Charles Krenek Award for Resource Specialist

To recognize a Resource Specialist who demonstrates exceptional activities in support of district objectives.

Nominations should reflect:

- Activities performed well above the normal level expected for the position occupied.
- Positive impact of activities on the overall efficiency and effectiveness of the respective unit.
- Positive impact of activities upon other units within the Service.
- Creative or innovative approaches developed to improve effectiveness and/or efficiency of the respective unit.
- Positive effect on Service personnel and the general public.
- Committed to and exhibits enthusiasm for all Service objectives.
- Displays outstanding subject matter knowledge and competency and exhibits qualities that are a credit to the Texas A&M University System, TFS, and the public.

Any TFS employee is eligible when meeting these criteria:

- A full-time employee during the entire fiscal year preceding the presentation.
- Did not receive the award in the previous year.
- Is alive at the time the nomination is submitted.
- Is not the Director, a Department Head, or a Regional Forester.

Deadline for nominations is August 31st of every year.

For forms and guidelines:  [http://tfsweb.tamu.edu/administration/awards/](http://tfsweb.tamu.edu/administration/awards/)

The Director presents the recipient a TFS-engraved plaque and $500 cash award at the annual TFS Personnel Meeting or similar agency meeting.

Past Recipients:

1984  Charles Krenek – *First year of award*
1985  David Abernathy
1986  Clint McElyea
1987  Ray B. Wood
1988  Hugo Koennig
1989  Mitch McDonald
1990  Richard Gray
1991  Ken Walters
1992  E.C. “Brad” Braddock
1993  D.A. Walters
1994  Ardis Prickett
1995  Mike Brock
1996  Steve Anderson
1997  Larry Bennett
1998  Frank Wofford
1999  Raymond Uballe
2000  Steve Smith
2001  Steve Casper
2002  No award presented – Changed to fiscal year cycle
2003  Jerry Denson
2004  Hubert Sims
2005  Bobby Dixon
2006  John Wall
2007  Rusty Smith
2008  Brad Moore
2009  Carlton Howeth
2010  Jeff Durant
2011  Ronnie Jones – Name changed from Director’s Award for Field Technician to the Charles Krenek Award for Resource Specialist
2012  No award presented
2013  Jerry Watson
2014  Fred Luecke
2015  Steven Moore
2016  Jason Calvet
2017  Bernie Buckner