

Award Recipients

MeWEA (formerly MWWCA) Awards

Charles Perry Collection System Award

2018 Brunswick Sewer District
 2017 Brion Kane
 2016 Philip Tucker
 2015 Phil Pickering, Ogunquit
 2014 Mark Holt, Jay Sewer Department
 2013 Jeff Beale, P.E., Lewiston Public Works
 2012 Tim Haskell, York Sewer District
 2008 Gary Howard, Scarborough
 2002 Ron Kidder & Peter Spencer-Brewer
 2001 Houlton Water Company
 2000 Tony Gordon-SMTC
 1998 John Emerson-Portland Water District
 1997 Topsham Sewer District
 1996 Wilton WWTP

Industrial Achievement

2018 HP Hood
 2012 General Dynamics Armament and
 Technical Products - Saco Operations
 2011 Huhtamaki, Inc.
 1991 Penobscot Frozen Foods
 1990 Robinson Manufacturing Company

**Alfred Jellison Award for Lifetime Achievement
 (named in 2016)**

2018 Leonard Blanchette, Brunswick Sewer Dist.
 2017 John Hart
 2016 Darold Wooley
 Vivian Matkivich
 2014 Frenchie Guevremont
 2005 Ted Littlefield
 Donald W. Weston
 2002 Richard Bentzel
 1999 Dr. Frank E. Woodard

Richard B. Goodenow

2013 Brunswick Sewer District
 2004 Veazie Sewer District
 2002 Presque Isle Sewer District
 1998 Millinocket WWTF
 1997 Passamaquoddy WWTF
 1996 Yarmouth Wastewater Treatment Facility
 1995 Brewer Wastewater Treatment Facility
 1994 Great Salt Bay Sanitary District
 1993 Kennebunk WWTF
 1992 Wilton WWTF
 1991 Bethel WWTF
 1990 Augusta Sanitary District
 1989 Corinna Sewer District
 1988 Scarborough Sanitary District (?)

Regional Outstanding Plant Awards

1998 Oakland WWTF
 Ogunquit WWTF
 1997 Togus VA Hospital
 Brunswick Sewer District
 Mars Hill WWTF

Operator Excellence Award (est. 2018)

2018 Eric Cavers, LAWPCA

Roger Gagne Award

2018 Joan Kiszely, MMA
2017 Stephen Broadbent
2016 Jeff McBurnie
2015 Gilles St. Pierre
Travis Peaslee
2014 Phyllis Rand
2013 Andre Brousseau
2012 Tim Levasseur
Chuck Applebee
2011 Andy Rudzinski
2010 Mary Waring
2009 David Anderson
2008 Greg Cataldo
2007 Brad Moore
2006 Howard Carter
2005 Tom Wiley
2004 Janet Abrahamson
2003 Mac Richardson
2002 Tony Gordon
2001 Mike Bolduc
2000 Al Jellison
1999 Darold Wooley
1998 Vivian Matkivich
1997 Jim Fitch
1996 Tom Hambrock
1995 Carol Fuller
1994 Michael Grove
1993 Don Almy
1992 Sandy Perry
1991 Gladys DeWick
1990 Richard Bentzel

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Pretreatment Excellence Award

2018 Clean Harbors Environmental Services
 2017 Elanco
 2014 Inland Technologies – Portland Jetport
 2013 Savage Safe Handling
 2012 Pat Jackson, Inc.
 2005 AVX Tantlum Corporation
 2004 Sermatech International, Inc.
 2002 Nichols Portland
 2001 Osram Sylvania
 1999 Performance Products Painting
 1997 Phillips-Elmet
 1996 Southern Maine Industries
 1995 Eastern Fine Paper
 1994 Guy Gannett Publishing
 1993 Keyes Fibre
 1992 The Irwin Company
 1991 Jet Line Environmental Services

David Anderson Award for Laboratory Excellence

2018 Phyllis Rand, GAUD
 2017 Tom Hambrock, City of Bangor WWTF
 2016 June Mooney, GAUD
 Peter Rush, PWD
 2014 Stacy Thompson, Saco
 2013 Peter Sherwood, KSTD

Communications Award

2018 Mac Richardson, LAWPCA
 2017 Jen McDonnell, Casella Organics
 2014 Matt Timberlake, Ted Berry Company
 2012 Mac Richardson, LAWPCA
 2002 Steve Lane

Outstanding Service Award

2018 William Taylor, Pierce-Atwood
 2014 Patricia Aho, Maine DEP
 Sen. James Boyle
 Rep. Joan Welsh
 2013 Brian Kavanah, Maine DEP
 2012 Portland Water District
 2010 Rep. Patrick Flood
 2008 Sen. Phillip Bartlett
 2007 Rep. Patrick Flood
 2005 Matthew Davis & Heidi Overbeck

Stormwater Award (est. 2018)

