Colorado State Forest Service Recognizes Fort Collins Resident as “Volunteer of the Year”

FORT COLLINS, Colo. - The Colorado State Forest Service last night recognized a Fort Collins resident as the “Volunteer of the Year” at its annual staff meeting and awards banquet at the Fort Collins Marriott. Rich Stave is receiving the award for his outstanding contribution as a volunteer to CSFS programs and events.

For two years running, Stave has logged more hours volunteering for CSFS programs than any other individual. In 2013, Stave volunteered for more than 60 hours, spread across eight events.

“We frequently depend on Rich at our events to lead tree chipping operations, where he often shows up early and stays late,” said Jamie Dahl, CSFS experiential learning coordinator, who nominated Stave. “He shines as a volunteer leader, and performs well beyond what could ever be expected.”

The Colorado State Forest Service recognizes two or more Colorado residents each year at its annual staff banquet. For more information on how you can get involved with CSFS volunteer events or programs, visit csfs.colostate.edu and click on “Volunteer!”

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