beuprez-NM David Klute-CO Sean Kyle-TX Jim Pitman-KS Doug Schoeling-OK Allan Janus-OK Bill Van Pelt-AZ
	Special Recognition Award	Wyoming Department of Transportation	Wyoming
	Special Recognition Award	Bob Broscheid	Arizona
	Special Recognition Award	Ken Mayer	Nevada
2012	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Mike Stone	Wyoming
	President's Award	Hawaii Nene Relocation Team	Hawaii
	Professional of the Year Award	Nancy Foley	California
	Pogue-Elms Award	Alan G. Cain	Alaska
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	Pauline Kawamata	Hawaii
	Commission of the Year	Board of Land and	Hawaii

		Natural Resources	
	Special Recognition Award	Todd Nordeen	Nebraska
	Special Recognition Award	Bruce Trindle	Nebraska
	Special Achievement Award	Dr. Guy Kaulukukua	Hawaii
2011	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Terry B. Johnson	Arizona
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Jim Karpowitz	Utah
	President's Award	Montana Legacy Project	Montana
	Professional of the Year Award	Dr. Scott Fretz	Hawaii
	Professional of the Year Award	Bill Rudd	Wyoming
	Professional of the Year Award	Kirk Young	Arizona
	Pogue-Elms Award	Jay Sarason	Colorado
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	Steve Sams	Arizona
2010	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Rex Amack	Nebraska
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Mike Chrisman	California
	President's Award	Douglas Vincent-Lang	Alaska
	Professional of the Year	Virgil Moore	Idaho
	Pogue-Elms Award	Edward Volz	Washington
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dr. Christian Hagen	Oregon
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Tom Hemker	Idaho
	Commission of the Year	Game and Parks Commission	Nebraska
	Outstanding Citizen Contributor of the Year	Steve Clark	Arizona
	Special Recognition Award	Ryan Lance	Wyoming
	Special Recognition Award	Jay Lawson	Wyoming
	Special Achievement Award	Critical Area Planning System Team -FWP	Montana
2009	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Ken Ambrock	Alberta
	President's Award	Duck Unlimited, Inc - Western Regional Office	California
	Professional of the Year	Rick Kahn	Colorado
	Pogue-Elms Award	Tony Latham	Idaho
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dr. Ted McKinney (posthumously)	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	David McNinch	Nevada
	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	Idaho
	Special Achievement Award	Dr. George Schisler	Colorado
	Special Achievement Award	Clayton Stalling	Nebraska
	Special Achievement Award	Platte River Basin Environments, Inc.	Nebraska
2008	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Duane Shroufe	Arizona
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Terry Cleveland	Wyoming

	President's Award	George Vandell	South Dakota
	Professional of the Year	Walt Donaldson	Utah
	Pogue-Elms Award	Shawn Wagner	Arizona
	Pogue-Elms Award	Sean Pirtle	California
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	Gary Barcom	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Kevin Hurley	Wyoming
	Special Achievement Award	Bob Budd	Wyoming
2007	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Bruce McCloskey	Colorado
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Wayne Regelin	Alaska
	President's Award (established in 2007)	Terry Mansfield	Idaho
	Professional of the Year	M. Jeff Hagener	Montana
	Professional of the Year	David Propst	New Mexico
	Pogue-Elms Award	Kyle Kroll	California
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	Jan Hayes	New Mexico
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	John Koleszar	Arizona
	Commission of the Year	Game and Fish Commission	Wyoming
	Special Achievement Award	Mike Golightly	Arizona
	Special Achievement Award	New Mexico Wildlife Federation	New Mexico
2006	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Bruce Taubert	Arizona
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Terry Crawforth	Nevada
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Jim deVos	Arizona
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Tina Cuning	Alaska
	Professional of the Year	John Cooper	South Dakota
	Professional of the Year	Bill Wichers	Wyoming
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Larry Riley	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dale Eslinger	Alberta
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	Brian Pinney	Arizona
	Commission of the Year	Game, Fish and Parks Commission	South Dakota
	Past President's Plaque	Dean Hilderbrand	North Dakota
	Logo Contest Winner	Connie Schiff	North Dakota
	Special Achievement Award	John Baughman	Washington, DC
2005	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Don Childress	Montana
	Professional of the Year	Terry Crawforth	Nevada
	Pogue-Elms Award	Leonard Ordway	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Jim Heffelfinger	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dr. John W. Connelly	Idaho
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dr. Michael Schroeder	Washington

