



IACP J. STANNARD BAKER LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT IN HIGHWAY SAFETY AWARD

Introduction

The IACP J. Stannard Baker Lifetime Achievement in Highway Safety Award honors the late J. Stannard Baker, who made significant contributions to highway safety. Mr. Baker served as Director of Research and Development at the Northwestern University Traffic Institute (now the Center for Public Safety) for over thirty years. During that time, he focused on the causes of traffic crashes and the techniques of collision investigation and reconstruction. He was known throughout the world as the “father of accident investigation.” Mr. Baker’s groundbreaking textbook, Traffic Accident Investigation Manual, is the worldwide standard.

The IACP J. Stannard Baker Lifetime Achievement in Highway Safety Award recognizes individual law enforcement officers, active or retired, and others in the field who have made outstanding lifetime contributions to highway safety. Eligible individuals have worked in highway safety for a significant amount of time and have made significant contributions to the field throughout their career.

Categories

- Local Agency
- State Agency
- Other Type of Agency

Submission Tasks:

- Contacts (Nominee, Point of Contact, Head of Agency, Nominator)
- Head of Agency Acknowledgement Letter
- Supplemental Materials (optional)

Questions:

1. Explain why this individual or agency should be selected for this award. Describe the history, impact, and innovation that make the nomination unique.
2. What were the outcomes or results? If applicable, include evidence of demonstrated success.
3. How does this submission exemplify leadership and how can others benefit from the lessons learned or best practices?
4. How has the nominee collaborated with others, groups, and the community to promote traffic safety?
5. How has the nominee shared their expertise through training, education, community outreach, etc?