



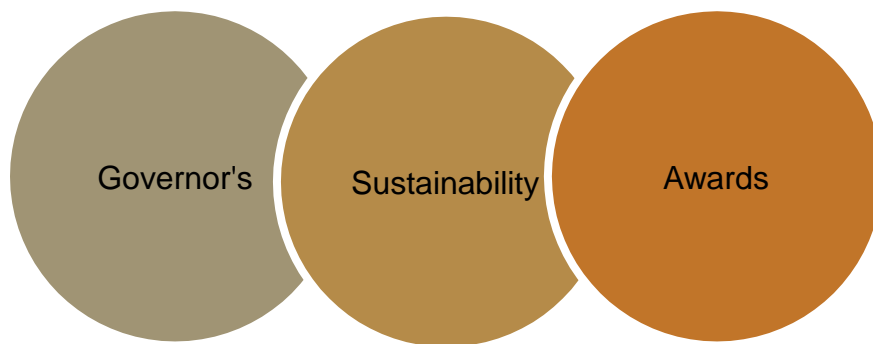
The Governor's Award winners

Honoring organizations that have
made a difference

**Celebrating 25 years
1987-2011**



**ILLINOIS SUSTAINABLE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER**
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25 YEARS OF HONORING EXCELLENCE

For 25 years, the Illinois Sustainable Technology Center (ISTC) and the Governor's office have been honoring the companies and organizations that have made a difference in the environment of Illinois. The program started small and has grown to a highly regarded statewide recognition program. It was originally the Governor's Pollution Prevention Award. Several years ago it became the Governor's Sustainability Awards to better reflect the scope of programs being implemented by organizations throughout the state. This year ISTC received a record number of applications for the award. There also have been special awards that were presented in several years.

A panel from ISTC judges the applications. Finalists may be visited for verification of activities. Eligibility status of semi-finalists is obtained from the Illinois EPA. The Office of the Governor makes the final award decisions. The following are all of the winning organizations for the past 25 years.

2011 WINNERS

Ameren ActOnEnergy Business Program – Peoria
Argonne National Laboratory – Argonne
Cabot Corporation – Tuscola
City of Evanston – Evanston
City of Naperville – Naperville
DuPage County – Wheaton
Earth Friendly Products – Addison
Elmhurst Park District – Elmhurst
Gabriel Environmental Services – Chicago
GE Healthcare IT – Barrington
Harris Corporation – Quincy
J.L. Clark – Rockford
John A. Logan College – Carterville
Lewis and Clark Community College – Godfrey
Lincoln Park Zoological Society – Chicago



NOW Foods, Inc. – Bloomingdale
PortionPac Chemical Corporation – Chicago
Rock Valley College – Rockford
Sherwin-Williams Company – Effingham
Solberg Mfg. – Itasca
Southwestern Illinois College – Belleville
Uncommon Ground – Chicago
University of Illinois at Chicago, c/o Office of Sustainability – Chicago
University of Illinois Retrocommissioning Group – Champaign
Village of Hoffman Estates – Hoffman Estates

2010 WINNERS

Abbott – Abbott Park
Amcor Rigid Plastics – Batavia
Autotherm Division Enthel Systems, Inc. – Lake Zurich
Ball Food & Household Products – Danville
Ball Food & Household Products – Elgin
Baxter Healthcare, Renal – McGaw Park
City of Kankakee – Kankakee
Cooper B-Line – Highland
Elmhurst Park District – Elmhurst
Everlights – Chicago
GE Healthcare IT – Barrington
Governors State University – University Park
Hendrickson Bumper & Trim – Crest Hill
Hendrickson Truck Systems Group – Woodridge
Mahomet IGA – Mahomet
McDonald's Corporation – Oak Brook
NOW Foods, Inc. – Bloomingdale
PC Rebuilders & Recyclers, LLC – Chicago
PerkinElmer – Downers Grove
Solvair LLC – Naperville
Southeastern Container, Inc. – Effingham
Tasty Catering – Elk Grove Village
Uncommon Ground – Chicago
University of Illinois Student Sustainability Committee – Champaign
Village of Schaumburg – Schaumburg
Waterman Winery & Vineyards – Waterman
WW Grainger, Inc. – Lake Forest



