



## **GUIDELINES FOR THE WAYNE N. ASPINALL WATER LEADER OF THE YEAR AWARD**

### **General Objective**

This award, established in 1980, is presented to that person exemplifying the courage, dedication, knowledge and leadership qualities shown by Wayne N. Aspinall in the development, protection and preservation of the water of the State of Colorado. The award need not necessarily be an annual one. Nominees may be any person who best demonstrated the “Aspinall” characteristics of leadership.

The Aspinall Award shall be unique and meaningful in keeping with the qualities of the man for which the award was named. The leadership contribution shall have been significant in terms of the development, protection or preservation of some or all of Colorado’s waters.

### **Award Guidelines**

The Nominee shall be a resident of the State of Colorado during his or her leadership contribution and must be living at the time of selection for the award.

Nominations shall be submitted on the attached form. Individuals or groups may nominate persons for the Aspinall Award. All nominations for the Aspinall Award shall be received at the CWC office by no later than August 31 of the year immediately preceding the year the award is given. Nomination forms shall not be carried forward from year to year unless specifically requested by the person making the nomination.

The selection of the recipient of the Aspinall Award shall follow a two-step process: Nomination and Selection.

The Aspinall Award Selection Committee will review all properly completed nomination forms and nominate three to six persons for consideration by the Aspinall Award Selection Committee. The Selection Committee is comprised of all past Aspinall award recipients. The Aspinall Selection Committee shall meet on or before September 30 of each year.

The Selection Committee Chair shall be the most recent recipient of the Aspinall Award. The Chair, along with the two most immediate recipients, shall be responsible for the selection of subject matter for the Aspinall Award Painting and all matters related to the presentation of the Aspinall Award at the Colorado Water Congress Annual Meeting.



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## Wayne N. Aspinall Water Leader of the Year Award Nomination Form

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone - Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Period covered by leadership contribution (dates): \_\_\_\_\_

### DESCRIPTION OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Describe in sufficient detail the various things the Nominee has done in water development, protection, or preservation, with dates.  
(Use additional sheets if necessary.)

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### OTHER RECOGNITIONS OF NOMINEE:

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Nominated by: _____	
Organization: _____	
Telephone No.: _____	Date Submitted: _____

Return Completed Form To:

Mail: Colorado Water Congress, PO Box 181398, Denver, CO 80218

Fax: (303) 837-1607

Email: [awards@CoWaterCongress.org](mailto:awards@CoWaterCongress.org)

**Nominations Must Be Received By August 31**