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LOCAL RESIDENT RECOGNIZED AS ONE OF FOUR FINALISTS FOR THE NORTH AMERICAN AGCO OPERATOR OF THE YEAR AWARD.

650,000 ACRES OF CUSTOM APPLICATION AND COUNTING...

Ken Nystedt, of Hudye Soil Services Inc., a local resident of Norquay, Saskatchewan was selected as one of four top finalists for the coveted Agco Operator of the Year Award, and was recognized at the ARA Conference and Expo in Boca Raton Florida in November 2011.

Nominations were submitted to Agco in September from all over North America and were chosen based on years of service, acres covered and community involvement. Four finalists were selected and provided an all expense paid trip for two to Boca Raton, Florida to attend the conference and awards. The winner received a custom 2011 Harley Davidson motorcycle.

Nystedt, was quickly recognized as a top contender with over 19 years of loyal service at Hudye Soil Services recording over 650,000 sprayed and floated acres. He's also a genuine leader, a skilled mechanic, a volunteer firefighter, groomer operator and a family man, reported Braden Hudye – President of Hudye Soil Services.

Garry "Butch" Hammond of Alma Nebraska won this year's operator of the year award. A 27 year veteran to the Custom Application Industry and over 1.2 million acres covered in his career.

Although, Nystedt didn't take home First Place this year, the team at Hudye Soil Services recognizes his accomplishments as nothing short of outstanding, reported Braden Hudye. The years of commitment, loyalty, customer service, leadership, community involvement, all while keeping focus on his family makes him Canada's Top Operator of the Year, recognized as the only Canadian Finalist in this years Competition.

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