



Industry Achievement Award

ATSSA Criteria and Process

Purpose: The [Industry Achievement Award](#) is intended to recognize members of the American Traffic Safety Services Association (ATSSA) who achieve distinction deemed worthy of special recognition. It is a means of acknowledging members who have attained eminence in the roadway safety industry and who have made unusually significant contributions to ATSSA and the industry. The award is not required to be presented each year and is reserved for special recognition for a select few and their lifetime of work and service and contributions to ATSSA.

Eligibility: To be eligible for the award, a person must

- currently be a member of the American Traffic Safety Services Association or have been a member for a minimum of 10 years; and,
- have made a significant contribution to the association and the roadway safety industry; and,
- have exhibited professional integrity, dedication, involvement, and the pioneering spirit in a manner which has resulted in the improvement of the industry and contributions to ATSSA.

Process: Each year, the chair of ATSSA will appoint an Awards Committee comprised of all past chairs in good standing with the organization that are willing and able to serve. The chair of ATSSA shall appoint one of these members as the chair of the committee.

Nominations will be invited by notice to the members of the American Traffic Safety Services Association. Nominations may also be submitted by any member of this committee.

Each nomination must include a concise statement summarizing the reasons why the nominee is worthy of the award. The nomination statement is the centerpiece and should consist of hard evidence demonstrating that the nominee meets the criteria by which entrants are judged. Incomplete or late submissions will not be considered. Nominations must be submitted with the knowledge and consent of the nominee.

The Awards Committee will meet at the call of the chair as soon as practicable after the deadline for submitting nominations and will select the member(s) that will receive the award.

The Awards Committee may select up to two (2) award recipients per year. Shall the Awards Committee deem that there is no nominee worthy of the award in a particular year they may decide to not issue the award that year. The chair of the Awards Committee shall notify the chair of ATSSA of its decision.

The award will be presented during the annual meeting of members of ATSSA.