CITY OF GILLETTE Quarterly Employee Recognition

P.R.I.D.E. AWARD

On behalf of the Employee Recognition Committee and the employees of the City of Gillette, we are proud to announce Plans Examiner, Kenton Hall, as the recipient of the *P.R.I.D.E.* Award for the 4th Quarter of 2013.

Kenton was nominated by his peers due to his outstanding commitment to the City of Gillette, and selected based on his ability to exemplify the City's core values: *P*roductivity, *R*esponsibility, *I*ntegrity, *D*edication, and *E*nthusiasm.

When concerning the building plan review phase of the Building Division, Kenton's role is often performed "out-of sight" and "out-of-mind". However, the implication of the level of responsibility utilized in the performance of these reviews are at the forefront of the success or failure of the construction and the safety and well-being of the general public that utilize the proposed structure. Kenton's integrity toward his position with the City goes over and above that which would be normally be expected for a position of similar scope.

Kenton takes a great deal of sincerity in owning the responsibilities of his position with the City. With the breadth and depth of knowledge of an immense number of building codes that is necessary to accomplish building plan reviews for compliance, Kenton's recent achievement of certification as a Master Code Professional (MCP) through the International Code Council (ICC) not only demonstrates his high level of responsibility towards his position, but also his willingness to be part of a team effort in assuring the highest level of service.

This past October, his culmination of the 19 different levels of ICC certifications ultimately resulted in his lone status in the state of Wyoming as an ICC Master Code Professional (MCP). MCP is the highest level of certification the ICC offers and is also fully recognized by the Board of International Professional Standards. To be the only individual in the state and to be one of just over 700 people in the entire nation with this prestigious designation takes a certain amount of persistence and a level of dedication that you won't typically find in your average person. Kenton's achievement was also published in a national online journal, *Building Safety Journal Online*, with the article title "Striking MCP Gold in Wyoming".

It is the extra effort and attentive detail that Kenton gives to his position on a regular basis, and his most recent achievements in assuring that he is at the top of his game that makes Kenton noteworthy for the quarterly PRIDE Award. The Employee Recognition Committee would like to congratulate him on being selected for the *P.R.I.D.E* Award for the 4th Quarter of 2013.