



## QC TEAM

# SUPERLATIVE WINNERS

This year we are congratulating the QC Team of Anthony Smida, Michelle Fiumara, Sierra Vining, May Issa, and Dawn Finch!

Anthony calls this team the best he has ever had and we surely agree! They are all hungry to learn, extremely engaged in their work, and happy to work at the fast pace the work requires to get our orders tested and out the door asap. Having to recover much of this year for lost time with late orders, they worked tirelessly to keep up with it all. Before our slowdown these last couple of months, we had some huge months with pig, shoe, and cow orders (our 3rd best sales year in history) and they were constantly challenged to keep up with the work and keep it moving. But this team seems to relish a challenge and is working with more cohesiveness and a more positive energy and fun dynamic than we have ever seen in the lab!

Anthony and Dawn's longevity, experience, and expertise in QC surely anchor this team. They give guidance, encouragement, and keep the administrative side well-handled working with outside vendors and testing as we expanded our product lines and increased volumes.

May, Michelle, and Sierra are passionate hard workers and so caring about the product, the testing requirements, and making sure we are upholding our quality standards. They have been a joy to watch speak about their work any time we have brought in customers or other visitors. Their passion is apparent and they care deeply about what they do, why they do it and why it is important. They even asked to read the ASTM standards manual to learn more - unheard of before! They take their roles and work extremely seriously and it befits the urgency of our customers and industries we are in.

Thank you, QC Team, for GSD and making it fun along the way! So proud of each of you and how much you contribute to our work and industry-wide reputation for quality!



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### About This Superlative Award

It is awarded to a team that thinks and acts on those thoughts. Looking ahead, anticipating, and taking action. Self-motivated with focus and clear priorities, acting on