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City engineer recognized as one of the best in the USA



David Miller

Branson Engineer David Miller has been selected as a 2009 Top Ten Public Works Leader of the Year by the American Public Works Association (APWA).

The award recognizes the outstanding career service achievements of individual public works professionals and officials in both the public and private sectors.

“Since its inception in 1960, the annual “Top Ten” award has become universally recognized in the profession and carries with it a level of prestige that distinguishes it as one of the highest level individual awards from our organization,” said Noel Thompson, APWA president.

The American Public Works Association, chartered in 1937, is an international educational and professional association of public agencies, private sector companies and individuals dedicated to providing high quality public works goods and services. It has a membership of 29,000 with headquarters in Kansas City and 64 chapters throughout North America.

Miller’s name is now counted among an elite group of public works professionals who have been recognized for excellence, and are the “best and brightest” leaders in the profession, according to Thompson.

“There is no greater honor than being recognized by your peers,” said Thompson. “APWA is pleased to acknowledge David’s success as a leader in the public works profession.”

A graduate of the University of Missouri with a degree in civil engineering, Miller has been the city of Branson’s engineer for the past 19 years and has been involved in more than \$550,000 million in

infrastructure projects like sewer, water, street and recreational. He lists as his most challenging, the Branson Landing and convention center developments.

A reception for Miller in honor of his national award will be held Monday, May 18, 1 p.m. in the second floor lobby at Branson City Hall.