
The awards fall into three main categories:

**COTE Exemplar Awards** recognize individuals or groups with significant accomplishments promoting the sustainable use of natural resources or the protection of ecological systems.

Individuals who have a record of continual significant achievements are further recognized by the awarding of a "COTE Exemplar Lifetime Achievement Award".

**COTE Green Initiative Awards** recognize everyday activities, decisions or contributions that help to move Ball State University (and its near-surround community) toward sustainability. Their purpose is to reward discrete contributions rather than a history of multiple accomplishments.

**COTE Service Awards** recognize past individual service on or to the BSU Council on the Environment.

**COTE Award Recipients 2020**

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