

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD

This award recognizes lay persons or groups who have demonstrated consistent or outstanding volunteer service in their community and whose commitment has been in furthering the field of parks, recreation, and/or cultural and community services through excellence, service, and execution of their talents and skills. Need not be a member of APRA.

Maximum Point Value	Criteria
20	Contributed a needed service to the community or field of parks, recreation, and/or cultural service.
20	Involvement was active.
20	Initiated a new program(s) or activities and used innovative methods to solve problems.
15	Amount of time devoted to the activity or service was significant.
15	Activity or service produced positive changes and provided examples for other groups.
5	Provide support information relevant to the award criteria on 8 1/2 x 11-inch paper, maximum two typed pages, single spaced, 1.25 inch right/left margins, 1.00 inch top/bottom margins, 12 pt New Times Roman font. Information must be emailed to the awards chair prior to the deadline in Microsoft Word or PDF Format.
5	Up to two pages of supplemental materials (8 1/2 x 11) may be submitted; supplemental pages are defined as news articles, photos, drawings, etc. which enhance understanding of the project. All supplemental information must be submitted in PDF Format.
100 Total Points Possible	