

TACA Truck Driver and Production Employee of the Year Contest

PROGRAM

The Texas Aggregates and Concrete Association's Truck Driver and Production Employee of the Year Award acknowledges the significant contribution of truck drivers and production employees to the growth and success of individual companies and the concrete, aggregates and cement industry. As a salute to these key members of the production and delivery team, the award recognizes the employee's career achievement, safety, professionalism, competence, and customer service skills in a manner that will enhance the public image of the industry.

ELIGIBILITY

Competition is restricted to:

- Nominees must be full-time truck drivers or employees. Nominees can only be nominated in ONE category.
- Nominees must be an employee of a TACA Member Company or a subcontractor of a TACA Member Company for at least six months to be eligible to participate.
- Each member company will be allowed a maximum of three nominees per plant location.
- Only TACA members with owner/operator drivers may enter those drivers in the competition. It is mandatory that the owner/operator company drives for a TACA member company and that same TACA member company has control over the operator's safety program.

AWARD CATEGORIES

Truck Driver of the Year, First Runner-Up and Second Runner-Up shall be selected by the judges from the qualified nominees.

Production Employee of the Year, First Runner-Up and Second Runner-Up shall be selected by the judges from the qualified nominees.

AWARD PRESENTATIONS

The 2009-2010 Truck Driver of the Year and Production Employee of the Year award winners will be honored on June 30, 2010 during the Awards Luncheon at the TACA 56th Annual Meeting in Irving, TX.

NOMINATIONS & DEADLINE

Nominations can be made by completing the enclosed entry form and providing the required supporting documents. Nominations must include one high-resolution electronic image of the nominee dressed in his or her normal working attire. Entries must be received at the TACA office by **May 1, 2010**.

JUDGING

A panel of judges assembled by TACA's Safety and Transportation Committees will judge the competition. The panel of judges will be solely responsible for determining the award recipients, and their decisions shall be final.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Questions regarding this contest should be directed to Andrea Tilley at 512-451-5100 or via e-mail: atilley@tx-taca.org.

TACA Entry Form
Deadline: May 1, 2010

- Truck Driver of the Year**
- Production Employee of the Year**

Name of nominee: _____

If production employee, list job title: _____

Employer company name: _____

Company address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Nominee's home plant – City: _____ State: _____

Years of service to company (minimum six months): _____

Total years driving a truck or as a production employee: _____

Type of equipment operated: _____

If applicable, years/months of service without a vehicle accident: _____

Years/months of service without an on-the-job injury: _____

Licenses and/or certifications held: (Some production employees may hold a valid CDL.)

Special qualifications or other recognition (i.e., finalist in truck rodeo, company or association employee of the year, community service recognition, a job related competition, etc.)

Describe any unusual on-the-job experiences (such as helping a motorist, assisting during an accident, community service, family information, etc.) that makes this nominee extraordinary.

Why should this nominee be selected as TACA Truck Driver of the Year or Production Employee of the Year?

MVR must be provided for truck drivers and production employee nominees.

Customer letters of compliment or testimonials may also be submitted. Please limit to a maximum of three letters.

Submit one high-resolution photograph of the nominee in their work attire.

The supporting documents should be typed, signed by the supervisor and attached to this form.

Nomination submitted by:

Name	Title	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone	Fax	E-mail

Return application to:
TACA Truck Driver of the Year Contest
TACA Production Employee of the Year Contest
900 Congress Ave., Suite 200
Austin, TX 78701

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