

## CEASD HONORS AND AWARDS

**Citation for Leadership and Service** An award recognizing CEOs (superintendents, presidents, executive directors, headmasters) of programs for the deaf/hard of hearing retired from an administrative position since the previous annual meeting, or who will retire prior to the end of the current school year, and who have 10 years or more service in the profession of education of the deaf. School or program membership in CEASD at the time of retirement is required.

**Robert R. Davila Award of Merit** An award to recognize meritorious contributions to the field of deafness. Points of consideration are awarded to:

A. Persons in the field of academic or vocational education of the deaf who meet one or more of the following criteria:

1. influenced change in the profession of education of the deaf,
2. made a contribution toward research pertinent to the field,
3. shown excellence in administrative services to the field,
4. served CEASD, including but not limited to service on committees and on the Executive Board, and
5. made a contribution with political or public relations implications.

B. Persons outside of the field of education of the deaf who have:

1. influenced significant legislation that has made a contribution to improved services for the deaf, or
2. made contributions that have had national impact in bringing about improvements in the field of deafness.

**Edward Allen Fay Award** An award given to a person for a significant publication(s) related to deafness; priority given to more recent publications, but with the intent that publications for prior years with continuing recognized significance be given consideration; membership in CEASD not required.

**Certificate of Special Recognition\*** An award recognizing any administrative personnel, other than a CEO (principal, program director, dean) of programs for the deaf/hard of hearing, retired from an administrative position since the previous annual meeting, or who will retire prior to the end of the current school year, and who have 10 years or more service in the profession of education of the deaf. School or program membership in CEASD at the time of retirement is required.

**Recognition and Appreciation** Although this is not actually an award category, if there are any other persons that should be considered for recognition by CEASD for any reason, please provide me with written documentation which will support recognition of the individual(s) and it will be taken under consideration by the Awards Committee and the Executive Board of CEASD.

**Procedures for CEASD Honors and Awards**  
Revised January, 2004

**Citation for Leadership and Service**

Description: CEASD recognition for administrators; personalized paperweight desk plaque (form for wording attached).

To Whom Awarded: An award given to superintendents or CEOs of programs for the deaf, retired from the administrative position since the previous meeting, or who will retire prior to the end of the current school year and who have 10 years or more service in the professional education of the deaf; membership in CEASD at the time of retirement is required.

Procedure: The National CEASD Office will send out notices in the Newsletter or in a separate mailing and with convention materials that these citations are available. The Awards Committee will submit names to the National Office.

When Presented: Annually as earned or at any meeting of CEASD.

**Robert R. Davila Award of Merit**

Description: An award to recognize meritorious contributions to the field of deafness; plaque with appropriate inscription stating reason for award.

To Whom Awarded: Membership in CEASD not required; awarded to:

- A) Persons in the field of academic or vocational education of the deaf who meet one or more of the following criteria:
- 1) influenced change in the profession of education of the deaf,
  - 2) made a contribution toward research pertinent to the field,
  - 3) shown excellence in administrative services to the field,
  - 4) served CEASD, including but not limited to, service on committees and on the Executive Board,
  - 5) made a contribution with political or public relations implications.
- B) Persons outside the field of education of the deaf who have
- 1) influenced significant legislation that has made a contribution to improved services for the deaf, or
  - 2) made contributions that have had national impact in bringing about improvements in the field of deafness.

Procedure:

- 1) The National Office will send out the Call for Nominations in the Newsletter, or in a separate mailing and with the convention registration materials annually along with the notice that these nominations must be made to the Honors and Awards Committee.
- 2) Nominations will be received by the Committee annually for presentation at the regular meeting.
- 3) The person making the nomination must submit name, address, present position, academic and professional background of the nominee and state in 200 words or less the reason for the nomination.
- 4) The Honors and Awards Committee will submit a recommendation to the Executive Committee for final approval.
- 5) Generally one Award of Merit will be presented annually. It may be the decision of the Committee to recommend no award be presented.

When Presented: At regular meetings of CEASD.

### **Edward Allen Fay Award**

Description: An award for especially significant publication related to deafness; plaque with appropriate inscription with publication named.