	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dr. Steven T. Knick	Idaho
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	San J. Stiver	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Dwight Bunnell	Utah
	Special Achievement Award	Lorne A. Fitch	Alberta
	Special Achievement Award	Governor Dave Freudenthal	Wyoming
2004	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Kevin Conway	Utah
	Professional of the Year	Robert Treanor	California
	Pogue-Elms Award	Chad Murphy	Montana
	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	California
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Jim deVos	Arizona
	Outstanding WAFWA Contributor of the Year	Bruce Morrison	Nebraska
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor of the Year	Dr. Kent Marlor	Idaho
	Special Achievement Award	Kelly Hepler	Alaska
	Special Achievement Award	Kerry Baldwin	Arizona
2003	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Brent Markham	Alberta
	Professional of the Year	Bruce Taubert	Arizona
	Commission of the Year	Nevada Board of Wildlife	Nevada
	Special Recognition	Larry L. Kruckenberg	Wyoming
2002	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	John Baughman	Wyoming
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	John Kimball	Utah
	Professional of the Year	Chris Smith	Montana
	Commission of the Year	State Game Commission	New Mexico
2001	Professional of the Year	James H.C. Walker	Alberta
	Board of the Year	Wildlife Board	Utah
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor	Sid Sellers	Colorado
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Jack A. Rensel	Utah
2000	Professional of the Year	John Mumma	Colorado
	Commission of the Year	Fish and Wildlife Commission	Oregon
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor	Joseph L. Melton	Arizona
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Jim Martin	Oregon

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1999	Professional of the Year	Patrick J. Graham	Montana
	Board of the Year	Board of Fisheries	Alaska
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor	Marshall Bloom M.D.	Montana
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	William A. Molini	Nevada
1998	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Rebecca Frank	Colorado
	Professional of the Year	Rick Gerhart	Arizona
1997	Professional of the Year	Duane Shroufe	Arizona
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor	Larry Johnson	Nevada
	Outstanding Citizen Wildlife Contributor	Dr. Steven Montgomery	Hawaii
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award	Robert Valentine	Utah
1996	Commission of the Year	Fish, Wildlife and Parks Commission	Montana
	Professional of the Year	Terry McFadden	Alberta
	Professional of the Year	Winfried Schenk	Alberta
1995	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	Idaho
	Professional of the Year	Perry Olson	Colorado
	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	Nina Baucus	Montana
	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	Dr. Theodore H. Stanley	Utah
	Special Achievement Award	Mark Damian Duda	Virginia
	Phillip W. Schneider Lifetime Achievement Award (established in 1995)	Phillip W. Schneider	Oregon
1994	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	California
	Professional of the Year	Al Petrovich, Jr.	California
	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	Dick Renken	Washington
	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	Rory Calhoun	Washington
1993	Professional of the Year	Sandra J. Wolfe	California
1992	Commission of the Year	Fish and Wildlife Commission	Oregon
	Professional of the Year	Bob McQuivey	Nevada
1991	Commission of the Year	Game and Fish Commission	Arizona
	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	Dr. Cheryl Charles	Colorado
1990	Professional of Year	Kevin Delaney	Alaska

	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	David Cohen	Arizona
1989	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	California
	Professional of the Year	Jerry M. Conley	Idaho
1988	Commission of the Year	Wildlife Board	Utah
	Professional of Year	Larry L. Kruckenberg	Wyoming
	Outstanding Wildlife Contributor	Jack Berryman	Washington, D.C.
1987	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	Idaho
	Professional of Year	John P. Hubbard	New Mexico
	Citizen of the Year	John Beuttler	California
	Citizen of the Year	James C. Waldo	Washington
1986	Commission of the Year	Wildlife Commission	Colorado
	Professional of Year	William "Dick" Humphreys	Oregon
	Citizen of the Year	John C. McGlenn	Washington
1985	Commission of the Year	Game and Fish Commission	Wyoming
	Professional of Year	Kerry Baldwin	Arizona
1984	Commission of the Year	Board of Wildlife	Nevada
	Professional of Year	Douglas F. Day	Utah
1983	Commission of the Year	Fish and Wildlife Commission	Washington
1982	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	Idaho
	Professional of Year	Robert L. Salter	Idaho
1981	Commission of the Year	Fish and Wildlife Commission	Oregon
	Professional of Year	Robert J. Tully	Colorado
	Special Award	Joseph J. Klabunde	Montana
	Special Award	Lewis C. Smith	Utah
1980	Professional of the Year	William S. Huey	New Mexico
	Special Award	Dr. Charles P. Hibler	New Mexico
	Special Award	A. Kay Belnap	Idaho
	Special Award	Wynn G. Freeman	Montana
1979	Commission of the Year	State Game Commission	New Mexico
	Professional of Year	Jean Jones	California
1978	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	Idaho

