



Outstanding Service Award

The Outstanding Service Award honors individuals who have been in the fence industry for at least ten years and have generously contributed their time to the AFA in various capacities over the past five years. This year's recipients have demonstrated exceptional dedication and are highly respected within the industry.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Nominee(s) and those sponsoring the nominee must be affiliated with an AFA member
- company in good standing at the time of the nomination.
- Nominee(s) must have a minimum of ten (10) years of service in the fence industry. The
 - time frame of service shall be inclusive of all years in the industry and not limited to
 - years of service at any one company.
- Nominee(s) must have displayed one or more the following volunteer speaker/trainer
 - roles;
 1. Participated in a leadership role as Chair or instructor at one or more of AFA's training schools for a minimum of five (5) calendar years.
 2. Provided training of AFA members at Chapter meetings for a minimum of five (5) calendar years.
 3. Served as a speaker at FENCETECH or an AFA Regional meeting for a minimum of five (5) calendar years.
 4. Served as a Chair or member of an AFA committee/taskforce for a minimum of five (5) calendar years.
 5. Any combination of the above criteria shall constitute the required minimum five (5) calendar year requirement.
 6. Be highly respected in the industry and adhered to the American Fence Association's Statement of Business and Ethical Practices.
- All nominations shall include a typed statement (no more than one page) from the sponsor describing in detail the nominee's accomplishments in the industry and
- Association and why the nominee deserves the award. Any nomination not containing a signed statement will not be eligible.
- Posthumous nominations may be accepted if the criteria for eligibility are met.
- Multiple nominations by a sponsor are permitted.