

Awards Received by the City of Palmdale Department of Public Works

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No.	Year	Project, Program or Person	Award Description or Category
California Geographic Information Association Award			
1	2008	Outstanding Interactive MapGuide Site	Outstanding Presentation
California Cities Helen Putnam Award			
1	1992	Park and Ride Facility	Outstanding Public Works Project of the Year
Achievement In Reducing Emissions (AIRE) Award from the Antelope Valley Air Quality Management District			
1	2003	Use of Alternative Fuel Vehicles	Achievement In Reducing Emissions
2	2006	Emissions Reduction	Antelope Valley Environmental Collection Center
Desert Haven Employee of the Year			
1	2003	City of Palmdale (Public Works Maintenance Division)	Employer of the Year
2	2007	City of Palmdale (Public Works Maintenance Division)	Henstra Family Award (Most Prestigious Award from Desert Haven)
Awards Received from the American Public Works Association (APWA)			
1	2011	APWA Accreditation	Public Works Department
		APWA Accreditation - Model Practice	GIS Program
		APWA Accreditation - Model Practice	Injury and Illness Prevention Program (Safety Manual)
Awards Received from the American Public Works Association, Southern California Chapter			
1	1997	25th St. East Re-alignment & Widening	Transportation (Capacity Improvement)
2	1997	Domenic Massari Park	Park Improvements
3	1997	Street Resurfacing & Sealing Program	Pavement Management (Most Improved Streets)
4	1998	Pelona Vista Park	Athletic Facilities
5	1998	Sierra Highway Bikeway Program	Bicycle Friendly
6	1998	Public Works Community Relations Program	Community Relations
7	1998	Amargosa Creek Detention Basin Dam & Spillway	Flood Control Improvements
8	1999	Palmdale Youth Library	Cooperative Projects (Public-Private Sector Projects)
9	1999	Pearblossom Highway Widening	Transportation (Capacity Improvement)
10	1999	Joshua Ranch Trail	Environmental Enhancement
11	2000	Palmdale City Hall	Outstanding Project of the Year
12	2000	Highland Street Bridge	Best Improvement For Public Safety
13	2000	Central Maintenance Irrigation Control System	Best Use of Technology
14	2001	Stephen H. Williams	Southern California Chapter Leader of the Year
15	2001	Palmdale Courthouse (Institute of Technology)	Outstanding Project of the Year
16	2001	Geographic Information System	Best Use of Technology
17	2002	Palmdale City Council Chambers	Outstanding Project of the Year
18	2002	Larry Chimbole Cultural Center	Innovative Design of the Year
19	2004	Courson Park & Desert Sands Park Playground Renovation	Parks & Recreation Facilities - Refurbished
20	2004	Plant 42 Heritage Airpark	Facilities and Buildings
21	2005	Avenue R Interconnect	Traffic Congestion/Mitigation – Signal Improvement
22	2005	Antelope Valley Environmental Collection Center	Facilities and Buildings
23	2006	MKP/Best of the West Softball Complex	Athletic Facilities
24	2006	Palmdale Oasis Park/DryTown Water Park	Parks & Recreation Facilities - Aquatic Facilities
25	2007	Avenue S Corridor Improvements	Transportation (Capacity Improvement)
26	2007	Palmdale Public Works Website	Community Relations
27	2008	GIS Public Website	Public Works Management
28	2008	22nd Street East Storm Drain	Utilities
29	2011	Palmdale Energy Action Plan	Creative and Innovative
30	2013	Palmdale Maintenance Yard Expansion	Outstanding Project of the Year
Awards Received from the American Public Works Association, High Desert Branch (northern L.A. County and west San Bernardino County)			
1	2000	Palmdale City Hall	Outstanding Project of the Year
2	2000	Highland Street Bridge Replacement	Best Improvement for Public Safety
3	2000	Central Control Irrigation System	Best Use of Technology
4	2001	Palmdale Institute of Technology (Courthouse)	Outstanding Project of the Year
5	2001	Geographic Information System	Best Use of Technology
6	2002	Palmdale City Council Chambers	Outstanding Project of the Year
7	2002	Larry Chimbole Cultural Center	Innovative Design of the Year
8	2003	Amargosa Creek Drainage Channel	Best Improvement for Public Safety
9	2003	Alternative Fuel Vehicles	Best Use of Technology
10	2004	Chris O'Leary Skatepark at Domenic Massari Park	Innovative Design of the Year
11	2005	Palmdale City Council Chambers Cablecasting and Webcasting Project	Best Use of Technology
12	2005	Antelope Valley Environmental Collection Center	Best Environmental Project
13	2005	Palmdale Amphitheater	Innovative Design of the Year
14	2006	Avenue S Corridor Improvements	Outstanding Project of the Year
15	2006	Street Resurfacing Program using Recycled Rubberized Asphalt (2006-2007)	Best Environmental Project
16	2006	Palmdale Sheriff Station	Best Improvement for Public Safety
17	2007	Fire Station Off-Site Improvements	Best Improvement for Public Safety
18	2007	Domenic Massari Park Off-Leash Area	Innovative Design of the Year
19	2008	ADA Ramp Improvements	Best Improvement for Public Safety
20	2009	Marie Kerr Park Recreation Center	Best Improvement for Public Safety
21	2009	Demonstration Garden Inspired Projects	Best Environmental Project
22	2009	"Conserve Palmdale!" Education Programs	Best Use of Technology
23	2011	Mike Livingston	Outstanding Public Works Employee of the Year
24	2011	Tierra Subida Corridor Improvement	Best Improvement for Public Safety
25	2011	Turf Replacement Program	Best Environmental Project
26	2012	Dry-Town Water Park/Dusty's Mineshaft Racer	Innovative Design of the Year
27	2012	Best Use of Technology	Traffic Signal Synchronization Program
28	2012	Lynn Glidden	Outstanding Public Works Employee of the Year
Awards Received from SCAN-NATO (Southern California and Nevada)			
1	2009	Conserve Palmdale Episode #2	First Place STAR Award - Environmental Category