

## **Ball Aerospace Honors 22 Employees for Excellence**

### **Ball Aerospace awarded 22 employees for their outstanding performance at the business' annual Go Beyond® Excellence Awards Banquet**

BOULDER, Colo., March 28, 2019 — Ball Aerospace has recognized 22 employees for outstanding contributions to the business and its customers – and for their commitment, dedication, collaboration and execution in 2018. The Ball Aerospace Go Beyond® Excellence Awards are presented annually to employees who are nominated by their peers.

“The Go Beyond® Excellence Awards are one of the top honors within our business,” said Rob Strain, president of Ball Aerospace. “Each recipient’s integrity, leadership and unwavering support of our customers’ missions embody Ball’s culture, and, thanks to these incredible efforts, Ball continues to build trust and deliver solid performance on behalf of our customers and our nation.”

In addition to honoring our employees with Excellence Awards, two prestigious awards were given: the Gabe Award, which recognizes the professional efforts of an individual who has enhanced the company's competitiveness while producing an exemplary body of work; and the Follett award, which recognizes continuous outstanding contributions in a technical engineering field.

This year’s award winners comprise the following recipients:

**Gabe Award:** Karen McConnell – Director, Engineering  
**Follett Award:** Erik Wilkinson – Senior Staff Consultant  
Phil Coppola – Senior Technical Specialist, Electrical  
Jeremy Davis – Technical Specialist, Test  
Jeanette Domber – Program Manager  
Ken Eastman – Senior Project Engineer, Systems  
Ian Gravseth – Staff Consultant, Systems  
Jeffrey Irtenkauf – Intelligence Analyst  
Trent Jacobs – Senior Engineer, Electrical  
Asna Jefferies – Senior Manager, Human Resources  
Bruce Lemoine – Principal Technical Specialist, Mechanical  
Liz Leritz – Staff Consultant, Mechanical  
Michael McErlane – Principal Engineer, Radio Frequency (RF)/Microwave Design  
Eli Minson – Staff Consultant, Mission Assurance  
Nason Newberg – Principal Engineer, RF/Microwave Design  
Ileana Newhall – Principal Engineer, RF/Microwave Design  
Mike Ramirez – Technical Specialist, RF  
Rob Shields – Engineering Manager  
Jennifer Streets – Senior Specialist, Contracts  
Chris Van Noordt – Cyber Security Professional  
Matt Verbeke – Senior Engineer, Systems  
Casey Waggy – Senior Engineer, Systems

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