

## Iowa Chapter APWA Facts

The Iowa chapter was chartered by the American Public Works Association in September, 1953.

### Iowa Recipients of the National APWA Top 10 Leader of the Year Award

Harris Seidel, City of Ames - 1964  
Joseph Coupal, Jr., Iowa Highway Commission - 1971  
Arnold Chantland, City of Ames - 1972  
Harold Smith, City of Des Moines - 1979  
William Amundson, City of Sioux City - 1985  
Gary Simmons, City of Postville - 2002  
Bret Hodne, City of West Des Moines - 2007  
Terry Cox, City of Harlan - 2014  
Greg Reeder, City of Council Bluffs - 2015  
Paul Wiegand, Iowa State University - 2016  
Larry Stevens, HRGreen - 2017

### National Presidents

Harold Smith - 1990  
Larry Stevens - 2014

### APWA Regional Director

Larry Stevens – 2007 to 2012

### Stan Ring Award Winners

Stan Ring -2001  
Roger Anderberg – 2002  
Floyd Bentz - 2003  
Paul Wiegand - 2005  
Mike Wallner – 2006  
Arnold chantland – 2010  
John White - 2010  
Larry Stevens - 2012  
David Miller – 2013  
Greg Reeder -2014  
Al Olson - 2014  
Terry Cox - 2015  
Bret Hodne – 2016  
John Klostermann - 2017

### Al Olson Award winners

Bret Hodne - 2016  
Dave Cole - 2017

### National APWA President's Award for Chapter Excellence (PACE) Awards

2011 – Chair – Pat Kozitza  
2012 – Chair – Pat Kozitza  
2013 – Chair – Pat Kozitza  
2014 – Chair - Beth Richards  
2015 – Chair – Beth Richards  
2016 - Chair – Beth Richards

## **Community Involvement Award**

Pat Miller – 2016

## **Technical Innovation Award**

Dr. Peter Taylor - 2017

## **Iowa APWA Accredited Agencies**

City of Bettendorf (since 2005)

City of Davenport (since 2007)

## **Chapter Delegates:**

Floyd Bentz - --- 1998

Larry Stevens – 1999 - 2007

Al Olson – 2008 - 2014

John Joiner – 2015 -2017

Ron Knoche – 2018 to present

## **Young Leaders of the Year**

Tracy Warner -2010

Corey Mellies – 2011

Nate Easter – 2012

Ben McConville - 2013

Sarah Okerlund - 2014

Beth Richards -2015

Eric Peterson – 2016

Sara Kappos - 2017

## **National APWA Certifications**

### **Certified Stormwater Managers:**

- Gina Droessler, MSA Professionals (Dubuque)
- Amy Kay, City of Cedar Falls
- Jesse Leckband, City of Des Moines
- Russ Paul, City of Des Moines
- Brian Stineman, City of Davenport

### **Certified Public Fleet Professionals:**

- Dennis Hogan, Lincoln Sales Inc (Cedar Rapids)

### **Certified Public Infrastructure Inspectors:**

- Clint Carpenter, City of West Des Moines
- Randy Cox, City of West Des Moines
- Bob Crowdes, City of West Des Moines
- Ronald Hocker, City of Davenport
- Kelly Sand, City of West Des Moines
- Andrew Williamson, City of Des Moines

## Leader of the Year

1972	Harold	Smith
1973	John	Bellizzi
1974	Arnold	Chantland
1975	Lowell	Richardson
1976	Stan	Ring
1977	Mike	Randolph
1978	Dick	King
1979	Maury	Pierce
1980	William	Amundson
1981	Leo	Johnson
1982	Francis	Murray
1983	Ronald	Kirchner
1984	Eddie	Carr, Jr.
1985	Larry	Nothwehr
1986	Lonnie	Hawbaker
1987	Floyd	Bentz
1988	Paul	Wiegand
1989	Richard	Ransom
1990	Terry	Cox
1991	Larry	Johnson
1992	Roger	Anderberg
1993	Larry	Stevens
1994	Randy	Krauel
1995	Michael	Wallner
1996	Neil	Guess
1997	Williard	Wray
1998	Bret	Hodne
1999	Scott	Peppler
2000	Greg	Reeder
2001	Ron	Knoke
2002	Bret	Hodne
2003	John	Klostermann
2004	Jeff	May
2005	Al	Olson
2006	William	Stowe
2007	Rick	Fosse
2008	Greg	Parker
2009	Pat	Kozitza
2010	John	Joiner
2011	Chad	Schaeffer
2012	Ron	Knoche
2013	Pat	Miller
2014	Tracy	Warner
2015	Dan	Whitlow

