Rondle Anderson Receives Indiana Correctional Association Distinguished Service Award

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Letter of Nomination

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TO: Executive Committee
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FROM: Michael T. Scott, President
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RE: Distinguished Service Award – Rondle Anderson

It is with extreme pleasure I offer my letter of nomination for Mr. Rondle Anderson to receive the Indiana Correctional Association’s highest honor, the Distinguished Service Award for 2005.

Having known and worked with Ron for many years both as employees of the Indiana Department of Correction and as members of the Indiana Correctional Association, I most assuredly can attest to his worthiness of this esteemed honor.

Ron is a fellow Criminal Justice major and graduate of Indiana University at Bloomington.

Ron’s corrections career is extensive and well rounded having served in a number of DOC capacities including correctional officer, youth group leader, casework manager, unit team manager, superintendent, and director of juvenile services, and at a number of DOC facilities including the Indiana Youth Center, Indianapolis Men’s Work Release Center, Rockville Training Center, Branchville
Ron has been a member of the Indiana Correctional Association since 1981 and is a life member. He has served our Association in a number of capacities including Leadership Development Chair, Conference Chair, Vice President/President Elect in 2001, President in 2002 and Chairman of the Board in 2003. He continues serving today on the ICA Board of Directors as Leadership Development Chair.

Ron has dedicated his professional career to helping improve both the corrections profession as well as our Association in ways that matter so others that follow will have an easier trail to pursue.

I am pleased and honored to present the nomination of Mr. Rondle Anderson for your consideration to receive the Indiana Correctional Association’s 2005 Distinguished Service Award.
support, Superintendent Curt Correll of Plainfield Juvenile Correctional Facility wrote, “Correctional Professionals should model themselves to work with the same zeal Rondle so gracefully puts on display daily in everything he does. He inspires people to do their best. He constantly challenges staff to improve personally and professionally. He is a true man of character, who is himself humbled if necessity compels him to humble another.” In his letter of nomination, John Mulroony wrote, “Throughout his lengthy tenure with ICA, Rondle has been an enthusiastic supporter and active leader in the areas of reuniting all facets of Criminal Justice Organizations and Agencies; Providing quality educational opportunities to the ICA Membership; Developing mentoring standards to preserve our youth; and Enhancing ICA diversity as an organization. Rondle has led by example and has set the standards for other members of ICA to attempt to live up to…” In his letter of support Dave Uberto states, “Rondle’s breadth of experience is second to none in the department. He has literally given of himself professionally from one end of the state to the other with a few stops in between and has left each one a much better place because of his presence. Webster defines “Consummate as ‘Complete in every respect.’ As I look at Rondle Anderson and his lengthy and successful career, I truly believe he represents the Consummate Corrections Professional.”

It is now my great honor on behalf of John, Dave, and Curt and our full association to present the ICA Distinguished Service Award to Mr. Rondle Anderson.

**About The Department of Correction**

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