2009 WINNERS

Abbott – Abbott Park
Abbott, Global Pharmaceutical Operations – North Chicago
Ace Hardware Paint Division – Chicago Heights
Ace Hardware Paint Division – Matteson
Allied Waste Services – Chicago
AMFOTEK – Tinley Park
Ball Corporation – Danville
Ball Corporation – Elgin
Caterpillar Engine Center – Mossville

Central Can Company – Chicago
Cintas – Romeoville
City of Chicago Department of Aviation – O'Hare Modernization Program – Chicago
ComEd – Oakbrook Terrace
Consolidated Printing Company – Chicago
Continental Tire North America – Mount Vernon
Electro-Motive Diesel, Inc. – LaGrange
Frigel North America – East Dundee
GE Healthcare IT – Cary
Guardian West – Urbana
Harris Corporation, Broadcast Communications Division – Quincy
Hitachi Metals Automotive Components USA, LLC – Effingham
Illinois Correctional Industries – Menard
Jesse Brown VA Medical Center – Chicago
Jet Lithocolor, Inc. – Downers Grove
Kankakee Community College – Kankakee
Lions Park Elementary School – Mount Prospect
McDonald's Corporation – Oak Brook
McHenry County Schools Environmental Education Program – Woodstock
MRC Polymers Inc. – Chicago
Mueller Company – Decatur
Navistar, Inc. – Melrose Park
NOW Foods, Inc. – Bloomingdale
Original Smith Printing – Bloomington
PortionPac Chemical Corporation – Chicago
Rhodia, Inc. – Blue Island
Vaughan and Bushnell Manufacturing Company – Bushnell
Village of Orland Park – Orland Park
WCIA-Channel 3 News – Champaign



2008 WINNERS

Abbott – North Chicago
Ball Corporation – Elgin
Baxter Healthcare – Round Lake
Cadbury Adams – Rockford
Carlisle Syntec Inc. – Greenville
Caterpillar Engine Center – Mossville
Caterpillar Logistics – Morton
Christy Webber Landscapes – Chicago
Cintas Corporation – Bedford Park
Digital Hub – Chicago
Electro Motive Diesel, Inc. – LaGrange
Frigel North America – Lake Zurich
Hitachi Metals Automotive Components – Effingham
Illinois Correctional Industries – Menard
Kent H. Landsberg Company – Lombard
Nalco Company – Chicago
National Manufacturing – Rock Falls
NOW Foods – Bloomingdale

O'Hare Modernization Program – Chicago
Plum Grove Printers – Hoffman Estates
Pontiac Township High School – Pontiac
PortionPac Chemical Corporation – Chicago
Richelieu Foods – Elk Grove Village
Wilbur Wright College – Chicago
ZF Sales & Service – Vernon Hills

2007 WINNERS

Abbott – North Chicago
Akzo Nobel Non-Stick Coatings – Des Plaines
All-Brite Anodizing Company – Northlake
Amerikal Products Corporation – Waukegan
Cadbury Adams – Rockford
Caterpillar Cast Metals Organization – Mapleton
Caterpillar Engine Center – Mossville
Caterpillar Hydraulics and Hydraulic Systems – Joliet
Cintas Corporation – Rockford
Consolidated Printing – Chicago
Crest Industries – New Lenox
Electronic Interconnect Inc. – Elk Grove Village
Farmland Foods Inc. – Monmouth
GE Healthcare – Arlington Heights
HN Automotive Inc. – Effingham
Horigan Urban Forest Products, Inc. – Glenview
International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
Koppers Inc. – Cicero
Nalco Company – Chicago
New Holland Apartments – Danville



