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MAWSS' Plant Wins National Recognition



photo: Williams jump

MAWSS' Joseph Nelson demonstrates the enthusiasm of staff and treatment plant operators at the C.C. Williams Wastewater Treatment Plant upon winning a Platinum Peak Performance Award from NACWA for 16 consecutive years of perfect regulatory compliance. The photo was selected as one of the best depicting this year's theme, "Jump for Clean Water" and was featured in the NACWA awards video, as well as their national newsletter.

Mobile Area Water and Sewer System's (MAWSS) C.C. Williams Wastewater Treatment Plant was recognized by the National Association of Clean Water Agencies (NACWA) with a Platinum Peak Performance Award for its 16th consecutive year of perfect regulatory compliance. That in itself is a great accomplishment but the Williams Plant added to that honor when NACWA selected their photo as one of the best depicting the theme of this year's award video, "Jump for Clean Water".

To earn a Platinum level award, a plant must reach five consecutive years of 100% permit compliance. MAWSS Director Charles Hyland says maintaining a perfect record for 16 consecutive years is a tribute to our plant operators who are very dedicated to their work and protecting the environment.

"When the Williams Plant earned its first Platinum award in 2005, there were 15 other plants in their induction class. This year, only MAWSS and one other utility continued their perfect record to reach year 16. This achievement was possible because of their continued commitment," said Hyland.

The award winning photo was published in NACWA's national newsletter and earned each plant operators a Platinum Peak Performance baseball cap. The awards video, shown during NACWA's summer conference, can be viewed at <http://bit.ly/2gc6dLd>.