













2019 CT GREEN INDUSTRY ALLIANCE

Banuqet and Awards Ceremony

November 20, 2019 5:30 pm Aqua Turf Club 556 Mulberry St, Plantsville, CT















CALL FOR ENTRIES

The CT Green Industry Alliance Banquet and Awards Ceremony event is the place to showcase your talents and show off the great work you have done to your peers and potential clients. No matter what size business you own, what association you belong to or what specialty you are in, this is THE awards program to be part of.

Each association has their own awards and application form. Members of the Association of Professional Landscape Designers: CT Chapter, CT Grounds Keepers Association, CT Irrigation Contractors Association, CT Nursery and Landscape Association, CT Urban Forest Council, Experiment Station Associates and NOFA Organic Land Care Program are eligible for their association awards and for the CT Green Industry Alliance Safety Awards.

A distinguished panel of experts chosen by each association's Board of Directors will judge their respective association submissions. Awards may or may not be given in each category. The winners will be announced at the November 20, 2019 Awards Banquet.

All entries must come with an entry fee of \$60/submission. The fee includes registration for one individual. The fee to register for the event is \$50/person or \$450/table (10 registrations).

Deadline for entries: **Friday, October 18, 2019**. Submissions are to be sent to Lisa Stevens, CNLA, 1 Regency Drive, PO Box 30, Bloomfield, CT 06002 or info@cnla.org. The entry fee must accompany the application.

Submissions will be judged based on the criteria each association has outlined elsewhere in the packet. The same project may be entered in more than one category. Additional entries of the same project should be treated as its own entry, meaning it should have its own photos, the appropriate application as well as its own entry form and payment.

All entries and photos become property of the CT Green Industry Alliance and may be used for publicity/information purposes. You may submit up to 10 photo prints of the project. Please include before and after pictures and label each photo with the project name only. It is important that your photos be of the highest quality and that they provide a thorough view of your project. JPEG files are preferred. Do not submit your images in PowerPoint or any other presentation program. Photos must not contain any identifying information, i.e. trucks, equipment showing company name or logo, etc.

Questions may be directed to Lisa Stevens, CNLA, info@cnla.biz or 800-562-0610.















<u>Awards Program Entry Form</u>

Please submit a separate form for each entry; however, you may remit one payment for ALL your entries. Entries must be received at the CNLA Executive Office with payment no later than **Friday, October 18, 2019**. Please complete the Attendee Registration form for additional attendees (see last page).

Company Name				
Contact Person				
Company Address				
Phone				
Email		Website		
Award Plaque Information Project Title (Exactly how credit for the project shou		aque)		
Company(Exactly how credit for the project shou				
Association	Entry Fee	# of Entries		Total Amount
APLD – CT	\$60			
CGKA	\$60			
CNLA	\$60			
CUFC	\$60			
NOFA-CT	\$60			
CT Green Industry Alliance	\$60			
			TOTAL:	
Method of Payment ☐ Check # ☐ VISA/MC/A (made payable to CNLA)	MEX Card #		Exp. Date _	Sec. Code
Name on Card		Signature		
Billing Address (if different than	above)			















Association of Professional Landscape Designers: CT Chapter

The Association of Professional Landscape Designers® (APLD) was founded in 1989 as an international organization dedicated to promoting the highest standards for the landscape design profession.

Please select the Categor	~y
Category 1	Full Property Landscape
☐ Category 2	Small Area Landscape
Company Name	
Company Address	
Phone	Email
Project Name and Locati	on
Date Project Started/End	led
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Project creativity (please	describe):100
Describe the overall desi	gn (including environmental factors, balance texture, color, scale, etc.):
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Describe project challenges and how they were resolved:				
Special plants or features on project:			 	















CT Grounds Keepers Association

The Connecticut Grounds Keepers Association is the leading horticultural, agricultural and landscape business association in the state. Our green industry members include lawn maintenance & landscape contractors, arborists, irrigation firms, pavers, pest control, masons, nurseries & garden centers, turf farms, landscape designers, suppliers and allied businesses.

Please select the Cate	Landscaping – Un	ce Turnaround/Rehab	
Company Name			
Contact Person			
		Email	
Project Name and Loc	ation		
Date Project Started/E	inded		
Project Scope:			
		☐ Subcontracted? If subcontracted, by whom?	

Project challenges and how they were resolved:	
stainable practices on project:	
ecial plants or features on project:	















CT Nursery and Landscape Association

CNLA is the state trade association that represents Connecticut's nurseries, garden centers, landscapers, nursery and perennial growers, and landscape designers.