2006 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – Abbott Park
Cardinal Health – McGaw Park
Caterpillar Engine Center – Mossville
Chem Processing, Inc. – Rockford
CITGO-Lemont – Lemont
Consolidated Printing Company – Chicago
Continental Tire North America – Mount Vernon
Farmland Foods, Inc. – Monmouth
Finishes Unlimited Inc. – Sugar Grove
Gates Corporation – Galesburg
GE Healthcare – Arlington Heights
Harris Corporation, Broadcast Communication Division – Quincy
Illinois Department of Military Affairs – Springfield
International Truck & Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
ITT Bell & Gossett – Morton Grove
Lansing Cleaners – Lansing
Nestle USA – Jacksonville

Pontiac Township High School – Pontiac
PortionPac Chemical Corporation – Chicago
R.B. White, Inc. – Bloomington
Sarah Bush Lincoln Health System – Mattoon
Spraylat Corporation – Chicago
St. Joseph's Hospital – Breese

2005 WINNERS

Akzo Nobel Non-Stick Coatings – Des Plaines
Cadbury Adams – Rockford
Cardinal Health – McGaw Park
Caterpillar Cast Metals Organization – Mapleton
Caterpillar Engine Center – Mossville
Cintas Corporation – Romeoville
Electro Motive Diesel, Inc. – LaGrange
GE Healthcare – Arlington Heights
International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
Nalco Company – Chicago
National Manufacturing – Sterling & Rock Falls
Norco Cleaners, Inc. – Dolton
Sarah Bush Lincoln Health Systems – Mattoon
Solvent Systems International, Inc. – Elk Grove Village
ZF Sales and Service – Vernon Hills



2004 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – Abbott Park
Behr Process Corporation – Chicago Heights
Cadbury Adams – Rockford
Caterpillar Cast Metals Organization – Mapleton
Caterpillar Technology and Solutions Division – Peoria
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
Community Unit School District #3 – Cuba
Crown Cork & Seal USA, Inc. – Aurora
Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory – Batavia
GE Healthcare Bio-sciences – Arlington Heights
GM Electro-Motive – LaGrange
International Truck & Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
Maytag Herrin Laundry Products – Herrin
Nalco Company – Chicago
Sherwin Williams-Minwax – Flora

2003 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – North Chicago
Amersham Health – Arlington Heights
Argonne National Laboratory – Argonne
ASC Incorporated – Bloomington
Byron Forest Preserve District – Byron
Caterpillar Technical Services Division – Mossville

Crazy Horse Concrete, Inc. – New Berlin
Dynamic Manufacturing, Inc. – Melrose Park
Eaton Corporation – Lincoln
Five Corners Cleaners – Glen Ellyn
General Electric – Bloomington
Gleason Cutting Tools Corporation – Loves Park
International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
ITT Bell & Gosset – Morton Grove
ITT McDonnell & Miller – Chicago
Maytag Herrin Laundry Products – Herrin
Mitsubishi Electric Automation, Inc. – Vernon Hills
Nestle´ Brands, Beverage Division – Jacksonville
Noveon Inc. – Henry
Ondeo Nalco Company – Bedford Park
Sherwin Williams-Minwax – Flora
Spring Wood Middle School – Hanover Park



2002 WINNERS

182nd Airlift Wing, Illinois Air National Guard – Peoria
Abbott Laboratories – North Chicago
Amersham Health – Arlington Heights
Baxter-Healthcare, Renal Division – McGaw Park
Caterpillar Mining & Construction Equipment Division – Decatur
Collins & Aikman Corporation Rantoul Products – Rantoul
Crazy Horse Concrete, Inc. – New Berlin
Gleason Cutting Tools Corporation – Loves Park
Great Rivers Land Trust – Alton
International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
Lansing Cleaners – Lansing
Matsushita Universal Media Services LLC of America – Pinckneyville
Minwax – Flora
National Manufacturing – Sterling & Rock Falls
Norco Cleaners, Inc. – Dolton
St. Elizabeth's Hospital – Belleville
St. Joseph's Hospital – Breese
Stepan Company – Elwood
ZF Industries, Inc. – Vernon Hills

