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Gold Medal/Certificate of Recognition

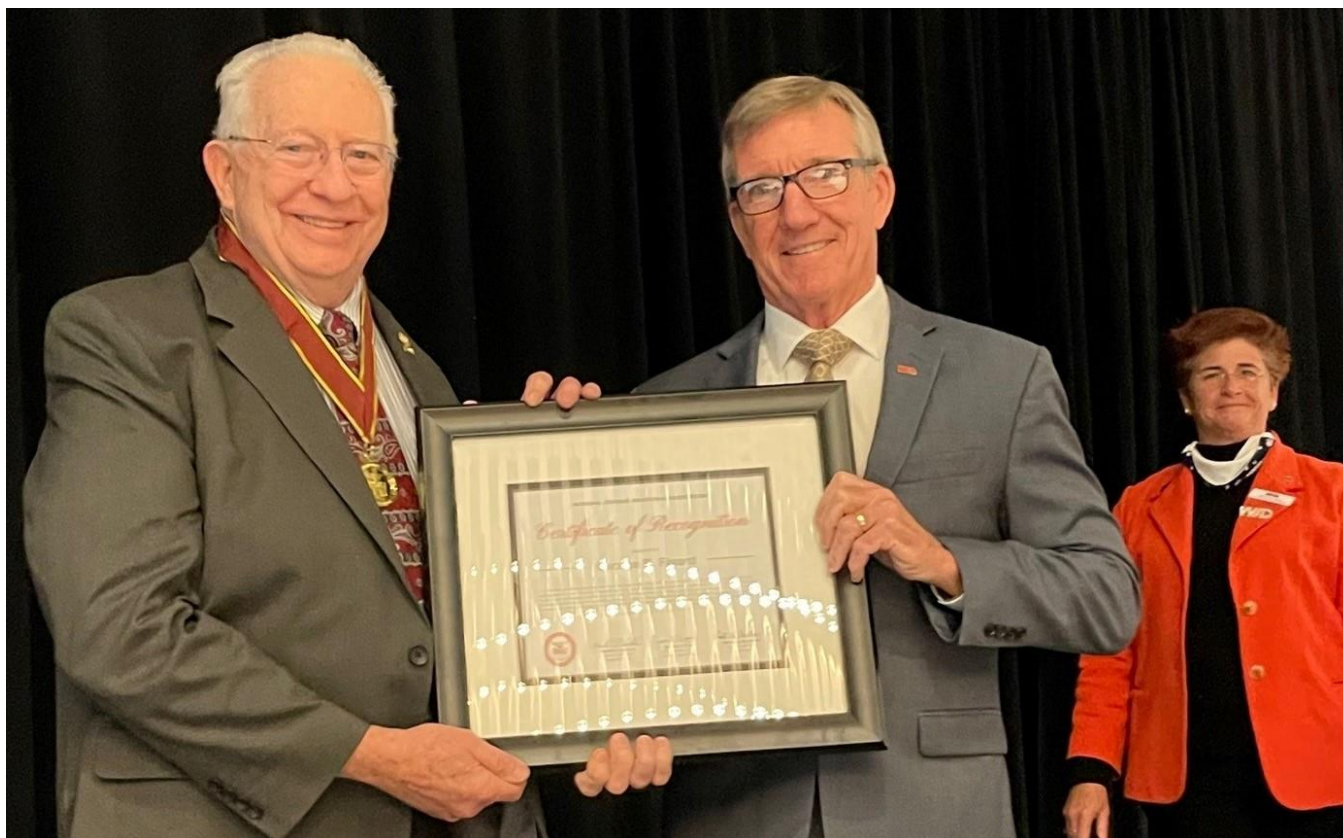
On 15-16 November 2021 at the annual NDIA Leadership Conference in Pentagon City, Arlington, VA, our outgoing Chapter President, Mr. George B Rivard, was presented an NDIA Gold Medal and Certificate of Recognition. Mr. Rivard has been on the Chapter Board for 19 years and President for the past 14 years. He will remain as a Director on the Chapter Board as well as continue as a member of the NDIA Membership Leadership Council (NMLC).

His special awards were presented at the end of Chapters being recognized as Model Chapters/Chapters of Excellence. The Iowa-Illinois Chapter has applied for and been selected annually as a Model Chapter for the past 20 consecutive years.



Above, COL Rachel McCaffrey, USAF (Ret), Executive Director and Vice President, Membership and Chapters, reads the award citations as Mr Rivard and General, USAF (Ret) Herbert “Hawk” Carlisle, NDIA President & CEO, look on.

Below, Mr Rivard being awarded the NDIA Gold Medal by General "Hawk" Carlisle, as COL Rachel McCaffrey, assists.



Above, Mr. Rivard with Gen Carlisle and COL McCaffrey, after presentation of Certificate of Recognition.

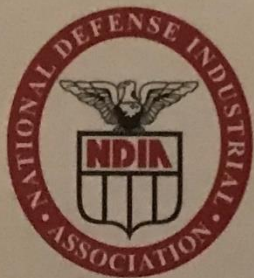
NATIONAL DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION

Certificate of Recognition

presented to

————— **George B. Rivard** —————

On behalf of the National Defense Industrial Association, the NDIA Board of Directors expresses their gratitude and appreciation for your 19 years of leadership of the Iowa-Illinois Chapter, delivering significant impact within the Chapter's region. Your leadership, initiative and innovation, for five years on the Board and 14 years serving as Chapter President, promoted NDIA's mission of sustaining a strong, resilient defense industrial base and provided resources and information to strengthen national security in the Iowa-Illinois area of operation. As we honor you for years of outstanding service, we celebrate your legacy and look forward to your continued contributions.
Thank you for your dedication to our warfighters and our Association.



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