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William A. Murray P.E. Ret.
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Dear Mr. Murray,

I am enclosing the La Crosse Area Chapter's 25th entry for the Gold Ribbon and Lou Flagg Award. The La Crosse Area Chapter, 115, is pleased to submit the history of a person. That Chapter is the La Crosse Area ASHRAE Chapter.

The person is Lee Burgett, P.E. Past President of ASHRAE for 2005-2006 and currently a consultant to Trane, a Business of American Standard and others.

Thank you.

James M. Ritter, P.E.
Chapter Historian
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History of a Person

Lee Burgett, P.E.

Lee Burgett, P.E., Fellow ASHRAE, engineering consultant, completed his secondary education at East Grand Rapids (Michigan) in 1957, and received his bachelors of science in 1961 and his master's of science in mechanical engineering in 1962 from Michigan State University and his master's in business administration from the University of Wisconsin in 1972.

He is an ASHRAE Distinguished Service Award recipient.

He is also active in a number of related industry organizations, including the U.S. Green Building Council, the Canadian Standards Association, Underwriters Laboratories Inc., The Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

He served on the ASHRAE Board as president-elect, treasurer, vice president and director-at-large. He was chair of the Finance Committee, Members Council, the Board Policy Committee for Standards, the Standards Committee, the presidential ad hoc committee on health impacts in standards, Technology Council, and Publishing and Education Council.

Burgett was installed as president of the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) at its 2005 Annual Meeting held in Denver, CO on June 25-29. As ASHRAE's president Burgett directs the Society's Board of Directors and oversees the Executive Committee. During his term, he is focusing on ASHRAE technology including standards development, support of research and technical activities aimed at disseminating information and educating its membership.

Burgett serves as consultant to Trane, a business of American Standard Companies, and others, following his retirement from Trane as vice president-new ventures. He resides in La Crosse, WI.