To Whom Awarded: To a person or persons for significant publication related to deafness; priority given to more recent publications, but it is the intent that publications for prior years with continuing recognized significance be given consideration; membership in CEASD not required.

Procedure:

- 1) The National Office will send out the Call for Nominations in the Newsletter, or in a separate mailing and with the convention registration materials annually along with the notice that these nominations must be made to the Honors and Awards Committee.
- 2) Nominations will be received by the Committee annually for presentation at the regular meeting.
- 3) The person making the nomination must submit name, address, present position, academic and professional background of the nominee and state in 200 words or less the reason for the nomination.

4) Publications must have demonstrated relevance to the field of deafness and must have had an impact on the field. Publications may be in the form of a book, a monograph, a dissertation, or an article which has been published in a recognized national or international journal.

5) Persons making nominations for the Edward Allen Fay Award must submit to the Committee the title, author, and publisher of a book, an abstract of a dissertation, and/or five copies of an article or monograph for consideration.

6) The Honors and Awards Committee will choose a Publications Review Board. Publications will be submitted to the Review Board for critique and recommendations according to criteria established by the Honors and Awards Committee.

7) The review and recommendations of the Publications Review Board will be submitted to the membership of the Honors and Awards Committee for recommendation to the Executive Committee for final approval.

8) Generally, one Edward Allen Fay Award will be presented annually. It may be the decision of the Committee to make no award.

When Presented: At regular meetings of CEASD.

### **Certificate of Special Recognition**

Description: CEASD recognition for administrative personnel other than superintendents, Presidents, Directors or Chief Executive Officers of schools and programs for the deaf; framed certificate. This includes positions such as principals, program directors, or deans.

To Whom Awarded: Retiring administrative personnel who have 10 years or more service in the professional education of the deaf; membership in CEASD at the time of presentation is required.

Procedure:

1) The National Office will send out the Call for Nominations in the Newsletter, or in a separate mailing and with the convention registration materials annually along with the notice that these nominations must be made to the Honors and Awards Committee.

2) Nominations must be made by the school or program superintendent, president, director or chief executive officers and will be received by the Committee annually for

presentation at the regular meeting. Upon retirement the nominee must have worked in the field of deaf education for a minimum of 10 years.

3) The person making the nomination must submit name, address, present position, academic and professional background of the nominee and state in 200 words or less the reason for the nomination.

4) The Honors and Awards Committee will submit all verified nominations to the Executive Committee for final approval.

When Presented: At regular meetings of CEASD.

**2012 CEASD Citation for Leadership and Service Award**

**Nomination Form**

**Nominee:**

**Nominee's present position, location:**

**Nominee's previous administrative experience:**

**Number of years of service:**

**Verified current CEASD membership:**

**Anticipated date of retirement:**

Please fax the completed nomination form(s) or email the nomination information in this format no later than March 1, 2012 to:

**Steve Gettel**  
**Montana School for the Deaf and the Blind**  
**3911 Central Avenue**  
**Great Falls, Montana 59405**  
**FAX: 406-771-6164**  
**[sgettel@msdb.mt.gov](mailto:sgettel@msdb.mt.gov)**

**2012 CEASD Certificate of Special Recognition\***

**Nomination Form**

**Nominee:**

**Nominee's present position, location:**

**Nominee's previous administrative experience:**

**Number of years of service:**

**Verified current CEASD membership:**

**Anticipated date of retirement:**

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**2012 CEASD Robert R. Davila Award of Merit**

**Nomination Form**

**Nominee:**

**Nominee's academic and professional background:**

**Narrative Support Information For the 2012 Robert R. Davila Award of Merit** In 200 words or less, provide support information as to why the nominee should receive the award for which they are nominated. Use additional paper if necessary.

I verify that all information provided is true to the best of my knowledge.

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Signature of Person Submitting Nomination

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

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**2012 CEASD Edward Allen Fay Award**

**Nomination Form**

**Nominee:**

**Nominee's academic and professional background:**

**Nominee's publication(s) for consideration:**

**Narrative Support Information the 2012 Edward Allen Fay Award** In 200 words or less, provide support information as to why the nominee should receive the award for which they are nominated. Use additional paper if necessary.

I verify that all information provided is true to the best of my knowledge.

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