2001 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – North Chicago
Able Electropolishing Company, Inc. – Chicago
American NTN Bearing Manufacturing, Inc. – Elgin
C.J. Saporito Plating Company – Cicero
Caterpillar Mapleton Facility – Mapleton
Caterpillar Technical Services Division – Peoria
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
Hardwood Line Manufacturing – Chicago
Homeshield Fabricated Products – Chatsworth
International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park

Isotech Laboratories, Inc. – Champaign
Kester Solder Company – Des Plaines
Midwest Generation EME, LLC – Chicago
National Manufacturing – Sterling
Norcross Safety Products – Rock Island
Noveon, Inc. – Henry
Swenson Spreader Company – Lindenwood

2000 WINNERS

ADM Railcar Repair Facility – Decatur
Arbortech Corporation – McHenry
Baxter Healthcare – Round Lake
Big River Technologies, Inc. – Rock Island
Burgess-Norton Manufacturing Co. – Geneva
Caterpillar Technical Services Division – Peoria
ChemNova Technologies / Northern Illinois University – DeKalb
Chilo Manufacturing & Plating – Chicago
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
Continental General Tire – Mount Vernon
Ethyl Petroleum Additives, Inc. – Sauget
International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
ITT McDonnell & Miller – Chicago
Lansing Cleaners – Lansing
National Manufacturing Company – Sterling
Norcross Safety Products LLC – Rock Island
Stepan Company, Millsdale Facility – Elwood



1999 WINNERS

Ace Plating Company – Chicago
American NTN Bearing Manufacturing Corporation – Elgin
Argonne National Laboratory – Argonne
Avon Products, Inc. – Morton Grove
BF Goodrich – Henry
Caterpillar Mapleton Facility – Mapleton
Daubert Chemical Company, Inc. – Chicago
Eagle Wings Industries, Inc. – Rantoul
Honeywell Micro Switch Division, Plant 4 – Freeport
ITT McDonnell & Miller – Chicago
Madison County Transit District – Granite City
Motorola, Inc. Network Storage Solutions – Arlington Heights
Motorola, Inc. Personal Communications Sector – Libertyville
Murco Recycling Enterprises, Inc. – LaGrange Park
Nalco Chemical Company – Naperville
Navistar International Transportation Corporation – Melrose Park
Roscoe Company – Chicago
Scott Air Force Base – Scott AFB
SWD, Inc. – Addison
VA Chicago Health Care System – Chicago
Warner Electric, Industrial Products Division – Roscoe

1998 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – North Chicago
Argonne National Laboratories – Argonne
BF Goodrich Specialty Chemicals – Henry
Borg Warner Automotive – Dixon
Caterpillar Inc. – Decatur
Caterpillar Inc. – Peoria
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
Dow Chemical Company – Joliet
Eagle Wings Industries, Inc. – Rantoul
Ethyl Petroleum Additives, Inc. – Sauget
Honeywell Micro Switch Division – Galena
Honeywell Micro Switch Division, Plant 4 – Freeport
Illinois State University/University of Illinois Livestock and Urban Waste Recycling Team – Normal
ITT McDonnell & Miller – Chicago
Motorola ILO2 Facility – Schaumburg
Nalco Chemical Company – Naperville
Navistar International Transportation Company – Melrose Park
Safer Pest Control Project & Henry Horner Residents Committee – Chicago
Southern Illinois University – Edwardsville & Carbondale
Specialty Screw Corporation – Rockford
Stepan Company – Millsdale Facility – Elwood
U.S. Naval Hospital – Great Lakes
W.H. Maze Company – Peru



