

Attachment 2

City	Award Name	Criteria	Who nominates?	Who selects?	How awarded?	How often?	Nomination Process
City of Ridgecrest	Key to the City	Honor "unsung" heroes having long lasting impact by their dedicated service to make city what it is	Councilmembers may select one each	City Council	Plaque presented at future meeting by nominating Councilmember	Every 2 years	Form with explanation
Sonoma	Celebrate Sonoma	Recognize community members for their contributions to the community and "make up the fabric of the city"	Councilmembers	Mayor and City Clerk inform councilmember of available date at future council meeting	Presentation of a city recognition certificate plaque honoring them by dedicating a "day" in their honor and add nominee to Celebrate Sonoma Webpage	Monthly	Councilmember informs City Clerk
Chino Hills	Unsung Heroes	Contributor to city to make it a better place to live	One each by Mayor and Councilmembers	All nominees are recognized	At State of the City address	Annually	Names submitted to City Clerk with bios
City of Santa Rosa	City Merit Awards for 6 Categories: 1. Beautifying city 2. Serving others 3. Strengthening neighborhoods 4. Expanding/enriching artistic and historical culture 5. Fostering sustainability/environment 6. Rising to the Challenge: Community Heroes	Individuals, organizations, and businesses who volunteer their time and energies to serve the community and improve the quality of life	Anyone	Multiple nominees are selected by a board/commission subcommittee	Certificates presented at a ceremony	Annually	Names submitted to City Clerk with bios
City of Torrance	Citizen of the Year	Recognize a citizen's exemplary service to the community during the course of a year					
City of Torrance	Jared Sidney Torrance Award (named after Founder of Torrance)	Recipient is chosen for sustained service to the community throughout their lifetime of leadership and dedication.	Mayor	Mayor selects	Presented by the City Council	Annually on average	Can be former elected and appointed officials, and exceptional community leaders
City of San Rafael	Citizen of the Year	Individual or group significant contributions, dedication, and impact to the community	Anyone	Selection committee includes Mayor, 2 councilmembers, 2 Planning Commissioners, a rep from Greater Chamber of Commerce	Presented by the City Council	Annually	On a form