



Honda Ridgeline is Motor Trend's 'Truck of the Year'

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Motor Trend last month named the newly redesigned 2006 Honda Civic its car of the year and with Honda Ridgeline also making it to the top, it's the second time this year a Honda vehicle has won the magazine's much coveted award.

The Ridgeline, which went on sale in the spring, is Honda's first entry in the pickup market. Honda Ridgeline's innovative features set it apart from other trucks in its class, including an 8.5-cubic-foot trunk under the pickup's bed, four cargo lamps that illuminate the bed and a rear gate that opens like a door or swings down.

"The Ridgeline showcases a vehicle built on intelligent technology and impressive durability," Angus MacKenzie, editor of Motor Trend, said in a news release.

Finalists for the truck of the year were four large trucks — the Dodge Ram 1500, Dodge Ram Mega Cab, Lincoln Mark LT and the Ridgeline — and two compact trucks, the Isuzu i350 and the Mitsubishi Raider. Only new or substantially redesigned trucks were considered, and all had to be on sale to the public by Jan. 1, 2006.

The Ridgeline was the unanimous pick after thousands of miles of testing in a variety of weather. Motor Trend evaluates the vehicle's finish and materials, engineering, handling and response, safety and power.

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