1997 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – Abbott Park
American NTN Bearing Manufacturing Corporation – Elgin
Argonne National Laboratory – Argonne
Baxter Healthcare – Round Lake
Caterpillar, Inc. – Decatur
Caterpillar, Inc. – East Peoria
Chrysler Corporation – Belvidere
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
Dopaco, Inc. – St. Charles
Eagle Wings Industries, Inc. – Rantoul
The Gates Rubber Company – Galesburg
Highland Supply Corporation – Highland
John Deere Harvester – Moline
McWhorter Technologies, Inc. – Carpentersville
Motorola Land Mobile Products Sector – Schaumburg
Navistar International Transportation Corporation – Melrose Park
Olin Corporation – East Alton
Panek Precision – Northbrook
Stepan Company – Elwood
U.S. Postal Service – Carol Stream
U. S. Postal Service – Peoria

1996 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – Abbott Park

Baxter Healthcare, Inc. Drug Delivery Plant – Round Lake
Case Corporation, East Moline Plant – East Moline
Central Illinois Light Company – Peoria
Chemical Industry Council of Illinois – Chicago
Chrysler Corporation – Belvidere
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
DuPage County Solid Waste Education Center – Carol Stream
Ethyl Petroleum Additives, Inc. – Sauget
General Electric – Cicero Plant
Harris Corporation, Broadcast Division – Quincy
Hevi-Duty Electric – Mount Vernon
Highland Supply Corporation – Highland
Honeywell Micro Switch Division – Freeport
Madison County Transit District – Granite City
Motorola IL02 Facility – Schaumburg
Navistar International Transportation Corporation – Melrose Park
Northwestern University Recycling Program – Evanston
Raymond Marquith Elementary School – East Galesburg
St. Clair County Health Department – Belleville
State Farm Insurance, Illinois Regional Office – Bloomington
Streator Township High School – Streator
Tenneco Packaging, Specialty Products – Jacksonville

1995 WINNERS

3M Cordova – Cordova
Amoco Chemical Co. – Joliet
Amoco Chemical Co. – Willow Springs
Caterpillar – East Peoria
Caterpillar Engine Center – Mossville
Central Illinois Light Company – Peoria
Chrysler Corporation – Belvidere
Commonwealth Edison – Chicago
Eaton Corporation – Rochelle
Elgin Community College – Elgin
Homeshield Fabricated Products – Chatsworth
Honeywell Micro Switch Division – Freeport
Motorola Lighting Inc. – Buffalo Grove
Stepan Company – Elwood
Tellabs Operations, Inc. – Bolingbrook
University of Illinois at Chicago – Chicago
UOP McCook Plant – McCook

1994 WINNERS

Amoco Chemical Company – Joliet
Argonne National Laboratory – Argonne
Central Illinois Light Company – Peoria

Chemical Industry Council of Illinois – Rosemont
Chrysler Corporation – Belvidere
Eichrom Industries, Inc. – Darien
Illini FS Inc. – Urbana
Medi-Physics, Inc. – Arlington Heights
Mobile Oil Refinery – Joliet
Motorola IL02 Facility – Schaumburg
Motorola Lighting Inc. – Buffalo Grove
Nichols-Homeshield – Chatsworth
Northwest Community Hospital – Arlington Heights
Olin Corporation – East Alton
Poly Environ Laboratory, Inc. – Alsip
Sundstrand Aerospace – Rockford
University of Illinois at Urbana – Champaign

1993 WINNERS

Arens Controls, Inc. – Evanston
Aurora Sanitary District – Oswego
Central States Education Center – Champaign
Chemical Industry Council of Illinois – Rosemont
Chicagoland Processing Corporation – Mt. Prospect
G.E. Plastics – Ottawa
Griffin Wheel Company – West Chicago
Harris Corporation, Broadcast Division – Quincy
Mobil Oil Corporation – Joliet
Motorola, Inc. – Libertyville
Nalco Chemical Company – Naperville
R. B. White, Inc. – Bloomington
Tellabs Operations, Inc. – Lisle
University of Illinois at Urbana – Champaign



