



ADAMS COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
2012: Chair's Award, 30 Years of Support for Economic Development, City of Arvada



ALLIANCE FOR INNOVATION
2013: Outstanding Achievement in Innovation, Xpress Consortium Project
2008: Outstanding Achievement in Innovation Award, "Ask Arvada"



AMERICAN COUNCIL OF ENGINEERING COMPANIES OF COLORADO
2001: Merit Award, Engineering Excellence

AMERICAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL
2000: Superior Award, Promotional Awards Competition, Arvada Economic Development Association



AMERICAN PUBLIC WORKS ASSOCIATION, COLORADO CHAPTER

2014: Annual Award, Environment: *Garrison Street Bridge/Ralston Central Park Project*, City of Arvada
2008: Innovation, Achievement, and Cooperation Award, Fleet Maintenance Division
2005: Certificate of Achievement, 72nd Avenue, Kipling to Pierce Project
2002: Community Award, Implementing a Stormwater Utility



AMERICAN
SOCIETY OF
LANDSCAPE
ARCHITECTS

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ARCHITECTS

2003: Land Stewardship Award, Churches Ranch Master Plan

2003: Merit Award, Planning and Urban Design,
Churches Ranch Master Plan



TREE CITY USA®

ARBOR DAY FOUNDATION

1991 – 2015: Tree City USA



ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

2009: Patriotic Employer Award for contributing to national security by supporting employee participation in the National Guard, Arvada Police Department



ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPE
CONTRACTORS OF AMERICA

ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS OF
AMERICA

2002: Environmental Improvement Distinction Award,
Arvada Median Improvements



ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPE
CONTRACTORS OF COLORADO
BETTER BY NATURE

ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPE CONTRACTORS OF
COLORADO

2006: Award of Excellence, Xeriscape, Ralston Water Treatment Plant

2002: Grand Award, Excellence in Landscape, Arvada Median Improvements

AUDUBON
INTERNATIONAL



Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary

AUDUBON INTERNATIONAL

2013: Re-Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary,
West Woods Golf Course

2009: Certified Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary, West Woods Golf Course



BUSINESS RETENTION &
EXPANSION INTERNATIONAL

BUSINESS RETENTION AND EXPANSION
INTERNATIONAL

2011: Award of Excellence, *The Arvada Way*, Arvada Economic Development Association



CITY COUNTY COMMUNICATIONS AND
MARKETING ASSOCIATION (3CMA) SAVVY
AWARDS

- 2010: 3rd Place, External Newsletter, *The Arvada Report*
- 2008: 1st Place, External Newsletter, *The Arvada Report*
- 2008: 3rd Place, Marketing and Tools/Government Service, *AskArvada*
- 2008: 3rd Place, Video/Education and Training, *Shadow Interpreting*
- 2006: 1st Place, News Program, *The A-Files*
- 2006: 3rd Place, Regular Programming
- 2006: 3rd Place, External Newsletter
- 2005: 3rd Place, Special Events, *Arvada Centennial Celebration*
- 2005: 3rd Place, Regular Programming
- 2005: 2nd Place, Printed Publications/Other, *Arvada Profiles*
- 2004: 3rd Place, One Time Programming
- 2004: 1st Place and Ray Bancroft Award, Most Outstanding Newsletter in the country, *The Arvada Report*
- 2004: 1st Place, Regular Programming, *The A-Files*
- 2004: 2nd Place, One Time or Special Issues Programming, *Centennial Series*
- 2004: 2nd Place, Calendars, City of Arvada 2003 Annual Report and 2004 Calendar
- 2003: 2nd Place, Regular Programming, *All About Arvada*
- 2003: 3rd Place, Public Service Announcement
- 2003: 3rd Place, Annual Report
- 2002: 2nd Place, Regular Programming, *Arvada at Work*
- 2002: 2nd Place, One Time Programming, *Olde Town History Walk*



COLORADO ALLIANCE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL
EDUCATION

- 2006: Best New Program, Majestic View Nature Center



COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS

2000: Top Agency in the State, Arvada Animal Control Unit



Colorado Auto Theft Investigators Association

COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF AUTO THEFT INVESTIGATORS

2008: Investigators of the Year, Detective Bill Johnson and Crime Analyst Nora Bensko, Arvada Police Department



COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE

2009: Professional Standards Compliance Award, Arvada Police Department



COLORADO ASSOCIATION OF ROBBERY INVESTIGATORS

2000: Robbery Investigator of the Year, Detective Scott Buckley



Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT'S (CDPHE) ENVIRONMENTAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

2009: Bronze Level Organization, Solar Project at Ralston Water Treatment Plant



COLORADO, STATE OF

2006: Colorado Energy Champion

1998: Water Fluoridation Award for Excellence, Arvada Water



COLORADO GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF IT DIRECTORS (CGAIT)

2008: CGAIT Cup Award, Best Video promoting Information Technology Department

COLORADO Public Works JOURNAL



Colorado Theatre Guild

COLORADO PUBLIC WORKS JOURNAL

2008: Innovation and Achievement Award,
Standardization in Outfitting Police Cruisers.

