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DR. WILLIAM G. TEETER RECEIVES THE ASSOCIATION OF FOOD AND DRUG OFFICIALS (AFDO) HARVEY W. WILEY AWARD

International Honor for Exemplary Success and Leadership in Food Safety



(Left) Mr. Steingart, Wiley Chair;
(Right) Dr. Teeter, Recipient

Burlington, Vermont – Dr. William Teeter was awarded the Harvey W. Wiley Award at the 122nd AFDO Annual Educational Conference on June 12, 2018.

The Harvey W. Wiley Award is AFDO's most prestigious award. It is presented to a regular or honorary member for exceptional service to the state or nation in the performance of duties and responsibilities in the administration and enforcement of food and drug law or consumer protection laws and demonstrated promotion of the objectives of the Association.

The award recipient is determined by the Wiley Award Subcommittee which consists of past winners of this award and is chaired by the most recent recipient.

Dr. William G. Teeter retired in 2013 as the Executive Director of Ontario Operations, Canadian Food Inspection Agency where he was responsible for the operational delivery of all 14 CFIA programs. During his nearly 33-year career with the current Canadian Food Inspection Agency (formerly Agriculture Canada). Dr. Teeter attended the University of Guelph and then the Ontario Veterinary College where he graduated with a Doctorate in Veterinary Medicine.

Dr. Teeter served on both the AFDO Board of Directors and NEFDOA Board of Directors as the CFIA Advisor. Over the past nine years he had been a regular conference speaker, contributor and supporter of AFDO, NEFDOA, CASA and NCAFDO. In 2009, Dr. Teeter was the recipient of the Northeast Food and Drug Officials Association's prestigious Eaton E. Smith Award. In 2013, Dr. Teeter was the recipient of AFDO's Presidents Award for his leadership and contributions to AFDO as an AFDO Board member. Dr. Teeter was made an Honorary Member of AFDO in 2015.

About the Association of Food and Drug Officials:

The Association of Food and Drug Officials (AFDO), established in 1896, successfully fosters uniformity in the adoption and enforcement of science-based food, drug, medical devices, cosmetics and product safety laws, rules, and regulations. AFDO and its six Regional Affiliates provide the mechanism and the forum where regional, national and international issues are deliberated and resolved to uniformly provide the best public health and consumer protection in the most expeditious and cost effective manner.

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