

STATE OF WISCONSIN
MERIT AWARD BOARD MEETING
June 24, 1971

Present: C. K. Wettengel, Chairman
R. W. Curley, Coordinator

Absent: Roy Kubista
LeRoy Luberg

ADMINISTRATION

Harry Fisker ---- REJECT

Thomas Louden ---- REJECT

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF WISCONSIN

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LIBRARY

HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

James E. Schlundt ---- Certificate of Commendation - Department
Winnebago
Institution Aid II
Suggested furnishing color coded children's socks (each size in a different
color) to save sorting, matching time, and lost socks.

Audrey Henneman ---- \$30 - Department
Northern Colony
Institution Aid II
Clarence Hakes ---- \$30 - Department
Northern Colony
Institution Aid III

Suggested glueing webbed belting strips to the bottom of rocking chairs.
The strips prevent splintering of rockers as well as wasted time in caring
for floors.

Robert Leff ---- REJECT

Robert J. Bulik ---- \$25 - Department
Southern Colony
Teacher II

Remodeled the present walker to take care of special patient needs, making use
of unused walkers.

Harvey Priem ---- \$25 - Department
Corrections
Guard Officer II

Suggested an improved and safer method for putting on locker door hinges.

Nancy Barchus ---- HOLD

Hazel Keisow ---- REJECT

Clayton Jasper ---- \$15 - Department
Northern Colony
B. M. H. 3

Suggested installing door stops at the entrance doors to the Education Center
to avoid having to repair the door and prevent injury.

Wallace Foiles ---- \$35 - Department
Northern Colony
Institution Aid II

Suggested installing hardware cloth on the cooling tower of the air conditioning
unit to prevent stones from being thrown out and injuring someone.

HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES cont...

Eleanor Wolf ----- HOLD

TOTAL: Certificates of Commendation - 1
Certificates of Award - 6

MILITARY AFFAIRS

Eugene J. Zalewski ----- \$25 - Department
Power Plant Equipment Operator
Devised a steel jack plate for the changing of seals on high temperature circulating pumps to save time and material on each repair.

TOTAL: Certificate of Award - 1

NATURAL RESOURCES

Roger Reif ----- Certificate of Commendation - Department
Naturalist
Suggested a guard be placed behind the front seat of state vans to protect the driver from injury by equipment carried in the back.

TOTAL: Certificate of Commendation - 1

REVENUE

Eugene Fitzgerald ----- \$100 - Governor
Administrative Assistant
Designed a bookshelf to be inserted in front of single or double pedestal desks to provide additional storage space for reference material.

Robert G. Stauss ----- Certificate of Commendation - Department
Tax Representative III
Suggested an improvement in the layout of forms S-114, S-114A and W-117 (taxpayer's copies) so they could be used for filling purposes if original is lost or damaged.

TOTAL: Certificates of Commendation - 1
Certificates of Award - 1

TRANSPORTATION

HIGHWAYS

Milton Schroeter ----- \$150 - Governor
Civil Engineer 5
Designed a mailing sack for heavy pieces of material which is effective for mailing; contents do not become damaged and time is saved in shipping preparation.

MOTOR VEHICLES

F. E. McNalley ----- \$25 - Department
Communications Technician
Suggested the use of outmoded mountings for cable carrier of racks for safety in transporting these huge reels of cable plus making it easier to take the cable off the reel as needed.

MOTOR VEHICLES cont...

Melvorn Bankes ---- \$35 - Department
Police Communications Operator III
Revised a communications form and filing system at the State Patrol Relay Center
that saves on clerical time and printing costs.

TOTAL: Certificates of Award - 3.

WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITIES

Cornelius Paulus ---- \$40 - Department
Power Plant Superintendent II

James Angelo -- Raymond Plagge - James Summers ---- \$20@ - Department
Power Plant Operator I

These four people, in a combined effort, designed, built, and installed a dribble
coal reclaim elevator in the New Heating Plant at the Superior State University to
eliminate free coal dust causing an almost impossible cleaning problem.

Margaret Ritter ---- \$25 - Department

La Crosse
Cashier I

Developed an installment plan whereby the payment be computed to the next highest
dollar, having the pennies added at the final payment to close the account evenly
and reduce the chance of errors.

Mrs. Gloria Budik ---- HOLD

Donald Juen ---- \$35 - Department

La Crosse
B. M. H. 2

Suggested attaching a safety chain on basketball backboards to insure more safety
to the audience sitting below the backboards.

Charles C. Gartner ---- \$25 - Department

La Crosse
Power Plant Superintendent II

Designed a pigeon hole cabinet for fuses for electric motors, to save time in locating
the fuse and maintain adequate inventory.

Sandra Lee O'Neill ---- Certificate of Commendation - Department

WSU - Oshkosh
Typist II

Suggested the State of Wisconsin use recycled paper for all its correspondence for
ecology purposes

Joseph Phillips ---- Certificate of Commendation - Department

WSU - Stevens Point
Maintenance Mechanic

Designed and fabricated a metal frame to attach portable T.V.'s to walls of dormitory
lounges to prevent breakage and theft.

Evelyn Buss ---- Certificate of Commendation - Department

Stout
Cook I

Suggested installing an electrical outlet for can opener near the steam kettles in
the kitchen of Stout State University for opening large vegetable cans.

WISCONSIN STATE UNIVERSITIES cont...

Kenneth Kartman ----- HOLD

Bernard Hegenbarth -- Charles C. Gartner -- Larry Lokken -- Lyle Quall
Truman Thrower -- Gene Hammes -- Bill Ray -- Alfred Gerke
WSU - LaCrosse

These eight men will each be receiving \$25 for their combined effort in installing two belts to replace a metal dragging apron chain to deliver coal to the two boilers reducing both maintenance and breakdowns.

Ruth Knutson ----- Certificate of Commendation - Department
Steno II

Barbara Guertler ----- Certificate of Commendation - Department
WSU - LaCrosse

Divided the mail boxes at the University by department and further identified them by a color code system making for more efficient mail distribution.

TOTAL: Certificates of Commendation - 5
Certificates of Award - 15

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - MILWAUKEE

Patty L. Anderson ----- \$35 - Department
Educational Services Assistant

Devised a new system of job notification distribution which speeds up delivery of notification lists and saves money on postage and envelopes.

TOTAL: Certificate of Award - 1

FISCAL NOTE:

Total After Last Meeting (May 12) . . .	\$1,673.75
Cash Awards - (27)	915.00
Certificates of Commendation - (8)	
Total amount of Cash Awards for Fiscal Year	<u>3,835.00</u>
BALANCE	\$ 758.75