GOVERNOR'S AWARD FOR DOWNTOWN EXCELLENCE

2009: Governor's Award for Downtown Excellence,
Best Adaptive Reuse for the Eustice House

2003: Special Achievement Award in Economic
Development, Partnering to Revitalize Historic
Olde Town Arvada

COLORADO COMMUNITY REVITALIZATION ASSOCIATION

2002: National Main Street Community, Olde Town
Arvada

COLORADO THEATRE GUILD HENRY AWARDS— THE BEST IN DENVER AREA THEATRE

2010: Lead Actor in a Musical, Kevin Vortmann, *Miss
Saigon*, Arvada Center

2010: Lead Actress in a Musical, EJ Zimmerman, *Miss
Saigon*, Arvada Center

2010 Supporting Actor in a Musical, Daniel Herron,
Miss Saigon, Arvada Center

2010: Choreography, Stephen Bourneuf, *Joseph and the
Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, Arvada Center

2010: Costume Design, Chris Campbell, *Joseph and the
Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, Arvada Center

2010: Lighting Design, Gail Gober, *Joseph and the
Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, Arvada Center

2010: Sound Design, Steve Stevens, *Miss Saigon*,
Arvada Center

2010: Production of a Musical, Rod Lansberry, *Miss
Saigon*, Arvada Center

2009: Outstanding Musical, *Les Miserables*, Arvada
Center

2009: Outstanding Ensemble, *Les Miserables*, Arvada
Center

2009: Best Actor, Randal Keith, *Les Miserables*, Arvada
Center

2009: Best Supporting Actor, Stephen Day, *Les
Miserables*, Arvada Center

2009: Best Supporting Actress, *Les Miserables*, Arvada
Center

2009: Best Director, Rod Lansberry, *Les Miserables*,
Arvada Center

2009: Best Musical Director, David Nehls, *Les
Miserables*, Arvada Center

2009: Best Sound Design, Steve Stevens, *Les*

- Miserables*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Lighting Design, Gail Gober, *Les Miserables*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Costume Design, Sally Burke and Jane Shafer, *Les Miserables*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Scenic Design, Brian Mallgrave, *Les Miserables*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Choreography, Kitty Skillman-Hilsabeck, *Les Miserables*, Arvada Center



CONSULTING ENGINEER'S COUNCIL

- 1975: Grand Award, Engineering Excellence, Water Storage Tank and Supply System



COMMISSION OF ACCREDITATION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES (CALEA)

- 2007: Flagship Award, Arvada Police Department 2007: Accreditation Status, Arvada Police Department
- 2005: Accreditation Status, Arvada Police Department
- 2003: Accreditation Status, Arvada Police Department
- 2001: Accreditation Status, Arvada Police Department



CENTER FOR DIGITAL GOVERNMENT

- 2009: Top Ten Digital City, 2nd Place
- 2008: Top Ten Digital City, 4th Place
- 2007: Top Ten Digital City, 4th Place
- 2006: Top Ten Digital City, 6th Place
- 2005: Top Ten Digital City, 9th Place
- 2003: Top Ten Digital City, 9th Place
- 2002: Best of Web – City Intranet Site



DENVER POST OVATION AWARDS

DENVER POST TOP WORKPLACES

- 2015: Top Work Place (15th), Large Employer Category
- 2012: Top Work Place (11th), Large Employer Category

