

# SARBS 2011 NOMINATION FORM

## Engineering Achievement Award

The nomination form for the SARBS 2011 Engineering Achievement Award is the same as the form used at the state level by the CWEA. This nomination form is found on the following pages.

The criteria for winning the SARBS award is the same as winning the state level (CWEA) award. See the following pages.

### Instructions for applying for a SARBS award:

1. Applicants must use the attached form, other formats will not be accepted. Applicants must answer all questions that follow. Submitted materials will not be returned. USE THE ATTACHED FORM.
2. Send completed awards nomination form to  
  
City of Coachella Utilities Department  
53-462 Enterprise Way  
Coachella, CA 92211  
Attention: Berlinda McCadney  
  
E-mails and faxes will not be accepted.
3. Send seven copies of the completed nomination form.
4. The nominator will be notified that the nomination form has been received.
5. All nominations must be received or postmarked by November 4, 2011.
6. Nominees will be contacted regarding interviews by November 15, 2011.
7. SARBS will send the application for the successful nominee (SARBS Award Winner) to the CWEA for consideration in the state level competition.
8. For questions contact Berlinda McCadney at [bmccadney@coachella.org](mailto:bmccadney@coachella.org)

GOOD LUCK!

# CWEA NOMINATION FORM

## Engineering Achievement Award

**Nominee:**

Name:

Agency:

Address:

City, Zip Code:

Work Phone:

Fax:

Email Address:

Local Section:

**Nominator:**

Name:

Agency:

Address:

City, Zip Code:

Work Phone:

Fax:

Email Address:

Local Section:

**Checklist of Awards Criteria:** You must include all of the following to be eligible for the award.

1. CWEA Member (at least one person at agency)?
2. Five copies of the nomination packet?

**Instructions:**

9. Applicants must use the attached form, other formats will not be accepted.
10. Submit your application through your Local Section in accordance with your Local Section's awards schedule. Submitted materials will not be returned
11. No more than one nomination for the Engineering Award may be submitted by each Local Section as their Local Section Winner. Submittal of more than one nomination will invalidate that Local Section's entry.
12. The CWEA Engineering and Research Achievement Awards are coordinated by the CWEA Engineering and Research Committee.
13. All award nominees will be notified of their status prior to the CWEA Annual Conference.
6. Send State Award Nominations to CWEA Awards program, 7677 Oakport Street, Suite 600 Oakland, CA 94621. Emails will not be accepted.

**All state awards must be received by FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2012. Postmarks will not be accepted.**

Questions: Call Pavitra Prabhakar, Engineering & Research Committee Awards Chair(562) 908-4288

I. NOMINATED PROJECT:

A. Title of Project:\_\_\_\_\_

B. Primary Participants and CWEA Membership No. (at least one member):

\_\_\_\_\_

Project Contact Person:\_\_\_\_\_

Address:\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_

II. PROJECT CRITERIA:

The improvement, or potential improvement, of the following (if applicable, describe in 1 or 2 sentences). Check off all that apply.

1.  Improved Health and Safety of the public and/or employees

\_\_\_\_\_

2.  Problem Prevention/Solution

\_\_\_\_\_

3.  Overall Environment Improvement/Benefit (air, land and water)

\_\_\_\_\_

4.  Improved Cost Effectiveness (short term, long term, capital, O&M)

\_\_\_\_\_

5.  Conservation of Resources (energy, water, metals)

\_\_\_\_\_

6.  New Technology (Did the project advance the state of the art?)

\_\_\_\_\_

7.  New Application of Existing Technology

\_\_\_\_\_

8.  Improved Reliability/Efficiency

\_\_\_\_\_

9.  Construction impacts on the public

\_\_\_\_\_

10.  Applicability/transferability of project

\_\_\_\_\_

III. PROJECT EVALUATION:

11.  Other Factors, including CWEA participation

\_\_\_\_\_

12. Time Frame: When was the project done or when will it be done?

\_\_\_\_\_

13. Has this project been published or won any other awards or recognition?

\_\_\_\_\_

14. How is the quality of the nomination and supporting documents?

\_\_\_\_\_

IV. Supporting Documentation submitted (please list): (Please include a 500-word project narrative or outline)

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V. Poster Board

A. Is a Poster Board display available?  Yes  No

- B. If you do not have a Poster Board Display, can you furnish one if selected as a State winner?  Yes  No

### **Additional Information**

If selected for a first place award, the applicant will be notified approximately 3 weeks before the conference and will be asked to provide a color poster (4ft x 6ft approx), if available, describing the project in both narrative and photographic media for display at the Engineering and Research Breakfast and at the CWEA awards luncheon. Separate applications and judging criteria apply for the related WEF awards. Applicants are encouraged to consider applying for WEF awards at [http://www.wef.org/MembershipCareers/MembershipInformation/Awards/MA\\_Awards/maawards.htm](http://www.wef.org/MembershipCareers/MembershipInformation/Awards/MA_Awards/maawards.htm)