



## 2008 Indiana Regional Future City Special Awards

The following Special Awards will be given at the 2008 Indiana Regional Competition. Refer to the National Future City website for the awards given at the National Future City Competition held in Washington D.C. which may not be the same as those given at the Indiana Regional event. Regional Special Award Judges will visit city displays between 9:00 and 11:00 am on Saturday, January 19 to speak informally with teams about their cities. Students should be prepared to answer questions, explain, and/or show features of their cities that may pertain to these awards. **Teams should not recite their 5 minute presentation to Special Award Judges.**

<b>AWARD</b>	<b>SPONSOR</b>	<b>CRITERIA</b>
Best Verbal Presentation	Future City Committee	The highest presentation score in the preliminary round of competition.
Best City Abstract	OmniSource	The highest scoring abstract.
Best SIMCITY Design	Future City Committee	The highest scoring SIMCITY disk design.
Best City Name	Future City Committee	The most creative, unique city name that reflects the spirit of the city concept and is voted on by the committee members.
Best City Model	Future City Committee	The highest scoring city model.
Best Essay on Nanotechnology	Future City Committee	The highest scoring essay.
People's Choice Award	Future City Committee	The award voted on by all team members as the favorite city of the Competition.
Best City Wide Electrical Power Concept	Indiana Michigan Power	The city with the most creative, sensible, economically sound electrical power source and distribution system.
Best City Wide Transportation	Citilink	The city with the most economical, environmentally "friendly", and innovative transportation design.
Best Use of Recycled Content	Allen County Solid Waste Management District	The city that makes the best use of recycled materials in their model. Included in this is the amount of recycled materials used, creativity in the transformation of recycled materials, and the ability to take recycled materials and make them resemble elements of city architecture.
Best Layout of a Manufacturing Area	Society of Manufacturing Engineers Chapter 56	The city showing that their manufacturing area has been well planned so that it is visually appealing, easily accessible and is not a source of pollution.
Best Asphalt Pavement Design	Asphalt Pavement Association of IND., Inc. and Brooks Construction	The city with the most creative design of asphalt pavement in their city model and the team that can best explain the reasons for the superior use of asphalt materials for paving roadways, walkways, etc.
Best Illustration of Land Surveying	NE Chapter of the Indiana Society of Professional Land Surveyors	The model that displays the initiative and ingenuity of the design team. Geometric, block, street, and intersection design principles in addition to the placement of structures shall be part of the judging criteria.
Most Innovative Use of Aggregates	Indiana Mineral Aggregate Association	The city that makes the best use of sand, gravel, and stone in buildings or within the infrastructure.
Most Innovative Use of Engineering	Northeast Indiana Engineers Week Committee	The city that displays and can explain creative and innovative engineering of any type within their city.
Most Technically Sound City	Engineering Resources, Inc.	The best technical content of the project based on sound scientific principals. Team is knowledgeable about the scientific basis for the decisions used to develop the concept and the details required to implement.
Best Use of Land Resources	Bonar Group	The city with the best use of natural land features (oceans, mountains, rivers, etc.) and the city with a layout that will accommodate growth presented in an overall efficient city layout.
Best Team Project Plan	Prairie Quest Consulting	The team that can best describe and demonstrate (time line or notes) how they planned their project and worked as a team toward project completion.
Best City for Parks and Recreation	Fort Wayne Parks and Recreation	The city that displays abundant and appealing recreational and park facilities with a team that can describe how these features enhance the quality of life for their citizens.