Please select the Ca Category Category	y 1 Landscape Constr	uction – Installation Project (Commercial) uction – Installation Project (Residential)
Company Name		
Contact Person		
Company Address		
Phone		Email
Project Name and I	Location	
Date Project Starte	d/Ended	
Project Scope:		
Project Design	☐ In House	☐ By Others
Project Cost (option	nal)	
Was the project	☐ Self performed?	☐ Subcontracted?
Project challenges	and how they were resol	ved:

Sustainable practices on projec	t:		
Special plants or features on pr	oiect:		
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NOFA Organic Land Care Program

The Northeast Organic Farming Association of Connecticut's mission is to ensure the growth and viability of organic agriculture, organic food, and organic land care in Connecticut.

Please select the Category ☐ Category 1 Best Organically Maintained Property ☐ Category 2 Best Organic Turf/Lawn
Company Name
Contact Person
Company Address
Phone Email
Project Name and Location
Date Project Started/Ended
Was this property transitioned to an organic program in the last 3 years? If so, describe the process:
Property size in acres or square feet:
Was this project commercial or residential?
Project creativity (Please describe):
Describe the overall design (including environmental factors, balance texture, color, scale, etc.):

Describe project challenges and how they were resolved:
Special organic plants or features on project (e.g., native plants, storm water infrastructure, edible landscape, use of or site materials, minimized lawn and use of lawn alternatives, etc.):
Criteria:
1) NOFA AOLCP
2) CT-based project
3) Completed project no more than 3 years ago
4) Property/lawn maintained per NOFA Standards for Organic Land Care















CT Green Industry Alliance – Safety Award

This award category is for any member company who is a member of any organization associated with the Alliance.
Company Name
Contact Person
Company Address
Phone Email
Project Name and Location
Date Project Started/Ended
These answers are based on January 1, 2018 – December 31, 2018. Please upload OSHA Form 300A (US) and a copy of your Company's written safety plan.
What is your Experience Modification Rate (EMR)?
In 2018, what was your total number of registered motor vehicles in your fleet?
In 2018, what was the total number of vehicle accidents that involved personal injury and/or vehicle damage over \$75
In 2018, what was the total number of property damage claims over \$750?
In 2018, what was the total number of labor hours?
In 2018, what was the total number of injuries and illnesses?
In 2018, what was the total number of days away from work?
How many full-time employees were employed during 2018?

How many part-time employees were employed during 2018?
Does your company have a drug & alcohol test program?
Do you provide safety training classes?
Do you have regularly scheduled safety meetings?
Do you conduct hands-on, pre-season training?
Please note, the application is NOT shared with anyone except the judges.







Reduce Gas /Oil Fuel Use through More Efficient Equipment Use









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CT Green Industry Alliance – Sustainability Award

This award category is for any member company who is a member of any organization associated with the Alliance. Company Name _____ Company Address _____ Phone _____ Email _____ Project Name and Location _____ Date Project Started/Ended _____ Identify which practices your company has incorporated into a project or business. Remove Invasive Plant Material on Landscape Sites Preserve Existing Native Plant Material on Landscape Sites Install Plant Material Native to New England Minimize Water Use **Prevent Contamination of Storm Water** Minimize Use of Fertilizers and Pesticides Use Non-Synthetic Fertilizers from Natural Sources Recycle Organic Debris Practice Integrated Pest Management Practice Higher Mowing and Leave Grass Clippings on Lawn Install Green Roofs and Walls Reduce Installation of Non-Porous Paving such as Asphalt **Install Permeable Paving** Use LED Low Voltage Lighting to Save Energy

Please describe in detail at least three of the practices checked above that you have incorporated into a project or you ousiness.		















Attendee Registration Form

Please fill out the form and submit payment to the Connecticut Nursery & Landscape Association, 1 Regency Drive, PO Box 30, Bloomfield, CT 06002 or fax to (860)-286-0787. MC, VISA and AMEX are also accepted.

My company i	s a member o	of				
☐ APLD – CT	☐ CGKA	☐ CICA	☐ CNLA	☐ CUFC	☐ ESA	☐ NOFA-CT
Contact Name	:					-
Company Nam	ne:					
Company Addi	ress:					
Company City/	/State/Zip:					
Phone:				Email:		
Registration Fo	ees					
\$50/person \$450/table of	10 people					
Attendees (do not include the person who submitted an application)						
Name:			Na	ıme:		
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Total Registrat	tion Fee Enclo	sed \$				
Method of Pay	yment					
☐ Check # (made payable to		MC/AMEX Card#	<u> </u>		Exp. Dat	ee Sec. Code
Name on Card				Signature		
Billing Address	s (if different t	han above)				