DENVER POST OVATION AWARDS

- 2009: Best musical, *Miss Saigon*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Director in a Musical, Rod Lansberry, *Miss Saigon*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Costume, Chris Campbell, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Children's Theater, *Honk*, Arvada Center
- 2009: Best Children's Theater Actor, Amanda Earls, *Just So* and *Honk*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Musical, *Les Misérables*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Actor, Musical - Randal Keith, *Les Misérables*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Supporting Actress, Dramatic Role - Sharon Kay White, *Hollywood Arms*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Supporting Actor, Musical - Wayne Kennedy, *Les Misérables*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Supporting Actress, Musical - Amy Board, *Les Misérables*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Ensemble - *Les Misérables*, Arvada Center
- 2008: Best Children's Theater Production - *A Year with Frog and Toad*, Arvada Center
- 2007: Best Choreography, Kitty Skillman Hilsabeck, *La Cage aux Folles*, Arvada Center
- 2007: Best Actor in a Musical, Michael E. Gold, *La Cage aux Folles*, Arvada Center
- 2007: Best Scenic Design, Brian Mallgrave, *Do I Hear a Waltz?*, Arvada Center
- 2006: Best Supporting Actress in a comedy, Billie McBride, *Over the Tavern*, Arvada Center
- 2005: Best Year by a Company, Arvada Center
- 2005: Best Children's Theater Actor, Sheila Swanson McIntyre, *Narnia*, Arvada Center
- 2005: Best Ensemble, *The Full Monty*, Arvada Center
- 2005: Best Scenic Design, Laura K. Love, *Narnia*, Arvada Center
- 2004: Best supporting actress in a musical, Shannon Steele, *The 1940s Radio Hour*, Arvada Center
- 2004: Best Costume, Joseph Egan, *The Women*, Arvada Center
- 2004: Best Scenic Design, Joseph Egan, *The Women*, Arvada Center
- 2004: Best Children's Theater, *BFG: The Big, Friendly Giant*, Arvada Center
- 2004: Best Children's Theater Actor, Christopher Willard, *Pinnocchio* and *The Monster Under the Bed*, Arvada Center

- 2002: Best Actress in a Musical, Gayle Holsman, *Crazy for You*, Arvada Center
- 2003: Best Scenic Design, Laura Love, *The Man Who Came to Dinner*, Arvada Center



DENVER REGIONAL COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS
(DRCOG) LOCAL GOVERNMENT INNOVATION
AWARD

- 2015: Bronze Recognition, Community Livability category for Memorial Park Revitalization
- 2005: 2nd Place, Public Private Partnership, Decommissioning the Leyden Natural Gas Storage Facility
- 2005: 3rd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Trouble Traffic Task Force
- 2004: 1st Place, Productivity Improvement, Verified Alarm Response Program
- 2004: 2nd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Jeffco Intervention Team (CIT) Program
- 2003: 3rd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Metro Voices
- 2002: 1st Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Adams County Growth Management Board
- 2002: 3rd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Carin' Clinic
- 2001: 2nd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery
- 1998: 2nd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Blue Jeans Recycling Program
- 1997: 3rd Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Jeffco Mediation Services Program
- 1996: 2nd Place, Public Private Partnership, Rental Improvement Loan Program
- 1996: 1st Place, Cooperative Service Delivery, Jefferson County Household Hazardous Waste Storage Facility
- 1996: 1st Place, Productivity Improvement, Employee Budget Summit
- 1994: 1st Place, Public Private Partnership
- 1994: 1st Place, Cooperative Service Delivery
- 1993: 2nd Place, Public Private Partnership
- 1991: 1st Place, Public Private Partnership
- 1991: 3rd Place, Public Private Partnership
- 1989: 3rd Place, Public Private Partnership
- 1989: 2nd Place, Productivity Improvement



ECONOMIC DEVELOPERS COUNCIL OF
COLORADO

- 2001: Large Community of the Year



GOVERNMENT FINANCE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION (GFOA)

1996 - 2040: Distinguished Budget Award
1996 - 2040: Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting

HERMES CREATIVE AWARD

2009: 1st Place, *Cop Talk*
2009: 2nd Place, *Teen Academy*
2009: 2nd Place, *Find a Lost Pet*
2008: 1st Place, *Jefferson County Regional Academy*



JUGGLE.COM – JUGGLE WEBSITE AWARDS

2010: Top Government Website



INTERNATIONAL CITY MANAGER'S ASSOCIATION (ICMA)

2008: Outstanding Achievement in Local Government Innovation, Ask Arvada
2004: International Award in Memory of Orin F. Nolting, Arvada City Manager Craig G. Kocian



INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

2013: Bronze Award, *General Purpose Brochure*, Arvada Economic Development Association

2012: Silver Award, *The Arvada Way*, Arvada Economic Development Association



LEAGUE OF AMERICAN BICYCLISTS

2014: Silver Level, Bike Friendly City
2013: Silver Level, Bike Friendly City
2008: Bronze Level, Bike Friendly City



METRO DENVER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

2012: The Metropolitan Cooperation Award



MONEY MAGAZINE "BEST PLACES TO LIVE"