**Iowa Chapter President's Award**

Beth Richards – 2010  
Pat Kozitka – 2011  
Peggy Englehart – 2012  
Al Olson – 2013  
John Joiner – 2014  
Tracy Warner – 2015  
Adam Smith – 2016  
Sara Kappos - 2017

**Iowa Chapter Service Award**

Jim Cable – 2003  
Bret Hodne – 2004  
Mike Wallner – 2005  
Paul Wiegand – 2005  
Larry Jesse – 2008  
Greg Reeder – 2010  
John Joiner – 2012  
Al Olson – 2013  
Beth Richards – 2016  
Kevin Hensley – 2017  
Adam Smith – 2017  
Tracy Warner - 2017

**Consultant of the Year**

Bolten-Menk – 2013  
MMS Consultants – 2016

**Contractor of the Year**

Ames Trenching – 2014  
Pirc-Tobin – 2015  
Chad Taylor Excavating – 2016  
Portzen Construction - 2017

**National APWA Projects of the Year**

City Hall Remodeling, City of Cedar Rapids – 2013  
Paramount Theatre Restoration, City of Cedar Rapids – 2014

**National APWA Technical and Management Innovation Award**

Native Plant Community Policy, Greg Parker, Johnson County – 2007

**National APWA Chapter Membership Achievement Award**

301-500 members - 2012

## CHAPTER OFFICERS

<i>Year</i>	<i>President</i>		<i>Vice President</i>		<i>Secretary/Treasurer</i>	
1954	Cletus	Allen	Dean	Larrabee	Carl	Smith
1955	Carl	Smith	Kenneth	Cullen	Eli	Eastman
1956	Carl	Fagerlind	Kenneth	Cullen	Eli	Eastman
1957	Kenneth	Cullen	Paul	Roberts	William	McElwee
1958	John	Anderson	Rex	Matthews	William	McElwee
1959	William	McElwee	L	Adams	Jack	Kilby
1960	L	Adams	J.	McFadden	Jack	Kilby
1961	J.	McFadden	Carl	Smith	Jack	Kilby
1962	Carl	Smith	Jack	Kilby	Karl	Cesler
1963	Jack	Kilby	Henry	Beisner	Karl	Cesler
1964	Henry	Beisner	William	Amundson	Karl	Cesler
1965	William	Amundson	Leo	Johnson	Karl	Cesler
1966	Leo	Johnson	Karl	Cesler	John	White
1967	Karl	Cesler	A.	Sanders	John	White
1968	A.	Sanders	John	White	Ralph	Speer
1969	John	White	Ralph	Speer	Harold	Sunday
1970	Ralph	Speer	Richard	Jensen	Harold	Sunday
1971	Richard	Jensen	Harold	Sunday	Michael	Randolph
1972	Harold	Sunday	Michael	Randolph	Harold	Sunday
1973	Michael	Randolph	Harold	Smith	John	Free
1974	Harold	Smith	Richard	King	Lane	Mashaw
1975	Richard	King	Lane	Mashaw	Donald	Keltner
1976	Lane	Mashaw	Fred	Moore	Donald	Keltner
1977	Fred	Moore	Donald	Keltner	David	Comann
1978	Donald	Keltner	Maurice	Pearce	David	Comann
1979	Maurice	Pearce	David	Comann	Floyd	Bentz
1980	David	Comann	Francis	Murray	Floyd	Bentz
1981	Francis	Murray	Floyd	Bentz	Mike	Rukgaber
1982	Floyd	Bentz	Ronald	Kirchner	Mike	Rukgaber
1983	Ronald	Kirchner	Mike	Rukgaber	Paul	Wiegand
1984	Stanley	Ring	Paul	Stensland	Paul	Wiegand
1985	Paul	Stensland	Charles	Fisher	Paul	Wiegand
1986	Charles	Fisher	Paul	Wiegand	Terry	Cox
1987	Paul	Wiegand	Lon	Hawbaker	Terry	Cox
1988	Lon	Hawbaker	Terry	Cox	Larry	Johnson
1989	Terry	Cox	Clifford	Gardiner	Larry	Johnson
1990	Richard	Ransom	Larry	Johnson	Larry	Stevens
1991	Larry	Johnson	Mike	Dooley	Larry	Stevens
1992	Mike	Dooley	Larry	Stevens	Michael	Wallner

