



INTERNATIONAL CODE COUNCIL GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

Innovation in Code Administration Award *Call For Nominations*

Code enforcement is one of the five pillars of community risk reduction that include education, enforcement, engineering, economic incentives and emergency response. Fire and building departments across the country are developing new and innovative approaches to delivering code administration services as part of community risk reduction efforts. Innovative tools and techniques in code enforcement should be shared to improve the effectiveness of code enforcement at reducing risk from death, injury, fires and other natural or manmade disasters.

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The award program is sponsored by the International Association of Fire Chiefs-Fire and Life Safety Section, the National Association of State Fire Marshals and the Government Relations Division of the International Code Council.

Award Eligibility

The nominee must be a building or fire code organization that provides code administration services to one or more jurisdictions. This may include fire department, fire marshal's offices or building departments that are charged with code administration.

The organization must have implemented a unique practice that enhances building or fire code administration services in the community. An organization can nominate itself. Individuals are not eligible for this award.

The practice should have resulted in a positive impact on public and firefighter safety, measurable reduction in deaths, injuries or property damage, and/or the quality, effectiveness or efficiency of code administration services.

Award Presentation

Recipients of the Award will be honored during the Government Relations Forum at the ICC Annual Conference. The Award winner will be announced during the forum, the sponsors will inform the public of these awards through their regular media outlets. ICC will provide travel and lodging for the recipient to receive the award.

Award Criteria

Applications can be submitted at any time. The application should include the following information:

1. Applicant(s) name, organization(s) and contact information (mailing address, email address, telephone numbers).

2. Explain what prompted the agency to develop the practice, and whether it was an issue for only one agency or endemic to other code enforcement agencies as well. Also identify whether the practice impacted code administration at the local, county, regional and/or state level.
3. How does this innovation align with the ICC mission, vision and goals?
4. Is this a new project/program or did your organization model it after an existing program developed by another organization? If modeled after another program, identify it and how you learned of it.
5. Did the organization develop partnerships with other organizations or government agencies (e.g. the private sector, law enforcement, research centers, learning institutions or other code enforcement agencies) to implement the program? If so, please describe the partnership.
6. Describe how the jurisdiction measures successful outcomes. Provide demonstrated measurable outcomes/accomplishments attributed to the program.
7. What efforts are being accomplished to sustain the program?

You may submit additional documentation to support the nomination.

Application Deadline

The deadline to submit applications for the annual Award is **March 1, 2018**. Applications must be submitted to the International Code Council, Government Relations, 500 New Jersey Avenue NW, Sixth Floor, Washington, DC 20001 or by fax to 202.783.2348.

Applications will be evaluated jointly by a team from the ICC Building Official and Fire Service Membership Councils.

Questions about the Award or application process should be submitted to Rob Neale, Vice President Government Relations at 1.888.422.7233, Extension 6256.



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Nominee

NAME OF NOMINEE

NOMINEE TITLE

NOMINEE E-MAIL ADDRESS

NOMINEE PHONE (SPECIFY COUNTRY AND CITY CODE IF OUTSIDE THE U.S.)

EXT.

NOMINEE JURISDICTION/ORGANIZATION/COMPANY

BRIEF EXPLANATION WHY THIS PERSON SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FOR THE CHOSEN AWARD:

BRIEF BIOGRAPHY, PREVIOUS AWARDS, RECOGNITIONS, ETC.

(If including items such as photos, DVDs, etc., include five (5) copies of each to assist with committee review.)

Nominator

NAME OF INDIVIDUAL OR ORGANIZATION PRESENTING THE NOMINATION:

IF ORGANIZATION, INCLUDE CONTACT NAME:

NOMINATOR ADDRESS

NOMINATOR PHONE (SPECIFY COUNTRY AND CITY CODE IF OUTSIDE THE U.S.)

EXT.

NOMINATOR E-MAIL ADDRESS

Submitting the Application There are three easy ways to submit this completed application.

1. SCAN & EMAIL:
rneale@iccsafe.org

2. MAIL: ICC Award Nominations
Attn: Rob Neale
International Code Council
500 New Jersey Avenue NW
Sixth Floor
Washington, DC 20001

3. FAX: (202) 783-2348

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