2010: Ranked 58th, America's Top 100 Best Small Cities



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENT COMMUNICATORS

2002: 2nd Place, News Story, *Arvada at Work, Football Player*

2001: 1st Place, News Program, *Cop Talk*

2001: 2nd Place, Documentary, *Metropolitan Mayors and Commissioners Youth Awards*

2000: Honorable Mention, Calendars, 1998 Annual Report/1999 Calendar



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT OFFICIALS

2009: Community Revitalization Award for Rental Improvement Loan Program

2007: National Award of Merit in Program Innovation, Affordable Housing for Castlegate Apartments

2006: Affordable Housing Project, Castlegate Apartments

2006: President's Award for High Performing Agencies in Section 8

2004: Outstanding Staff Award, Housing Choice Voucher Team

2002: Award of Excellence, Carin' Clinic 1991: National Award of Merit for Program Innovation/Economic Impact, Sprucewood Village Apartments

1998: Award of Merit, Program Innovation/Community Revitalization for the Olde Town Arvada Business Assistance Program

1997: National Award of Merit for Program Innovation/Resident and Client Services, Housing Rehabilitation High Risk Loan Pool Program

1996: National Award of Merit for Program Innovation/Economic Impact, Arvada Rental Improvement Loan Program

1994: National Award of Merit for Project Design, Home Multi-Family Distressed Housing Rehabilitation

- 1994: National Award of Merit for Program Innovation/Economic Impact, Essential Home Repairs Loan Guarantee Program
- 1991: Award of Merit for Program Innovation/Direct Client Services, Home Energy Saver Package



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
TELECOMMUNICATIONS OFFICERS AND
ADVISORS (NATOA) GOVERNMENT CABLE
PROGRAMMING AWARDS

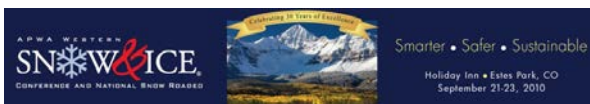
- 2014: 1ST Place, Children/Young Adults Category: *Arvada West Sparkles*
- 2014: 2nd Place, Public Affairs Category, *Arvada Insights: New Parking Enforcement Rules*
- 2014: 2nd Place, Magazine Format Series Category, *Veterans' Voices*
- 2014: 3rd Place, Public Education Category: *Eco Diary: Low Water Lawn Care*
- 2014: Honorable Mention, Overall Excellence in Government Programming
- 2010: 3rd Place, Overall Excellence in Government Programming
- 2010: 1st Place, Magazine Format Series, *A-Files*
- 2010: 1st Place, Public Safety, *Lost Pet*
- 2010: 1st Place, Profile of a City/County Department, *A-Files: Arvada Center Set*
- 2010: 2nd Place, Arts and Entertainment, *A-Files: Evita*
- 2010: 3rd Place, Children/Young Adults, *Artscentric: Schoolhouse Rock LIVE!*
- 2010: 3rd Place, Profile of a City/County Department, *K9 Unit*
- 2010: Honorable Mention, Community Awareness, *A-Files: Habitat for Humanity*
- 2010: Honorable Mention, Promotion of a City/County, *Jefferson County Insights*
- 2010: Honorable Mention in Seniors, *Happy Hikers* and *A-Files: Wii Bowling Tournament*
- 2009: 1st Place, Documentary/Profile for *A-Files Special Edition: Les Miserables*
- 2009: 1st Place, Interview/Talk Show, *Let's Talk with Ed Sardella*
- 2009: 1st Place, Special Audience for *A-Files: Steamers Coffeeshouse*
- 2009: 2nd Place, Public Safety, *DUI Checkpoint*
- 2009: 2nd Place, Seniors, *A-Files: Senior Prom*
- 2009: 2nd Place, Magazine Format Series, *A-Files*
- 2009: 3rd Place, Arts and Entertainment, *A-Files: Shadow Interpreting*
- 2009: 3rd Place, Public Service Announcement, *A-Files*
- 2008: 3rd Place, *Emily's Run*

