



ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENTS

2010

Mike Gotch Courage & Innovation in Local Government Leadership Award	Helen Thomson, Commissioner Yolo LAFCo
Distinguished Service Award	Kathleen Rollings-McDonald, Executive Officer, San Bernardino LAFCo
Distinguished Service Award	Bob Braitman, Executive Officer, Santa Barbara LAFCo
Most Effective Commission	Tulare LAFCo
Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Roger Anderson, Ph.D., CALAFCO Chair Commissioner, Santa Cruz LAFCo
Outstanding Commissioner	George Lange, Ventura LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional	Harry Ehrlich, San Diego LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk	Candi Fleming, Fresno LAFCo
Project of the Year	Butte LAFCo Sewerage Municipal Service Review
Government Leadership Award	Nipomo Community Services District, County of San Luis Obispo, and San Luis Obispo LAFCo – Sphere of Influence Update
Social Achievement	Chris Tooker, CALAFCO Board of Directors (12 years), Commissioner, Sacramento LAFCo

2009

Mike Gotch Courage & Innovation in Local Government Leadership Award	Paul Hood, Executive Officer, San Luis Obispo LAFCo and CALAFCO
Distinguished Service Award	William Zumwalt, Executive Officer, Kings LAFCo
Most Effective Commission	Napa LAFCo
Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Susan Vicklund Wilson, CALAFCO Vice Chair Jerry Gladbach, CALAFCO Treasurer
Outstanding Commissioner	Larry M. Fortune, Fresno LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional	Pat McCormick, Santa Cruz LAFCo Executive Officer

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Outstanding LAFCo Clerk	Emmanuel Abello, Santa Clara LAFCo
Project of the Year	Orange LAFCo Boundary Report
Government Leadership Award	Cities of Amador City, Jackson, Ione, Plymouth & Sutter Creek; Amador County; Amador Water Agency; Pine Grove CSD – Countywide MSR Project
Legislator of the Year Award	Assembly Member Jim Silva

2008

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Kathy Long, Board Chair
Distinguished Service Award	Peter M. Detwiler, Senate Local Government Committee Staff Director
Most Effective Commission	Yuba LAFCo
Outstanding Commissioner	Dennis Hansberger, San Bernardino LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional	Michael Ott, San Diego LAFCo Executive Officer Martha Poyatos, San Mateo LAFCo Executive Officer
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk	Wilda Turner, Los Angeles LAFCo
Project of the Year	Kings LAFCo Comprehensive City and Community District MSR and SOI Update
Government Leadership Award	San Bernardino County Board of Supervisors
Legislator of the Year Award	Assembly Member Anna M. Caballero

2007

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Kathy Long, Board Chair
Distinguished Service Award	William D. Smith, San Diego Legal Counsel
Most Effective Commission	Santa Clara LAFCo
Outstanding Commissioner	Gayle Uilkema, Contra Costa LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional	Joyce Crosthwaite, Orange LAFCo Executive Officer
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk	Debby Chamberlin, San Bernardino LAFCo
Project of the Year	San Bernardino LAFCo and City of Fontana, Islands Annexation Program

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Government Leadership Award
Islands Annexation Program

City of Fontana

Lifetime Achievement

John T. "Jack" Knox

2006

Outstanding CALAFCO Member

Everett Millais, CALAFCO Executive Officer
and Executive Officer of Ventura LAFCo

Distinguished Service Award

Clark Alsop, CALAFCO Legal Counsel

Most Effective Commission Award

Alameda LAFCo

Outstanding Commissioner Award

Ted Grandsen, Ventura LAFCo
Chris Tooker, Sacramento LAFCo

Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award

Larry Calemine, Los Angeles LAFCo Executive
Officer

Outstanding LAFCo Clerk Award

Janice Bryson, San Diego LAFCo
Marilyn Flemmer, Sacramento LAFCo

Project of the Year Award

Sacramento Municipal Utility District Sphere
of Influence Amendment and Annexation;
Sacramento LAFCo

Outstanding Government Leadership Award

Cities of Porterville, Tulare, and Visalia and
Tulare LAFCo Island Annexation Program

