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COMMUNITY & SOCIAL SUSTAINABILITY AWARD



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AWARD

The award will be presented to the company who, in the opinion of the judges, has shown a high level of relationships with their local community and have made significant effort to minimise community concerns regarding the company's activities, thereby contributing to the ongoing social sustainability of aggregate production.

The winner will receive a cheque for \$3000.

AIM

To encourage companies of the aggregate & quarry industry to establish and promote excellent relationships with their communities.

SCOPE

- The scope of the award is for the year 1 April 2008 to 31 March 2009
- The award is open to entries of any type. Entries should describe the actions taken by the company to work with their community during the period, and the results that have been achieved the state of relationships that currently exist.

ELIGIBILITY

Any member company or employee of a member company of the Aggregate & Quarry Association may enter.

JUDGING CRITERIA

- What are the state of relationships currently between the company and the community?
- What specific actions have been taken to achieve this?
- Is the action one off to meet a particular issue such as planning consents?
- Is there an ongoing programme of community relations?
- Do community relations feature in the company's structure with a person being made responsible for this activity?

HOW TO ENTER

Applications must be in writing and endorsed by the general manager of the member company.

Two copies of the application must be included.

The application must provide:

- Details of the applicant.
- Because it may not be possible for the judges to visit an applicant's site, judging could be influenced by the quality of the presentation. We recommend that presentations should include supporting material such as video, photographs, news reports, publicity material etc, to help the judges accurately assess the quality, quantity and duration of the activities.

APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO:

The Executive Director,
Aggregate & Quarry Association of NZ Inc.

Postal:
PO Box 32019, Maungaraki, Lower Hutt 5050

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11 Wisteria Grove, Maungaraki, Lower Hutt 5010

Applications must be received by the Executive Director no later than close of business on 2 June 2009.

A minimum of *two* copies is required

The judges would appreciate early registration of interest from member companies.

The winner will be announced at the 2009 IoQ and AQA joint quarry conference in Invercargill in July 2009.