- 2008: 3rd Place, *DUI Enforcement*
- 2006: 2nd Place, Public Health, *Cardiac Alert: Beating the Clock*
- 2006: 3rd Place, Government Access Station Web Site
- 2006: Honorable Mention, Documentary/Event Coverage for *My Country: The Baghdad-Denver Region Partnership*
- 2006: Honorable Mention, Community Awareness, *A Day at Outdoor Lab/The A-Files*
- 2006: Honorable Mention, Public Safety for *Click It or Ticket Campaign/Cop Talk*
- 2006: Honorable Mention, Magazine Format Series, *The A-Files*
- 2005: 2nd Place, Visual Art, *Arvada City Council Open*
- 2005: 1st Place, *Cop Talk*
- 2005: 2nd Place, Public Safety Program, *Cop Talk*
- 2003: 1st Place, Overall Excellence in Government Programming
- 2003: 1st Place, Interview Talk Show, *Let's Talk with Ed Sardella*
- 2003: 2nd Place, Community Awareness and Public Safety
- 2003: 3rd Place, Magazine Format Series
- 2002: 2nd Place, Overall Excellence in Government Programming
- 2002: *Cop Talk*
- 2001: 2nd Place, Documentary/Profile, *Metropolitan Mayors and Commissioners Youth Awards*
- 2000: 1st Place, Innovation in Government Programming, *Cop Talk*
- 2000: 3rd Place, Profile of a City or County Department, *Cop Talk*
- 1998: 1st Place, Innovative, *Cop Talk Bumper*
- 1998: 3rd Place, Profile of City/County Department, *Cop Talk*
- 1997: 1st Place, Student Intern, *No Remote Needed*
- 1997: 3rd Place, Overall Excellence in Government Programming
- 1996: 1st Place, Student Intern, *No Remote Needed*



NATIONAL LEAGUE OF CITIES

- 1997: Honorable Award Winner, Innovation Awards, Connecting Citizens and Their Government



NATIONAL SNOW AND ICE ROADEO

- 2010: 2nd Place, Single Axle
- 2009: 3rd Place, Single Axle
- 2009: 3rd Place, Tandem Axle
- 1997: 1st Place, Tandem Axle

1994: 1st Place, Single Axle
1992: 1st Place, Tandem Axle
1990: 1st Place, Single Axle
1990: 1st Place, Loader
1990: 1st Place, Tandem Axle
1988: 1st Place, Single Axle
1987: 1st Place, Tandem Axle
1987: 1st Place, Single Axle
1986: 1st Place, Tandem Axle



Public Technology Institute

PUBLIC TECHNOLOGY INSTITUTE

2011: Arvada recognized as one of 17 city, county, and state governments considered leaders in the innovative application of Web 2.0 technologies and civic/social media tools to achieve impressive results in citizen engagement, government accountability, and operational efficiencies.



ROCKY MOUNTAIN CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE

1998: Award of Merit, Unique Use of Concrete, Arvada Center Squiggles Playground



UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS

2007: Top 15, Best Tasting Water in America



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

1998: National Register of Historic Places, Olde Town Arvada



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
2003: Excellence in Economic Adjustment Strategies
Award, Arvada Economic Development
Association



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
AGENCY
1995: Friend of the EPA Award, Majestic View Nature
Center
1990: Administrator's Award, Arvada's Recycling
Program, a Public/Private Partnership



UNITED STATES GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL
2015: Gold LEED Certification, Police Department
community substations at West Woods and Lake
Arbor



WESTERN ACCESS VIDEO EXCELLENCE (WAVE)
AWARD
2002: WAVE Award, Public Forum
2002: WAVE Award, Overall Excellence
2002: WAVE Award, Channel Promotion
2001: WAVE Award, Documentary



WESTWORD BEST OF DENVER AWARDS
2011: Best Dog Park: West Arvada Dog Park
2010: Best Historic Art Show, *100+ Years of Colorado
Art*, Arvada Center
2008: Best supporting actor in a musical, Milton Craig
Nealy, *La Cage Aux Folles*, Arvada Center
2004: Best salute to a Colorado master, *Frank Sampson
Retrospective*, Arvada Center
2002: Best Cop Museum, Arvada Police Department
Historical Display
2001: Best theater for a younger audience, *And Now
Miguel*, Arvada Center
2000: Best Children's Production, *Babe*, the Arvada
Center
2000: Best Heroine in the Making, Sara Smith, *To Kill a
Mockingbird*, Arvada Center

- 2000: Best Do-Right Man, Paul Borrillo, *To Kill a Mockingbird*, Arvada Center
- 2000: Best Salute to Colorado's Contemporary Art Scene, *Colorado Abstraction*, Arvada Center
- 2000: Best Ceramics Duet, *Time in Tandem*, James and Nan McKinnel Retrospective, Arvada Center
- 2000: Best Supporting Actress, Mercedes Perez, *West Side Story*, Arvada Center
- 2000: Best children's production, *Babe, the Sheep-Pig*, Arvada Center
- 1997: Best Crime Time TV, *Cop Talk*
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WHITE HOUSE MILLENNIUM COUNCIL

- 2000: Designated Millennium Community