Legislator of the Year Award

Senator Christine Kehoe

2005

Outstanding CALAFCO Member

Peter Herzog, CALAFCO Executive Board and
Commissioner, Orange LAFCo

Distinguished Service Award

Elizabeth Castro Kemper, Yolo LAFCo

Most Effective Commission Award

Ventura LAFCo

Outstanding Commissioner Award

Art Aseltine, Yuba LAFCo
Henri Pellissier, Los Angeles LAFCo

Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award

Bruce Baracco, San Joaquin LAFCo

Outstanding LAFCo Clerk Award

Danielle Ball, Orange LAFCo

Project of the Year Award

San Diego LAFCo, MSR of Fire Protection and
Emergency Medical Services

Outstanding Government Leadership Award

Sacramento Area Council of Governments
(SACOG)

2004

Outstanding CALAFCO Member

Scott Harvey, former CALAFCO Executive
Director

Distinguished Service Award

Julie Howard, Shasta LAFCo

Most Effective Commission Award

San Diego LAFCo

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Outstanding Commissioner Award	Edith Johnsen, Monterey LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award	David Kindig, Santa Cruz LAFCo
Project of the Year Award	San Luis Obispo LAFCo, Nipomo CSD SOI Update, MSR, and EIR

2003

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Michael P. Ryan, CALAFCO Board Member
Distinguished Service Award	Henri F. Pellissier, Los Angeles LAFCo
Most Effective Commission Award	San Luis Obispo LAFCo
Outstanding Commissioner Award	Bob Salazar, El Dorado LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award	Shirley Anderson, San Diego LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk Award	Lori Fleck, Siskiyou LAFCo
Project of the Year Award	Napa LAFCo, Comprehensive Water Service Study
Special Achievement Award	James M. Roddy

2002

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Ken Lee, CALAFCo Legislative Committee Chair
Most Effective Commission Award	San Diego LAFCo
Outstanding Commissioner Award	Ed Snively, Imperial LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award	Paul Hood, San Luis Obispo LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk Award	Danielle Ball, Orange LAFCo
Project of the Year Award	San Luis Obispo LAFCo
Outstanding Government Leadership Award	Napa LAFCO, Napa County Farm Bureau, Napa Valley Vintners Association, Napa Valley Housing Authority, Napa County Agricultural Commissioner's Office, Napa County Counsel Office, and Assembly Member Patricia Wiggins

2001

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	SR Jones, CALAFCO Executive Officer
Distinguished Service Award	David Martin, Tax Area Services Section, State Board of Equalization
Outstanding Commissioner Award	H. Peter Faye, Yolo LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award	Ingrid Hansen, San Diego LAFCo
Project of the Year Award	Santa Barbara LAFCo

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Outstanding Government Leadership Award	Alameda County Board of Supervisors, Livermore City Council, Pleasanton City Council
Legislator of the Year Award	Jack O'Connell, State Senator

2000

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Ron Wootton, Executive Board Chair
Distinguished Service Award	Ben Williams, Commission on Local Governance for the 21 st Century
Most Effective Commission Award	Yolo LAFCo
Outstanding Commissioner	Rich Gordon, San Mateo LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Professional Award	Annamaria Perrella, Contra Costa LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk Award	Susan Stahmann, El Dorado LAFCo
Project of the Year Award	San Diego LAFCo
Legislator of the Year Award	Robert Hertzberg, Assembly Member

1999

Distinguished Service Award	Marilyn Ann Flemmer-Rodgers, Sacramento LAFCo
Most Effective Commission Award	Orange LAFCo
Outstanding Executive Officer Award	Don Graff, Alameda LAFCo
Outstanding LAFCo Clerk Award	Dory Adams, Marin LAFCo
Most Creative Solution to a Multi- Jurisdictional Problem	San Diego LAFCo
Outstanding Government Leadership Award	John Longville, Assembly Member
Legislator of the Year Award	Robert Hertzberg, Assembly Member

1998

Outstanding CALAFCO Member	Dana Smith, Orange LAFCo
Distinguished Service Award	Marvin Panter, Fresno LAFCo
Most Effective Commission Award	San Diego LAFCo
Outstanding Executive Officer Award	George Spiliotis, Riverside LAFCo
Outstanding Staff Analysis	Joe Convery, San Diego LAFCo Joyce Crosthwaite, Orange LAFCo
Outstanding Government Leadership Award	Santa Clara County Planning Department

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1997

Most Effective Commission Award	Orange LAFCo
Outstanding Executive Officer Award	George Finney, Tulare LAFCo
Outstanding Staff Analysis	Annamaria Perrella, Contra Costa LAFCo
Outstanding Government Leadership Award	South County Issues Discussion Group
Most Creative Solution to a Multi-Jurisdictional Problem	Alameda LAFCo and Contra Costa LAFCo
Legislator of the Year Award	Tom Torlakson, Assembly Member