



**SOUTHWESTERN REGIONAL ASSOCIATION
OF
REFRIGERATION SERVICE ENGINEERS SOCIETY**

SWRA “Preston Burks, CMS”, Honorary Member Award

This distinguished award is to be presented to an individual based on loyal and ongoing participation in SWRA functions and activities. This award is presented in honor of Preston Burks, CMS beloved longtime member of the SWRA.

Selection will be by the SWRA Board of Directors, based on the following criteria.

1. Nominee(s) shall be retired from active employment and must be a verified RSES and SWRA member in good standing for not less than 25 years.
2. Nominations shall be submitted to the current SWRA President by a member in good standing and active in the SWRA. Nominations shall be forwarded no later than fourteen (14) days prior to the Thursday Board meeting held at the Annual Conference.
3. Any nomination shall be approved by eighty percent (80%) vote of the SWRA Officers in attendance at the SWRA Annual Conference.
4. One or more nominee(s) may be awarded in a given year.
5. SWRA annual dues will be paid by the Association for Honorary Members.
6. The award will be an individual plaque.
7. The Sgt at Arms will have possession of the extra plaques and the Honors Board.
8. Presentation shall be made by the SWRA President or appointee.
9. The SWRA Sgt at Arms will insure that the plaque is available and that the plaque and name plate are engraved for presentation at the Annual Awards Ceremony.

The SWRA Secretary shall include a copy of the requirements that contains the Chairperson’s name and address for nominations to be forwarded.

Revised: 60th Pre-Conference Business Meeting – Waco, Texas
September 12, 2009

(The following can be added for mailing by Secretary)

Letter of Nominations are to be submitted to the SWRA President

No later than XXXXXX(Date)

XXXXXX(Name)

XXXXXX(Address)