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This instruction establishes the McChord AFB Safety Awards Program. The goal of the program is to recognize units and individuals who have made outstanding contributions to the ground, flight and weapons safety programs. The Safety Awards Program applies to all units assigned to McChord AFB.

SUMMARY OF REVISIONS

Paragraphs 3.1.2.1. - 3.1.2.4., 3.1.3., 3.2.3., 3.3.2.1. - 3.3.2.4., 3.3.3., and all references to AF Form 1206, Nomination for Award, have been deleted. A “i” indicates revised material since the last edition.

1. General. As part of the 62d Airlift Wing (62 AW) Safety Program, awards are presented to recognize outstanding safety acts or achievements. To ensure that deserving persons and organizations are considered for these awards, commanders should publicize the awards and review achievements often. Commanders are also encouraged to develop and establish complementing incentive systems to supplement the 62 AW Safety Awards Program.

2. Administrative Procedures.

2.1. Submit a letter nominating the individual or group signed by the squadron commander or equivalent. Any supporting data

will be sent with the nominations. Wing Safety will send a letter to commanders and first sergeants each quarter with the suspense date for nomination letters.

2.2. Nominations for Safety awards, as outlined below, will be sent to 62 AW/SE through their respective squadron commander.

2.3. Commanders may nominate their personnel or unit for more than one category, but separate nominations are required.

3. Quarterly Safety Awards.

3.1. Ground Safety Award. This award will be presented to the individual or unit making the most significant contribution to McChord AFB's Ground Safety Program.

3.1.1. Eligibility. All personnel and units assigned to McChord AFB may be nominated.

3.1.2. Selection Criteria. Personnel/units are selected based upon achievements and contributions to the 62 AW Ground Safety Program. Unit commanders may nominate any individual or unit that has made the best contribution to ground safety within the unit.

3.2. Flight Safety Award. This award will be presented to the individual, unit or crew making outstanding contributions to the flying mishap prevention and hazards reduction programs at McChord AFB.

3.2.1. Eligibility. All personnel and units assigned to McChord AFB may be nominated.

3.2.2. Selection Criteria. Selections are based on individual/unit accomplishments in safety education, hazard reporting and contributions to the safe operations and recovery of McChord AFB aircraft and crews.

3.3. Weapons Safety Award. This award is presented to individual or unit assigned to McChord AFB who have made significant contributions to the Wing's Weapons Safety Program.

3.3.1. Eligibility. All personnel and units assigned to McChord AFB may be nominated.

3.3.2. Selection Criteria. Personnel/units are selected based upon achievements and contributions to the 62 AW Weapons Safety Program. Unit commanders may nominate any individual or unit who made the best contribution to weapons safety within the unit.

3.4. Presentations. All quarterly award winners will be recognized at the quarterly AFOSH Council meeting. Commanders may nominate any individual or crew who made the best contribution to flight safety within the unit.

4. Annual Awards. Annual Air Mobility Command and Air Force safety award nomination procedures will be announced by Wing Safety each year.

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