



RON WAGONER Retires from City of Lakewood – After **50 YEARS** with the City of Lakewood, Ron Wagoner, a pillar of the Public Works community, finally retires!

Ron Wagoner was the City of Lakewood’s Public Works maintenance supervisor, and when he retired, he acquired the prestigious title as the longest-tenured city staff member – dedicating 50 years to Lakewood! Many people would agree that Ron was one of the kindest people you ever had the pleasure to meet – a friend to everyone. (Even when he beat you in Horseshoes!)

LTAP Director, Renée Railsback (one of Ron’s fierce horseshoe opponents), had the pleasure of working with Ron on APWA’s CO Association for Roadway Maintenance Committee (CARMA). In this photo, Ron Wagoner was presented with a Lifetime Achievement Award for his continued service on the CARMA Board of Directors. When CARMA was founded in 1993, Ron was the first Vice-President and served 4-years with President Jerry Pickett. When Ron took over the Presidency in 1997, Jerry commented, “CARMA continues to grow by leaps and bounds...I know Ron will do an excellent job in helping to guide CARMA in a positive direction.” Everyone would agree - he has! Ron served on the CARMA Board of Directors until 2002 and continued working on the Street Conference Committee until 2012.