2018 Aubrey Strause

Young Professionals Award

2018 Jordan Heath, City of Portland
 2017 Allison Fisher, City of Portland
 2016 Dan Munsey, Brunswick Sewer District
 2015 Riley Cobb, Saco WRRF
 2014 Rob Pontau, Brunswick Sewer District
 2013 Dustin Price, York Sewer District

President's Service Award

2018 Alex Buechner, Biddeford
 2017 Andy Rudzinski, Bangor
 2016 Stacy Thompson, Saco WRRF
 2015 Al Jellison
 Travis Peaslee
 2014 Scott Firmin
 2013 Matt Timberlake
 2012 Aubrey Strause
 2011 Aubrey Strause
 2010 Joan Kiszely
 Al Jellison
 2009 Andrew Gilmore
 2008 David Anderson
 2007 Charles Applebee
 2006 Michael Grove
 2005 Joan Kiszely
 2004 Bradley Moore
 Dan Bisson
 Janet Abrahamson
 2003 Mac Richardson
 2002 Vivian Matkivich
 2001 Fred Dillon
 2000 Phyllis Rand
 1999 Tom Wiley
 1998 Phyllis Rand
 1997 Mike Barden
 1996 Greg Cataldo
 1995 Michael Bolduc
 1994 Lewiston-Auburn WPCA
 1993 Phyllis Rand
 1992 Gilles St. Pierre
 1991 Pat Cloutier
 1990 Al Jellison (?)
 1989
 1988 Richard Bentzel
 1987
 1986 Gladys Dewick

Lee Agger Award (JETCC)

2017 Scott Firmin – Portland Water District
2016 Jack Berry - Ted Berry Company, Inc.
2015 Brunswick Sewer District
2014 Timothy Levasseur - Kennebec Sanitary Treatment District
2013 Richard E. Darling - Maine DEP
2012 Charles Conway - Retired NEIWPC & EPA
2011 Al Jellison - Bangor Wastewater Treatment Facility
2010 Andrew Wendell - Clearwater Lab
2009 Portland Water District Jeff Nixon Training Center
2008 Steve Butler - Brewer Water Pollution Control Facility
2007 Anthony Gordon
2006 Stephen Broadbent - Wright-Pierce Engineers
2005 Jane Carroll & Karen Tangeman - Augusta Sanitary District
2004 Janet Abrahamson
2003 Edwin Mooney - Augusta Sanitary District
2002 Tina Darrell
2001 Brewer Water Pollution Control Facility
2000 Kirk J. Laflin - National Partnership for Environmental Technology (Former JETCC Director)
1999 Jerome "Frenchy" Guevremont - Chick Hill WPCF
1998 Steve McLaughlin - Maine DEP
1997 Maine Broadcasting Company
1996 Wright Pierce Engineers
1995 Lewiston Auburn Water Pollution Control Authority
1994 Augusta Sanitary District
1993 Woodard & Curran, Inc.
1992 Gilles St. Pierre Presque Isle Sewer District
1991 Bangor Water Pollution Control Facility
1990 Mark S. Lorello City of South Portland WPCF, Collection Systems

Founders Award (JETCC)

2017 Paul Boutin – City of Old Town WPCF
2006 Thomas Hagan - Chick Hill WPCF
2016 Ronald White - Kennebec Sanitary Treatment District
2015 Nathan Melanson - Lewiston Auburn Water Pollution Control Authority
2014 Kirby L. Pinkham - Greater Augusta Utility District
2013 Michael Tibbetts - York Sewer District
2011 Arthur Robinson - Gardiner Wastewater Treatment Facility
2009 Glen Bellefleur - Scarborough Sanitary District
2008 Ronald Taylor - Town of Kennebunkport Sewer Department
2007 Scott Perry - Ogunquit Sewer District

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- 2018 Kevin Noyes (Town of Patten - Wastewater Treatment Facility)
Jim Leighton, Dennis Plucker, Derek Bosse and Wayne Bourgoine (Limestone Water and Sewer District)
- 2017 Portland Water District, Wastewater Operations
- 2016 Alan Hitchcock of the Caribou Utilities District
- 2015 City of Biddeford Wastewater Division
- 2014 Phyllis Arnold Rand (Water Quality Coordinator; Greater Augusta Utility District)
City of Brewer, accepted by Ken Locke (Director of Environmental Services) and Lou Colburn (Chief Operator and Pretreatment Coordinator, Water Pollution Control Facility)
- 2013 *(unknown)*
- 2012 York Sewer District
- 2011 Joan Kiszely and Nancy Sargent (Maine Municipal Association) and Robert Gunderson (Bethel WWTF)
- 2010 Kent Mitchell (Livermore Falls WWTP),
Sanford Sewerage District,
Steven Tapley (Kittery WWTP)
Sabattus Sanitary District
- 2009 Brad Roland (City of Portland)
Bath WWTP
Newport Sanitary District
Thomaston Water Pollution Control Department
Russ Mathers (Wilton)
Mike Broadbent (Richmond Utilities District)
- 2008 City of Bangor WWTF
Saco WWTF
Tammy Bonner (Danforth)

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