

Mott Award for Innovation

William Penn Mott Jr. (1909 – 1992)

Purpose: The Mott Award is for Parks professionals who find new and exciting ways to respond to change and accomplish our mission.

Who's Eligible: All teams and career employees.

Who can nominate: All State Parks employees.

Nomination criteria: Demonstrated ability to get things done despite budgetary, political and other constraints by means of unusual creativity, inventiveness and innovation.

Nominations accepted until December 31 for 2007 accomplishments.

See the State Parks Intranet site for more details about the award and for nomination forms. Click on Document Library link.

http://isearch.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page_id=760

Director's Recognition Awards Program



Past Examples of Mott Award Nominations

- Created the first ever State Parks archeological site stewardship program.
- Invented new first responder equipment and improved procedures for remote area emergencies.
- Developed a State Parks interpretive program for the local community.
- Adopted a watershed program using grant funds to enhance natural resource management.
- Implemented an ADA survey team that exceeded first year goals in response to outside mandate with no identified funding source.