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## Special Awards Eligibility

**Purpose:** To establish when it is appropriate for employees or officers of the Corporation to receive NCWM Special Awards.

**Background:** The NCWM Special Awards were established and implemented in 2010. Several years later, an employee of NCWM was nominated to receive one of these awards. The employee requested removal from the list of nominees, stating that it may be inappropriate as an employee to be considered eligible. The Board of Directors expanded the discussion regarding their own eligibility as long as they are sitting officers of the corporation. It could be deemed self-serving for members of the Board to approve their own selections for the prestigious awards. Without dissention, among the Board of Directors, the following policy is established.

### Policy:

1. NCWM Employees: Employees of the corporation shall be ineligible to receive NCWM Special Awards for as long as they remain employed.
2. NCWM Officers: Elected officers of the Corporation shall be ineligible to receive NCWM Special Awards for as long as they remain in their elected office.
3. Contractors: Individuals under contract to provide services to NCWM or who work for a company that is under contract to provide services to NCWM shall be eligible.