



TWCA Fall Conference

TWCARMF Safety Awards



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What began in 1988 with the purpose of putting TWCA members in control of their insurance and risk management, we are now in our 33rd year of operations. As many of you can attest, the Fund not only provides stability in coverage and rates but works with our members to develop quality safety and loss prevention programs that enrich our members' operations. Today the Fund recognizes several members for some of these successes.

It's rewarding to see that each year the bar for the Fund's award recognition gets set even higher as Fund members' safety records continue to improve. We recognize several Fund members for their effective safety and loss control programs and commend members in providing safe work environments for their employees. In addition, two of the awards recognize members' attention to liability issues which frequently affects the general public. The Fund Board and staff commend each of these members for their accomplishments.

Most Improved Safety Record in Workers' Compensation:

Experience modifiers are one of the best indicators of the effectiveness of an organization's safety program. This award recognizes those members who achieved the most improvement in their workers' compensation experience modifier this year. The winners are:

**Mustang Special Utility District
Tom Green County WCID #1**

Outstanding Safety Record in Workers' Compensation:

This recognition is awarded to those members that have sustained the best experience in reducing employee injuries as reflected by their experience modifier over the past four years. The winners in this category are:

**Coastal Water Authority
San Jacinto River Authority**

Most Improved Safety Record in Liability:

The new category of "Most Improved Safety Record in Liability" recognizes the work that goes into preventing Liability claims just like the "Most Improved" category in Workers' Compensation. The criteria for "Most Improved Safety Record in Liability" are a current liability modifier of less than 1.00 and improvement of more than 20%. Underwriting limited the decrease in modifier for the 2019/20 year to -20% so that is what was used in determining the winners.

**San Antonio River Authority
United Irrigation District of Hidalgo County
Cameron County Drainage District #1
Hidalgo County Irrigation District #2**

Outstanding Safety Record in Liability:

This award recognizes the member with the best liability loss history in General Liability, Automobile Liability and Errors and Omission with a combined underwriting factor of less than 0.70. The winners are:

**Colorado River Municipal Water Authority
Gulf Coast Authority
North Harris County Regional Water Authority**

Leroy Goodson Excellence in Risk Management Award:

The Fund Board named our top annual award after TWCA's previous general manager who led the effort to create the risk management fund and served as our Board Secretary for 28 years. This award recognizes the Fund member for achieving excellent experience in both workers' compensation and liability over the past four years. The Fund's most prestigious award, the **Leroy Goodson Excellence in Risk Management Award** goes to:

Canadian River Municipal Water Authority

Excellence in Workers' Compensation Performance Certificate:

The Excellence in Workers' Compensation History Award is a certificate recognizing members that have a four-year average Workers' Compensation modifier of 1.00 or less with no losses over the last three complete years. The award recognizes several members, many of them smaller members, that work hard for safety and effective risk management. The winners are:

Angelina & Nacogdoches Counties WCID #1
Brookshire-Katy Drainage District
Cameron County Drainage District #5
Cameron County Water Improvement District #10
Coastal Bend Groundwater Conservation District
Coastal Plains Groundwater Conservation District
Evergreen Underground Water Conservation District
Fort Bend Subsidence District
Galveston County Consolidated Drainage District
Greater Texoma Utility Authority
Hemphill County UWCD
Hidalgo Co Irrigation District #16
Hidalgo County Irrigation District #5
Jefferson County Drainage District #3
Kenedy County Groundwater Conservation District
Lone Star Groundwater Conservation District
Marilee Special Utility District
Medina County Groundwater Conservation District
North Harris County Regional Water Authority
North Plains Groundwater Conservation District
North Texas Groundwater Conservation District

Northern Trinity Groundwater Conservation District
Nueces River Authority
Orange County Navigation & Port District
Panhandle Groundwater Conservation District
Pineywoods Groundwater Conservation District
Plum Creek Conservation District
Prairielands Groundwater Conservation District
Red River Groundwater Conservation District
Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District
Stonewall Water Control & Improvement District
Sulphur River Basin Authority
Tom Green County Fresh Water Supply District #2
Upper Colorado River Authority
Valley Acres Irrigation District
Ward County Irrigation District #1
Zavala-Dimmit Counties WID #1