1992 WINNERS

American Foundrymen's Society – Des Plaines
CCL Custom Manufacturing Inc. – Danville
Chemical Industry Council of Illinois – Rosemont
Chicagoland Processing Corp – Mount Prospect
Chrysler Corporation – Belvidere
DAP, Inc. – Rosemont
Eagle Wings Industries, Inc. – Rantoul
Eaton Corporation – Lincoln
First Brands Corporation – Alsip
Fluid Power Systems – Wheeling
Henry Pratt Company – Aurora
Hevi-Duty Electric – Mount Vernon
Imperial Bondware Corporation – Shelbyville
Interlakes Companies Inc. – Pontiac
Justrite Manufacturing – Mattoon
Marvel Group – Chicago
Motorola Inc. – Schaumburg
National Castings, Inc. – Melrose Park
Navistar International Transportation Corporation – Melrose Park
Nichols-Homeshield, Inc. – Chatsworth

North American Lighting, Inc. – Flora
Piatt County Farm Bureau – Monticello
Toppert Sales & Leasing, Ltd. – Hillsdale
Village of Rantoul – Rantoul

1991 WINNERS

Abbott Laboratories – Abbott Park
Advanced Filtration Systems, Inc. – Champaign
AGI Incorporated – Melrose Park
American Electroplaters Society, Chicago Branch – Chicago
Apollo Colors, Inc. – Rockdale
Aurora Sanitary District – Oswego
Caterpillar – East Peoria
Caterpillar – Pontiac
Chemical Industry Council of Illinois – Rosemont
Chicago Fire Brick Company – Chicago
Chicagoland Bicycle Federation – Chicago
First Brands Corporation – Alsip
Honeywell Inc. – Arlington Heights
Illinois Power Company – Decatur
Imperial Eastman – Niles
Kraft Food Ingredients – Champaign
Mobile Chemical Company – Joliet
Nalco Chemical Company – Naperville
Northwestern University – Evanston
Ozoteq, Inc. – Evanston
Stericycle, Inc. – Rolling Meadows
Streator Township High School – Streator
Sun Chemical Corporation – Chicago
Sun Chemical Corporation – Kankakee
Thermal Fluid Start, Inc. – Plainfield
Twinplex Manufacturing Company – Wood Dale

1990 WINNERS

BASF Corporation – Chicago
Caterpillar – Joliet
Four Star Tool, Inc. – Rosemont
Interlake Company, Inc. – Pontiac
Itel Rail Corporation – Danville
Motorola Inc. – Arlington Heights
Ohmite Manufacturing – Skokie
Searle & Company – Skokie
United Technologies Automotive – Wheeling
Wildlife Prairie Park – Hanna City

1989 WINNERS

Illinois Agricultural Association Employees Recreational Association – Bloomington

Industrial Waste Elimination Research Center of the Illinois Institute of Technology – Chicago
Johnson & Johnson Health Care Company – Lemont
Moline Paint Manufacturing Company – Moline

1988 WINNERS

Automotive Wholesalers of Illinois – Springfield
Borg Warner Chemicals Inc. – Ottawa
Illinois Benedictine College – Lisle
MPI Label Systems of Illinois, Inc. – University Park
Omni Circuits, Inc. – Glenview

1987 WINNERS

Continental/Midland, Inc. – Park Forest
General Motors Corporation, Central Foundry Division – Danville
Safety-Kleen Corporation – Elgin
Solvent Systems International, Inc. – West Dundee

INNOVATE ILLINOIS AWARD

2006 Caterpillar Mossville Engine Center – Mossville
2003 International Truck and Engine Corporation – Melrose Park
2002 Caterpillar Technical Services Division – Peoria
2001 Caterpillar Technical Services Division – Peoria

ILLINOIS SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGY AWARD WINNERS

2008 National Manufacturing – Rock Falls
2007 Colbert Packaging Corporation – Lake Forest
2007 Crown Cork & Seal Beverage Division – Kankakee

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environment and the
economy of Illinois.



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