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Clarkdale Town Manager Gayle Mabery Receives Statewide Professional Excellence Award

Clarkdale, AZ (February 10, 2016) During last week's awards banquet at the Arizona City/County Management Association's (ACMA) annual Winter Conference in Sedona, Clarkdale Town Manager Gayle Mabery received the ACMA's 2016 John J. "Jack" DeBolske Award for Professional Excellence. The award recognizes City/County Managers who demonstrate the highest level of professional excellence in local government and who have made life contributions to furthering the city management profession. It is the highest honor ACMA bestows upon a member.

Created in 1997, the award is given to one City/County Manager per year. Ms. Mabery is the 19th recipient of the award and only the 4th recipient outside of the greater Phoenix area. Among other criteria, recipients must have served a minimum of 10 years as a professional local government manager, must display integrity and leadership must have the respect and confidence of their peers in the profession, must demonstrate social responsibility to his/her community and fellow human beings, and must demonstrate support for the well-being and growth of other professionals and those aspiring to careers in local government.

The Arizona City/County Management Association was established in 1954. It is a non-profit, professional organization dedicated to increasing the knowledge and ability of city, town, and county managers, as well as other local government administrators and to strengthen the quality of local government in the State of Arizona through professional management, education, training, and the mutual exchange of information.



ACMA President Nicole Lance (Deputy City Manager, Surprise, AZ) and Clarkdale Town Manager Gayle Mabery