

Iowa Court Reporters Association
2010 Convention
Report of the Distinguished Service Award Committee

The Roy Voelker Award for Distinguished Service is the highest honor that can be bestowed upon a member of this Association. This award honors not simply a single contribution to the Association, its members, the court system and the court reporting profession as a whole, but rather represents a continued involvement in all of these areas. The award was created in 1985 in memory of Roy Voelker, who generously gave so much of his time, talent and energy in the furtherance of the court reporting profession at the local, state and national levels.

Past DSA recipients include Mary Brown (1986), William C. Stanton (1987), Dan Petersen (1988), Cathy Mills (1993), Bob Day (1995), Pam Day (1996), Jim Den Adel (1997), Dwight Van Wyngarden (1998), Dianne Head (1999), Jane Weingart (2001), Teresa Kordick (2003), Kari Osborn (2004), Nancy Draper (2005), Mary Anne Cassel Meyer (2006), and Vance Harris (2007).

The Distinguished Service Award Committee will give its full oral report to the members of the Iowa Court Reporters Association during the presentation of the DSA to this year's recipient.

The Committee thanks the Board of Directors and the membership for the ongoing support of this Committee. We encourage the membership to nominate deserving individuals for this award in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

The Distinguished Service Award Committee

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