

RED BALL EXPRESS AWARD

Organization: National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA)
Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division

Subject: NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division award for exceptional contributions in the Tactical Wheeled Vehicle community

1. Purpose. In recognition of superb contributions to Tactical Wheeled Vehicles, the National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA) and public leadership or achievement that results in significant contributions to the development, introduction or support of Tactical Wheeled Vehicles. The recipient must have made significant contributions that have led to the strengthening of our national security by developing or procuring Tactical Wheeled Vehicles or critical technologies that contribute to the same.

2. Policy. It is the policy of the NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division to recognize those achievements by relevant government or industry organizations or individuals that are particularly noteworthy to the Tactical Wheeled Vehicle community.

3. Procedures.

a. The NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division will solicit nominations for the Red Ball Express award during the spring of the year.

b. Individuals or organizations can be nominated by members of the division, other industry members, or government officials.

c. Nominations will be limited to two pages, naming the organization/individual and describing its achievement. The period covered will be from March the previous year to March of the current year. Deadline for submission will be September 1.

d. Nominations will be sent to the vice chairman of the NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division, who will serve as the award chairman. The Vice Chairman will provide a report and a recommendation to the division before the end of October.

e. The division will notify the chain of command of the selected individual/organization before announcing the winner.

f. The award will be presented at the NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Conference, which is normally scheduled in early February.

g. If the committee deems none of the nominees justify receipt of the award, or if there are no nominees in a given year, the award will not be presented.

4. Award. The Red Ball Express award will consist of a NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicle citation and a NDIA silver medal suitably engraved.