

City of Ventura 2013 Employee and Supervisor of the Year announced



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On May 14 the City of Ventura held an awards ceremony at City Hall to recognize twenty-five employees nominated for 2013 Employee or Supervisor of the Year. These awards recognize city employees who are role models for public service and who exemplify the city's commitment to excellence.

The fifteen nominees for Employee of the Year were:

Annmarie Forney – Community Development
Lillian Landeta – Community Development
Andrea Palmer – Community Development
Danielle Summers – Community Development
Victor Dowbusz – Fire Department
Michael Westbrook – Fire Department
Eric Murillo – Parks, Recreation & Community Partnerships
Max Prophet – Parks, Recreation & Community Partnerships
Eric Jackson – Police Department
Jason Kohagen – Police Department
Jamey MacLellan – Police Department
Malea Munger – Police Department
Laurel Shelton – Police Department
Chuck Dean – Public Works
Courtney Lindberg – Public Works

The ten nominees for Supervisor of the Year were:

Yolanda Bundy – Community Development
Chad Brewer – Fire Department
Jason Kay – Fire Department
Kristi Miskel – Human Resources
Cary Glenn – Parks, Recreation & Community Partnerships
David Dickey – Police Department
Frank Maxim – Public Works
Patrick Stock – Public Works
Frank Godinez – Ventura Water
Mary Landis – Ventura Water

Environmental Services Specialist **Courtney Lindberg** was selected as Employee of the Year. Courtney developed several successful programs to raise Ventura's environmental awareness including installation of the Big Bellies (solar-powered, self-compacting trash and recycling containers throughout the city), the Green Task Force, the Green Business Certification Program, as well as developing innovative recycling programs at local hospitals and veterinary clinics.

Deputy Building Official **Yolanda Bundy** was recognized as Supervisor of the Year for her outstanding work with the public (including business owners, home owners, architects, and engineers) to ensure projects in the city are handled with excellent customer service.

City Manager Mark Watkins said, "It is an honor to recognize the many outstanding employees at the City of Ventura. The fact that these employees are nominated and selected by their peers, many times by peers in other departments, is a tribute to the excellent customer service provided every day in every department."

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