

OFFICIAL RULES

THE CONTEST

- The Oil & Gas Goodwill Card Contest, the “Contest,” is a competition to design positive promotional information about the Oil and Gas industry.
- Selected winning entries from the Contest will be reproduced as business card sized, double-sided prints for distribution amongst the public at large.
- Example designs can be viewed at gparmcmidstream.org/cards

CONTEST SPONSOR

The Contest is sponsored and administered by the GPA Midstream Association Rocky Mountain Chapter, the “Sponsor.”

CONTESTANT ELIGIBILITY

Any interested party may participate as a “Contestant” in the Contest except where prohibited by law. The Sponsor has the right to verify eligibility of each Contestant.

CONTEST REQUIREMENTS

- Contest entries should clearly and positively communicate the importance of Oil and Gas and the people who produce it in our communities, personal, professional and educational lives.
- Entries may include images, cartoons, photographs, graphs, charts, art, phrases, slogans, statistics, numbers, words, designs, etc. that communicate positive information about energy, oil and gas, the industry, and/or the people who work in the industry.
- All submissions must be received via email no later than 11:59PM mountain time September 30, 2019.
- Contest entries must be submitted by email to OGCardEntry@gmail.com and must contain:
 - Contestant’s name
 - Contestant’s physical mailing address
 - Contestant’s preferred phone number and email address
 - Optional: Contestant’s affiliation (e.g. company, school, organization, club, etc.)
 - One (1) 5” x 9” front side image as an attachment in JPG, PNG, AI or PDF format
 - One (1) 5” x 9” back side image as an attachment in JPG, PNG, AI or PDF format
- Images may be submitted in black and white, grayscale, full color or any combination thereof. Front side and back side images may be related or unrelated. Images may include text, graphics or a combination of both text and graphics.
- A Contestant may make no more than three (3) Contest entries. A Contestant submitting more than three (3) entries will be disqualified from the Contest.
- By submitting an entry to the Contest, a Contestant asserts all submitted content (graphical, written or other) is the original product of the Contestant and/or the Contestant has written permission for right of use of any 3rd party content (graphical, written or other).
- Entries may be submitted to OGCardEntry@gmail.com between 12:00 AM mountain time September 2, 2019 and 11:59 PM mountain time September 30, 2019.

WINNER SELECTION AND AWARD

- Ten (10) submissions shall be selected as Contest Semi-Finalists at the sole discretion of the Sponsor no later than 11:59 PM mountain time November 1, 2019. Contestants selected as semifinalist shall be notified no later than 11:59PM mountain time, November 2, 2019 via email sent to the preferred email address submitted with the contest entries.
- Semi-Finalist submissions shall be presented at the GPA Midstream Association Rocky Mountain Chapter November 7, 2019 Regional Conference where one (1) Grand Prize Winning submission and four (4) Runner-Up submissions shall be selected by votes submitted by registered Regional Conference attendees. The submission obtaining the greatest number of votes shall be declared the Grand Prize Winner. Submissions obtaining the second, third, fourth, and fifth most votes shall be declared Runner-Up Winners. The Grand Prize Winner shall be awarded \$1,500.00. Runner-Up Winners shall each be awarded \$250.00. In the event of a tie vote or votes, the Grand Prize Winner and Runner-Up Winners shall be selected from the pool of Semi-Finalists at the sole discretion of the Sponsor.
- Announcement and instructions for prizes will be sent to the preferred email address supplied in the winning Contestants’ contest entries. Each Contestant is responsible for monitoring his or her email account for prize notification and receipt or other communications related to the Contest. If a potential prize winner cannot be reached by the Sponsor by 11:59PM mountain time December 15, 2019 using contact information provided by the Contestant at the time of entry, or if the prize is returned as undeliverable, that potential prize winner shall forfeit the prize. Upon the request of the Sponsor, the potential winner may be required to return an Affidavit of Eligibility, Release and Prize Acceptance Form and IRS W-9 form. If a potential winner fails to comply with these Official Rules, that potential winner will be disqualified.
- Terms and conditions may apply. Incidental expenses and all other costs and expenses which are not specifically listed as part of a prize in the Official Rules and which may be associated with the award, acceptance, receipt and use of all or any portion of the awarded prize are solely the responsibility of the respective prize winner. ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL TAXES ASSOCIATED WITH THE RECEIPT OR USE OF ANY PRIZE IS SOLELY THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE WINNER.

ADDITIONAL LIMITATIONS

Prizes are non-transferable. No substitution of prizes is permitted. The Sponsor is not responsible for any typographical or other errors in the offer or administration of the Contest, including, but not limited to, errors in any printing or posting or these Official Rules, the selection and announcement of any winner, or the distribution of any prize. The Sponsor reserves the right to terminate, suspend or amend the Contest, without notice, and for any reason, including, without limitation. In the event any tampering or unauthorized intervention may have occurred, the Sponsor reserves the right to void suspect entries at issue. The Sponsor is not responsible for incorrect or inaccurate transcription of entry information, or for any human error, technical malfunction, lost or delayed data transmission, omission, interruption, deletion, line failure or malfunction of any telephone network, computer equipment or software, the inability to access any website or online service or any other error, human or otherwise.

INDEMNIFICATION AND LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

BY ENTERING THE CONTEST, EACH CONTESTANT AGREES TO INDEMNIFY, RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE SPONSOR AND ITS AGENTS FROM ANY LIABILITY, DAMAGES, LOSSES OR INJURY RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART, DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, FROM THAT CONTESTANT’S PARTICIPATION IN THE CONTEST AND THE ACCEPTANCE, USE OR MISUSE OF ANY PRIZE THAT MAY BE WON. THE SPONSOR DOES NOT MAKE ANY WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AS TO THE CONDITION, FITNESS OR MERCHANTABILITY OF ANY PRIZE. THE SPONSOR DISCLAIMS ANY LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE TO ANY COMPUTER SYSTEM RESULTING FROM ACCESS TO OR THE DOWNLOAD OF INFORMATION OR MATERIALS CONNECTED WITH THE CONTEST.

OTHER INFORMATION

- By participating, each Contestant grants the Sponsor permission to use his or her name, likeness or comments for publicity purposes without payment of additional consideration.
- Failure of electronic transmission, reception or other handling of any submission or other communication is the sole responsibility of the Contestant.
- No purchase or payment of any kind is required to participate in the Contest.
- This Contest is void where prohibited by any applicable laws and/or regulations.
- Inquiries for further information about the Contest may be submitted to OGCardInfo@gmail.com