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Lundelius and Wilkins Elected as IHMM Fellows of the Institute

Rockville, Maryland (28 October 2013) – The IHMM Board of Directors elected Diana L. Lundelius, CHMM and Ronald P. Wilkins, CHMM as Fellows of the Institute at the September 2013 quarterly board meeting.

“It’s excellent to give this award to two individuals committed to advancing the hazardous materials profession,” said Allison A. King, Chair of the IHMM Board of Directors. “IHMM is proud to recognize Diana’s and Ron’s vast contributions to and in support of IHMM’s credentials.”

Ms. Lundelius is currently an environmental scientist and air program enforcement officer for USEPA Region 6 in Dallas, Texas. Her efforts particularly went into elevating the value, importance and recognition of the CHMM credential nationwide by continually promoting it through networking and professional organizations. Diana’s most recent accomplishments include AHMP/ACHMM’s 2008 Hazardous Materials Manager of the Year as well as serving as a chapter peer reviewer for the AHMP Hazardous Materials Management Desk Reference 3rd Edition.

Mr. Wilkins is currently a senior environmental, health and safety compliance manager for RSR Corporation in Dallas, Texas. His efforts went into advancing the value, importance, and recognition of the hazardous materials management profession through pioneering and negotiating key recycling agreements for the state of Texas. Ronald’s most recent accomplishments include participating in and writing a section of the new manual of the Chapter Guidance Manual Task Group as well as receiving ACHMM’s 2006 and 2003 Manager of the Year Award.

Together Diana’s and Ron’s accomplishments include over 55 years of experience and involvement in the hazardous materials profession. With this award, Ms. Lundelius and Mr. Wilkins are acknowledged for their years of outstanding contributions and service to their professions, and for their diligence in the promotion of the CHMM credential and program.

About the Institute of Hazardous Materials Management

For over 25 years the Institute of Hazardous Materials Management, a not-for-profit organization founded in 1984, has been protecting the environment and the public’s health, safety, and security through the administration of credentials recognizing professionals who have demonstrated a high level of knowledge, expertise, and excellence in the management of hazardous materials.

Over 16,000 homeland security, environmental protection, engineering, health sciences, transportation, and public safety professionals have earned IHMM’s accredited Certified Hazardous Materials Manager credential. IHMM also administers the Certified Hazardous Materials Practitioner credential and the Hazardous Materials Manager-in-Training program.

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