

# Vanguard Award for Irrigation Projects

***Vanguard: A person or group leading the way. A position at the forefront of new developments or ideas.***

Established in 2017, this award honors an innovative installation project executed by a team of individuals, companies, organizations or other group entities. While IA member organizations or technical members should be involved in the project, team members may consist of non-IA members.

Self-made and peer nominations are acceptable.

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**Irrigation Project Name** \_\_\_\_\_

## Applicant

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Submission Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Letters of Support

*Application forms submitted with no attached letters of support will not be considered for nomination.*

1. Please explain in an attached letter of support why this project deserves recognition. While the items below are not mandatory, it is important to provide specific information to support the application, as such
  - a description of the completed project.
  - a list of Irrigation Association companies that participated in the project.
  - a summary of the successes in the area(s) of water efficiency, increased yield and/or decreased energy use.
  - specific project innovations and the impact of each.
  - other information deemed pertinent to this application.
2. Letters from participating companies or organizations are encouraged. They should be submitted as a package by the person submitting this form.
3. Letters of support may include links to additional supporting documents (e.g., videos, PowerPoints).

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**This is a fillable form that should be saved and submitted in the front of the application packet.**

**Mail, email or fax your nomination packet on or before March 1, 2018.**

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***Thank you for your nomination!***