	Professional of Year	Harold K. Chadwick	California
	Special Award	Charles Junge	
1977	Commission of the Year	Game and Fish Commission	Arizona
	Professional of Year	Dale A. Jones	New Mexico
	Special Award	Wayne E. Kirch	Nevada
1976	Commission of the Year	Wildlife Commission	Colorado
	Professional of Year	Jack C. Fraser	California
	Special Award	Robert L. Royce	Idaho
1975	Commission of the Year	Fish and Game Commission	California
	Professional of Year	Wayne W. Sandfort	Colorado
1974	Commission of the Year	Fish and Wildlife Commission	Washington
	Professional of Year	James B. McCormick	California
1973	Commission of the Year	Wildlife Board	Utah
	Professional of Year	Robert C. Holloway	Oregon
1972	Commission of the Year	Game and Fish Commission	Wyoming
	Professional of Year	George Warner	California
1971	Commission of the Year	Fish and Wildlife Commission	Oregon
1969	Professional of the Year	Walter Neubrech	Washington

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Year	Recipient	State/Province
2011	John Carlson	California
	Christopher Estes	Alaska
	Steve Ferrell	Wyoming
	Cal Groen	Idaho
	Terry B. Johnson	Arizona
	Jay Lawson	Wyoming
	Denby Lloyd	Alaska
	Steve Riley	Nebraska
	Cameron Wheeler	Idaho
2010	Jerry Galles	Wyoming
	Spencer Hawley	South Dakota
	Matt Hogan	Washington DC
	Clifford Kirk	Wyoming
	Donald Koch	California
	Larry Kruckenberg	Wyoming
2009	Ken Ambrock	Alberta
	Mike Berger	Texas
	Dick Brown	South Dakota
	Gregg Duffy	Oklahoma
	Jeff Hagener	Montana
	Lee Howard	Utah
	Doug Hunt	Nevada
	Hugh Hunt	Saskatchewan
	Harvey Jessup	Yukon
	Jeff Koenings	Washington
	Ron Lovercheck	Wyoming
	Russ Mason	Michigan
	David McNinch	Nevada
	Paul Niemeyer	Utah
	Larry Peterman	Montana
	Bruce Thompson	New Mexico
	Bill Williams	Wyoming
2008	Matt Robus	Alaska
	Terry Riley	New Mexico
	Claire O'Neal	Colorado
	L.Ryan Broddrick	California
	Kelly Hepler	Alaska

	Doug Hansen	South Dakota
	Robert Cook	Texas
	Terry Cleveland	Wyoming
	Duane Shroufe	Arizona
	Mike Golightly	Arizona
2007	James Bowns	Utah
	McKie Campbell	Alaska
	Don Childress	Montana
	John Cooper	South Dakota
	Steven Huffaker	Idaho
	Al Martin	British Columbia
	Bruce McCloskey	Colorado
	Miles Moretti	Utah
	Bruce Morrison	Nebraska
	Tim Mulligan	Montana
	Peter Pino	New Mexico
	Wayne Regelin	Alaska
	Allen Smith	Utah
	Tod Stevenson	New Mexico
2006	Terry Crawforth	Nevada
	Tina Cuning	Alaska
	Robert Treanor	California
	Bill Wichers	Wyoming
	Dean Hilderbrand	North Dakota
	Bruce Taubert	Arizona
	Jim deVos	Arizona
	Ron Somerville	Alaska
2005	Dennis Sherratt	Saskatchewan
	Gene Weller	Nevada
	Bill Bradley	Nevada
	Bernard Black	Colorado
	Brenda Freeman	Utah
	Dr. Max Morgan	Utah
	Nancy Hadley	Idaho
2004	Don Peterson	British Columbia
	Mike Chrisman	California
	Robert Hight	California
	Russell George	Colorado
	Michael Buck	Hawaii
	Kelly White	Washington

	Brent Manning	Wyoming
2003	Rob Bosworth	Alaska
	Frank Rue	Alaska
	Darlyne Dascher	Montana
	Larry Bell	New Mexico
	Steve Padilla	New Mexico
	George Ortega	New Mexico
	Karen Stevens	New Mexico
	Gary Graham	Texas
	Tom Thorne	Wyoming

