



# RECOGNIZING THE GAME-CHANGERS AND TEAM PLAYERS

In the dynamic landscape of the natural gas industry, recognition is the key to inspiring innovation and celebrating excellence. The nomination period for the 2025 SGA Awards is open through April 4, 2025, and we're here to guide you through the straightforward process of putting your team in the spotlight.

## Why Nominate?

- 1. Get National Recognition:** An SGA Award isn't just an accolade; it's a powerful marketing tool. Being shortlisted or winning can significantly improve brand awareness and open doors to new contracts, supply channels, and markets.
- 2. Benchmarking:** The application process prompts a fresh perspective, allowing you to benchmark your business against peers. Highlight your unique standing in the industry—whether through innovation, diversity, growth, customer service, or strategic thinking.
- 3. Increased Credibility:** A win, shortlisting, or nomination serves as a third-party endorsement. It signifies quality to potential customers and strengthens relationships with suppliers. Differentiate your company and send positive signals to customers.
- 4. Employee Motivation:** SGA Awards recognize hard work, boosting staff morale and motivation. Employees become proud contributors to a company celebrated for its greatness. Attend the awards ceremony for a morale boost and networking opportunities.
- 5. Attract Talent:** An SGA Award enhances your hiring stature, validating your initiatives and making your company more attractive to top talent. Recognized excellence and increased morale retain current employees and attract new recruits.

## ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS UNTIL APRIL 4

### The Easy Nomination Process

- 1. Choose Your Category:** Select from seven categories, ranging from Emergency Management to Engineering Innovation, finding the perfect fit for your team's accomplishments.
- 2. Gather Your Materials:** Compile a summary of your team's achievements, highlighting the impact on your organization and the industry.
- 3. Submit Your Nomination:** Visit the SGA Awards page and follow the user-friendly nomination form. It only takes a few minutes to share your team's success story.

### Next Step

Go to [southerngas.org/sga-awards](https://southerngas.org/sga-awards) to learn more and submit your nomination today.



# WHAT ARE THE CATEGORIES?

## CHAIR'S RISING LEADER

Recognizing an exceptional early or mid-career individual who has demonstrated exemplary leadership and commitment as an industry leader.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Recognizing companies who go the extra mile in service and outreach to their communities.



## CORPORATE COMMUNICATION

Recognizing companies whose communications response improves corporate effectiveness.

## EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Recognizing successes in emergency management response.



## ENGINEERING INNOVATION

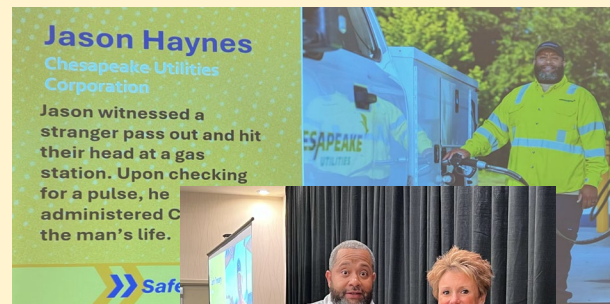
Recognizing individuals or workgroups who have developed innovative processes or programs.

## ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL & GOVERNANCE

Recognizing companies leading the charge to accelerate ESG and deliver quantifiable results.

## SAFETY & HEALTH

Recognizing companies whose safety and health initiatives have benefited employee and customer well-being.



## MERITORIOUS ACTION

Recognizing individuals who have displayed courageous actions to save or attempt to save lives.