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Awards*



2019

Do you know a person or business involved in the forest products industry who ought to be recognized for outstanding professionalism, service to community, and service to the industry?

If you do, why not nominate that person or business for one of the New Hampshire Timberland Owners Association's (NHTOA) annual awards?

New Hampshire Outstanding Logger

The nominee must:

- Be involved in timber harvesting as their primary source of income.
- Be a currently certified logger or master logger. This person should have completed the required certification courses of a program recognized by the New Hampshire Professional Loggers Program.
- Have been the owner or manager of a logging operation for at least five years.
- Participate in civic or service organizations (such as town boards or committees, Rotary Club, Lions Club, etc.) and industry or trade association activities such as the NH Timber Harvesting Council.
- Be a member in good standing of the NHTOA.
- The logger or business being nominated must have a physical location in the state.



This award recognizes superior performance of a single or multi-crew independent contractor for work completed in 2019. The recipient of this award will be New Hampshire's nominee for the Northeastern Loggers Association's Outstanding Logging Operator Award and the Forest Resources Association's Outstanding Logging Contractor Award.

New Hampshire Outstanding Forest Industry

The nominee must:

- Be involved in any wood-using industry – either primary or secondary manufacturing.
- Participate in civic or service organizations (such as town boards or committees, Rotary Club, Lions Club, etc.) and industry or trade association activities.
- Be a member in good standing of the NHTOA.



This award recognizes superior business management, efficiency, and productivity, and the quality and marketing of a New Hampshire-based industry (sawmill, wood energy, secondary manufacturer, pulp and paper, etc.) for work completed in 2019. If a sawmill is the recipient, it will be the New Hampshire nominee for the Northeastern Loggers Association's Sawmill Operator.

The President's Award recognizes outstanding work in various categories such as media, legislation, education, membership promotion and recruitment, service to community, service to industry, or cooperation/collaboration between organizations. When appropriate, the recipient of this award will be nominated for the Forest Resources Association's Forestry Activist Award.

The Kendall Norcott Award, named for NHTOA's first executive director, is the organization's most prestigious honor. It recognizes a person for service and dedication to the organization well beyond board or committee work.

All nominations must be received by Jan. 31, 2020.

It's easy to submit a nomination.

1. Tell us in three or four sentences why you think your nominee should receive the award.
2. List two or three examples of the candidate's professionalism. For a logger, this could include safety on the job, regulatory compliance, or good relationships with landowners and foresters. For a manufacturer, this could include plant safety, regulatory compliance, products of exceptional quality, or innovation.
3. Provide contact information about your nominee including: name, name of company, address (office and cell phone), and e-mail address.
4. Please also include your name and contact information with your submission.
5. The actual submission is easy, and you have three options:

To submit your nomination by e-mail:

Type "NHTOA Award Nomination" in the subject line and send it to jstock@nhtoa.org

To submit your nomination via fax:

Put NHTOA Award Nomination on your cover sheet and send it via: (603) 225-5898

To submit your nomination through the U.S. Postal Service, send it to:

NHTOA Awards Committee
c/o Jasen Stock
54 Portsmouth St.
Concord, NH 03301

Nominees for the Outstanding Logger and Outstanding Industry awards will be reviewed by the NHTOA Awards Committee and approved by a vote of the NHTOA Board of Directors. Nominees for the President's Award and Kendall Norcott Award will be reviewed and approved by a vote of the NHTOA Board of Directors.

If you have any questions about nominating someone for one of these important awards, don't hesitate to contact the NHTOA office at (603) 224-9699.

Award winners will be honored at the 2020 NHTOA Annual Meeting

