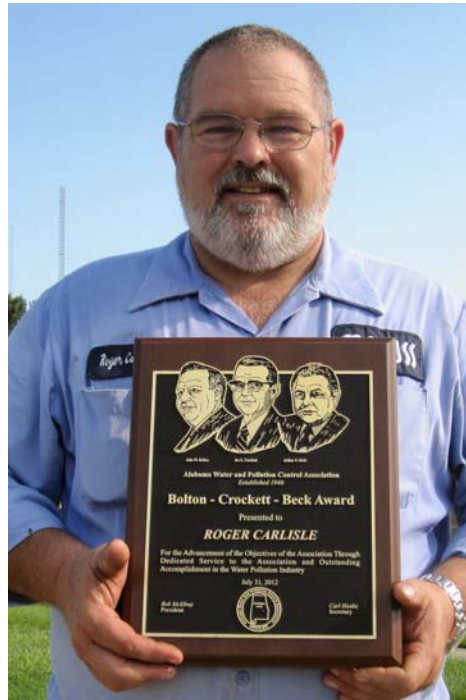


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MAWSS Operator and Plants Honored



Roger Carlisle, Treatment Plant Operator at Mobile Area Water & Sewer System's (MAWSS) Wright Smith, Jr. Wastewater Treatment Plant, was this year's recipient of the Bolton-Crockett-Beck Award presented by the Alabama Water Pollution Control Association (AWPCA) at their annual education conference, July 31, at the Guillot University Center in Florence. The award is presented annually to an individual who fosters the advancement of the objectives of AWPCA to protect public health and the environment.

The **Smith Plant** was named the "Best Operated Plant Award" in the Bio-Filter/Trickling Filter category.

MAWSS' C.C. Williams Wastewater Treatment Plant received a "Certificate of Recognition" in their category of Mechanical Plants treating more than 10 million gallons a day.

The AWPCA plant awards are based on an on-site visit, a review of operating procedures and continued permit compliance.