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HINO TRUCKS CELEBRATES TOP MASTER ELITE TECHNICIANS

Novi, Michigan – Like many other events around the country, the final round of Hino Trucks Master Elite Service Competition and championship ceremony were cancelled to keep our team safe & healthy from the coronavirus pandemic. It is clear that this year’s Class of 2020 Finalists are like no other and as such, we would like to recognize them here today!

Hino’s Master Elite designation is reserved for only the highest certified Hino truck technicians. The competition’s goal is to highlight the importance of this skilled trade and to honor the field of talented Hino Trucks technicians, who continue to expand their technical knowledge.

“We thank each and every one of our top finalists for working so hard to support Hino Trucks and for the enthusiasm they bring to this contest. Each year the level of competition gets more intense and we are disappointed that we won’t be able to get together in person this year,” said John Musial, Vice President of Service Operations for Hino Trucks. Because of the circumstances, this year’s prize package will be split up among all 24 finalists listed below

Aaron Koch	Kenworth of Central Florida - Tampa
Alex Malinowski	Kriete Truck Center - Milwaukee
Benny Plasencia	C&M Motors, Inc. - Vista
Billy Ray Stanley	Rush Truck Center - Houston
Brian Hines	Allstate Sales & Leasing - St. Paul
Brian York	Matthews Motors - Augusta
Craig Wire	Illinois Truck Center - Elk Grove
Daniel Hanna	TranSource - Greensboro/Colfax
Frank Thomas	Rush Truck Center - Corpus Christi
John Hevia	TruckMax Hino of Miami



Kelvin Stoel	MHC - Colorado Springs
Ken Cordry	Interstate Truck Source - Romulus
Kurtis Reichley	Flag City Truck & Equipment
Matt J. Kiernan	Bangor Truck & Trailer Sales, Inc.
Matt J. Bertagnoli	Lynch Truck Center - Waterford
Perry Franklin	TranSource - Greensboro/Colfax
Richard Nonamaker	Rush Truck Center - Waco
Roberto Ochoa	Rush Truck Center - Fontana
Thoai Huu Cao	Future Ford of Sacramento
Todd Shilliff	Beam Mack - Syracuse
Wayne Kelso	Donahue Truck Center - Bakersfield
Wayne Rapachietta	Rush Truck Center - Charlotte
Tony Isajiw	Kriete Truck Center - Green Bay
William Nelson	Gateway Truck & Refrigeration - Bridgeton

To see more on the competition and competitors, please visit Hino's blog at <https://www.hino.com/blog.html>.

Hino Trucks, a Toyota Group Company, assembles, sells, and services a lineup of Class 4-8 diesel commercial trucks in the United States. Hino Trucks is the premier heavy & medium duty nameplate in the United States with a product lineup that offers fully connected vehicles with low total cost of ownership, superior fuel economy, unmatched reliability and maneuverability and the most comprehensive bundle of standard features in the market. Headquartered in Novi, Michigan, Hino has a network of over 230 dealers nationwide committed to achieving excellence in customer service and support. Learn more about Hino Trucks at <http://www.hino.com> or follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [YouTube](#)

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