1993	Larry	Stevens	Randy	Krauel	Michael	Wallner
1994	Randy	Krauel	Michael	Wallner	Christy	Collicott
1995	Michael	Wallner	Neil	Guess	Christy	Collicott
1996	Neil	Guess	Jerry	Byg	Christy	Collicott
1997	Jerry	Byg	Bret	Hodne	Greg	Reeder
1998	Bret	Hodne	Scott	Peppler	Greg	Reeder
1999	Scott	Peppler	Larry	Nothwehr	Greg	Reeder
2000	Greg	Reeder	Ron	Knoke	John	Klostermann
2001	Ron	Knoke	Duane	Wittstock	John	Klostermann
2002	Duane	Wittstock	John	Klostermann	Al	Olson
2003	John	Klostermann	Jeff	May	Al	Olson
2004	Jeff	May	Al	Olson	Doug	DeBolt
2005	Al	Olson	Bill	Stowe	Doug	DeBolt
2006	Bill	Stowe	Richard	Fosse	Doug	DeBolt
2007	Richard	Fosse	Greg	Parker	Doug	DeBolt
2008	Greg	Parker	Jeff	Krist	Doug	DeBolt
2009	Jeff	Krist	John	Joiner	Bruce	Braun
2010	John	Joiner	Chad	Schaeffer	Bruce	Braun
2011	Chad	Schaeffer	Pat	Miller	Adam	Smith
2012	Ron	Knoche	Pat	Miller	Adam	Smith
2013	Pat	Miller	Tracy	Warner	Adam	Smith
2014	Tracy	Warner	Dan	Whitlow	Adam	Smith
2015	Dan	Whitlow	Dave	McDermott	Adam	Smith
2016	Dave	McDermott	Jon	Dienst	Adam	Smith
2017	Jon	Dienst	Jason	Havel	Adam	Smith
2018	Jason	Havel	Adam	Smith	Beth	Richards

### **National APWA Emerging Leaders Academy Graduates:**

Brian Coopman, City of Davenport - 2011-2012  
 Amy Johannsen Foster, City of Marion - 2012-2013  
 Eric Petersen, City of West Des Moines - 2013-2014  
 Brian Schadt, City of Davenport - 2013-2014  
 Samantha Hayden, City of Ankeny - 2015-2016  
 Steven Johnson, City of Des Moines - 2016-2017

### **50-Year Members**

John Carpenter – 2005  
 Arnold Chantland – 2006  
 Harold Smith – 2010  
 John White – 2010  
 Jan Anderson - 2011  
 Jerry Shellberg – 2012  
 Jay Culver – 2012  
 Gene Neibuhr – 2013  
 Ted Clausen – 2013  
 Gerry Springer – 2014

John Bellizzi – 2016  
Floyd Bentz – 2016  
Dick Ransom – 2016

### **25-Year Members**

1994 Darrel Rensink, Wayne Hartwig  
1995 Ray Holland, Herb Ohrt  
1996 Pat McGrath  
1997 Larry Nothwehr  
1998 James Hackney, Terry Chew  
1999 Paul Stensland, Laverne Junker, Willard Wray  
2000 Frank Farmer, Charles Schmadeke, Eric Thorsen  
2001 Dennis Gannon, Larry Stevens  
2002 Jim Dressen, Paul Glover, Steven Laughlin, John Meyer  
2003 Terry Cox, Glenn Vosatka  
2004 Gene Hellige, Matt Rissi, Paul Wiegand  
2005 Dennis Gentz, Randy Krauel  
2006 Dan Holderness, Gerald Stockman, Gerald Weiland  
2007 Glenn Baker  
2009 Rick Fosse, Pat Kelly, Darwin Larson, Curt Miller, Gary Peterson, Bruce Sorenson,  
Ron Tekippe, Duane Wittstock, Dean Yordi  
2010 John McKee, Robert Nielsen, Steven Ravn  
2011 Ron Knoke, Randy Hill  
2012 Neil Guess, Paul Hinderaker, Charles Leabhart, Ted Payseur, Greg Reeder  
2013 Lynn Brennan, Duane Neff, Glen Wazny  
2014 Jim Bernardy, Bruce Braun, Jerry Byg, Brian Heath, MaryAnn Shinrock, Gordon  
Smith, Lee Tippe, Vern Willey  
2015 Al Olson, Don Vogt, John Horrel, Steve Mattke, Scott Langel, Dale Harrington  
2016 Jeff Bales

### **National APWA Excellence in Snow and Ice**

2012 – City of Ankeny  
2014 – City of Bettendorf  
2014 – City of Council Bluffs