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Herrmann wins South Dakota Corrections Association award

Pierre, S.D. - Doug Herrmann, Director of Juvenile Services for the South Dakota Department of Corrections, was named the winner of the Satnan-Canary Award by the South Dakota Corrections Association (SDCA) recently.

The award is named after Clarence Satnan, a long-time probation worker, and Art Canary, a long-time parole worker. The Satnan-Canary is the most prestigious honor granted by SDCA and is given to someone who has made a worthy contribution to the corrections field in South Dakota.

“Doug is a great choice for this prestigious award,” stated Corrections Secretary Tim Reisch. “He is a strong advocate for children and a proven leader in the field of juvenile corrections.”

Herrmann has overseen the state’s juvenile corrections system since 2001. He previously served as Superintendent of the state’s juvenile corrections programs at Custer from 1996 to 2001 and as the Executive Director of the Attention Center for Youth in Lincoln, Nebraska.

He won the SDCA Outstanding Member Award in 2001 and was named the national Outstanding Administrator by the Council of Juvenile Correctional Administrators in 2005.

Herrmann is also an Adjunct professor for the University of South Dakota Higher Education Center-West River and has a Bachelor’s Degree in Criminal Justice from the University of Nebraska/Lincoln and a Master’s Degree in Public Administration from the University of Nebraska/Omaha.

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