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2002	Morley Barrett	Alberta
	Doug Dryden	British Columbia
	Rod Sando	Idaho
	John Kimball	Utah
	John Baughman	Wyoming
2001	Stan Meyer	Montana
	Patrick Graham	Montana
	Don Cavin	Nevada
	Boyd Sprating	Nevada
	Jim Greer	Oregon
	Dr. Susan Foster	Oregon
2000	John Mumma	Colorado
	Jerry Mallet	Idaho
	Ken Norrie	Idaho
	Bill Frade	Nevada
	Jerry Maracchini	New Mexico
	Arthur Hoole	Yukon, Canada
1999	Jacqueline Schafer	California
	Michael D. Wilson	Hawaii
	Steve Mealey	Idaho
	William A. Molini	Nevada
	John McGlenn	Washington
1998	Jim R. Nichols	Alberta
	James Walker	British Columbia
	Sandra Wolfe	California
	Rebecca Frank	Colorado
	Keith Trego	North Dakota
	Bernard Shanks	Washington
	Hugh Monaghan	Yukon, Canada
1997	Richard Hanson	Idaho
	Jerry Conley	Idaho
	Keith Carlson	Idaho
	Mahlon Brown	Nevada
	Rudy Rosen	Oregon
	Robert Valentine	Utah

Year	Recipient	State/Province
1996	Perry Olson	Colorado
	Norman Richardson	Washington
1995	Carol Rosier	Alaska
	Beth Wooden	Arizona
	Dave Narver	British Columbia
	Boyd Gibbons	California
	Henry Sakuda	Hawaii
	Ron Marcoux	Montana
	Bill Montoya	New Mexico
	Dick Beringson	South Dakota
	Jody Williams	Utah
	Pete Petera	Wyoming
	1994	Lloyd Jones
Randy Fisher		Oregon
Tim Provan		Utah
Curt Smitch		Washington
1993	Bob Adams	Alberta
	Gordon Whiting	Arizona
1991	Jane Capizzi	Oregon
1990	Gene Allen	Montana
	Bill Morris	Wyoming
	Rex Corsi	Wyoming
1989	Temple Reynolds	Arizona
	James Flynn	Montana
	William Geer	Utah
1988	James Ruch	Colorado
	Harold Olson	New Mexico
	Jack Wayland	Washington
1987	Bud Bristow	Arizona
	Spencer Hegstad	Montana
	Dr. John Donaldson	Oregon

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1986	Don Dexter	Wyoming
1985	Jean K. Tool	Colorado
	Frank Lockard	Washington
1984	Donald J. Robinson	British Columbia
	Jack Grieb	Colorado
	Robert L. Salter	Idaho
	Douglas F. Day	Utah
1983	Ronald O. Skoog	Alaska
	E. Charles Fullerton	California
1982	Michio Takata	Hawaii
	Kenji Ego	Hawaii
	Joseph C. Greenley	Nevada
	Earl Thomas	Wyoming
1981	Robert A. Jantzen	Arizona
	Glen Griffith	Nevada
	Allan L. Kelley	Oregon
1978	Fred A. Thompson	New Mexico
	Homer C. Pickens	New Mexico
	Ladd S. Gordon	New Mexico
	James B. White	Wyoming
1977	John W. McKean	Oregon
	Arthur S. Coffin	Washington
1976	R. J. "Rocky" Holmes	Idaho
	Carl Crouse	Washington
1975	G. Ray Arnett	California
	R. Withers Cool	Colorado
1973	Harry Woodward	Colorado
	Frank Groves	Nevada

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1972	Edward Macaulay	California
	Walter J. Everin	Montana
	Frank H. Dunkle	Montana
	Ross Leonard	Washington, D.C.
	Robert J. Smith	Washington, D.C.
1971	Cleland Feast	Colorado
	John R. Woodworth	Idaho
	Tom Kimball	Washington, D.C.
1970	Walter Shannon	California
	John Biggs	Washington
1969	Phillip W. Schneider	Oregon
1967	Ben Glading	California
	Wayne E. Kirch	Nevada
1962	Frank Butler	British Columbia
1959	Fred Faver	Arizona
	Seth Gordon	California
1957	Lester Bagley	Wyoming
1953	Elliott Barker	New Mexico
	Virgil Bennington	Washington
1952	William Carpenter	Montana
1935	Mrs. Harold Peck	
	E.H. Smith	Colorado
	William J. Tucker	Texas
	David Madsen	Utah
	Fred J. Foster	Washington
	Cornel Arthur Foran	Washington, D. C.
	Carl D. Shoemaker	Washington, D. C.