

Greetings from the Midwest Energy Association!

MEA's **Life Sustaining Award Program** honors member company's employees who go out of their way to save the life, or attempt to save the life, of another. We are soliciting your nomination of an individual who has performed such an heroic deed.

If you know of any of your employees who have acted heroically by saving or attempting to save a life in the past year, please fill out the application completely and return it to my attention. Once we have received the completed application, we will forward it to the MEA Board of Directors for processing and approval.

Please forward this letter to others in your organization who may be aware of life sustaining events at your company. This is an outstanding opportunity to recognize your employees and your company for the great contribution they have made to another person. This award is open to all employees of MEA member companies.

Please submit applications no later than February 27, 2009. If the Board approves the application, candidates will receive their award Wednesday, May 6th at the Electric Operations Conference in Springfield, IL (electric personnel) or Wednesday, August 5th at the Gas Operations Conference in Ames, IA (natural gas personnel). We will notify you immediately should your employee be approved for this award. If you have any questions regarding this program, please feel free to call.

Best regards,

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