



# Intertribal Timber Council

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

**DATE:** November 1, 2019

**TO:** Tribal Forestry Departments  
Tribal Natural Resource Departments  
Native Alaska Corporations  
Bureau of Indian Affairs Agency Offices  
Bureau of Indian Affairs Branch of Forestry

**FROM:** Vernon Stearns, Jr., President

**RE:** **Nominations for:  
2020 Earle R. Wilcox Memorial National Award  
Individual Achievement Awards**

I encourage you to take the time to nominate an individual who deserves special recognition for his or her achievements in Indian forestry or natural resources at the local, regional, or national level.

Earle R. Wilcox Memorial Awards honor individuals who have made significant contributions in the field of Indian forestry, fire or related programs. These awards are given in honor of Mr. Earle R. Wilcox, who will always be remembered for his significant achievements on behalf of Indian people and their forests. Awards will be presented June 4, 2020, during the Awards Banquet at the 44<sup>th</sup> Annual National Indian Timber Symposium in Fairbanks, AK.

Nominations can be made by anyone, not just supervisors or upper level management. Tribal leaders and Tribal Councils are encouraged to make nominations. Follow the procedures outlined in the enclosed award packet, or online at [http://www.itcnet.org/about\\_us/awards.html](http://www.itcnet.org/about_us/awards.html). Make sure your nominations, with supporting documentation, are in our office by the close of business (5:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time) January 24, 2020.

**Nominations must be received by the Intertribal Timber Council office by the close of business (5:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time) January 24, 2020.** Incomplete applications received after that date will not be considered.

Submit your nominations by email, regular mail, or fax, to:

**AWARDS COMMITTEE  
Intertribal Timber Council  
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