



Trucking Association of New York 2024 Golden Wrench Award Nomination Form

The distinguished Golden Wrench Award is presented by the TANY Safety Council to honor the best heavy vehicle technicians in New York State. It was established to recognize the outstanding efforts, achievements and contributions of those who work behind-the-scenes to ensure commercial motor vehicles are safe on the road. Member companies may nominate technicians they feel exemplify professionalism, a commitment to safety, and who set an example for others both within and outside of the industry.

Candidate Qualifications

Each candidate must:

- Be employed by a company within the membership of TANY
- Be a New York State resident employed at a New York State business location
- Have at least two years of full-time employment as a heavy vehicle tech with present employer
- Have a job attendance record with fewer than two days of unexcused absences in 2024
- Have an accident-free workplace record in 2024

How It Works

The top five technicians from throughout New York State are selected as finalists who are then invited to attend the Awards Ceremony with a guest on Saturday, June 7, 2025 in Syracuse, NY, where one will be announced as the Statewide Golden Wrench Award winner.*

Finalists will receive an award and a \$100 cash prize. The statewide winner will receive an award, a \$500 cash prize, and will be invited to attend the Annual Management Conference with a guest where they will be honored at the recognition banquet. A complimentary hotel room for two nights and registration for two people to the conference will be provided.

Publicity for all finalists will include press releases distributed to media in both the submitting company and technician's town or city, acknowledgment on TANY's social media platforms, and in both the member-only weekly *Friday Final* newsletter and quarterly *Milepost* magazine.

** Any applicant who has won the statewide title within the past two years is not eligible to win but can still qualify as a finalist.*

For more information, contact:

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Submission deadline: April 11, 2025

To Submit:

Option 1: Complete Online submission at <https://forms.office.com/r/ZDsXfgAWAv>

Option 2: Email this completed form and all required documentation to kcrandall@nytrucks.org



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Technician's Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Company Name: _____ Terminal Location: _____

Company Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Company Officer _____ Title: _____

Company Officer Email: _____ Phone: _____

WORK INFORMATION:

Number of Years as Technician: _____ Years with Present Employer: _____

CDL License: Yes* No

Inspectors License: Yes* No

**Provide copy of CDL and/or Inspectors License*

Number of 2024 Absences	Number of 2024 Absences
Excused: _____	Preventable: _____
Unexcused: _____	Unpreventable: _____

Additional Information (Use additional paper if necessary. Copies of certificates and licenses must accompany application, as well as documentation that training courses meet the 8 hour minimum.)
NOTE: Letter(s) of recommendation required and must be submitted.

Has candidate competed in the TANY SuperTech Competition? Yes No

ASE Certification Areas: _____

Equivalent Training: _____

Awards and Recognition: _____

Community Service and Hobbies: _____

Certification: All of the information submitted is accurate and true to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Company Official _____ Date _____ Signature of Technician _____ Date _____

Applications due by April 11, 2025