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## **Nominations for Sierra Madre Honors... are now being accepted**

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### **Recognize and honor the true treasures of Sierra Madre!**

Sierra Madre Honors... a Recognition and Appreciation Dinner will recognize all out-going City Commissioners as well as extraordinary community members, organizations, and employees for their contributions to the community. Please take a moment to view the five awards listed below and nominate any person you feel is eligible for such an honor. Applications may be obtained at City Hall or the City website at [www.cityofsierramadre.com](http://www.cityofsierramadre.com) should you wish to make a nomination. Alternatively, you may submit a one page description of the person/entity and why they should be honored. Nominations must be submitted to the Mayor's Ad-Hoc Committee at City Hall no later than Monday, July 27th at 4:00 pm.

#### **GEORGE MAURER (LIFETIME SERVICE) AWARD**

Presented to a person/entity that most strongly represents a commitment to serving and volunteering, which is the true spirit of Sierra Madre

#### **WISTARIA AWARD**

In recognition of City/Community partnership, presented to a local business or organization whose major contributions to the City/Community of Sierra Madre have demonstrated a true partnership which assists in and provides services, programs or enhances the general welfare of the community as a whole.

#### **POLICE CHIEF'S SPECIAL AWARD**

Presented by the Sierra Madre Chief of Police to an individual who has demonstrated outstanding dedication to duty (employee) or service (community) in resolving a community law enforcement related issue

#### **PUBLIC SAFETY AWARD**

Presented by the Mayor to an individual, either an employee or citizen, who took action to protect and maintain the safety of the community by taking lifesaving action

#### **PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD (EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR)**

Presented by the Mayor upon the recommendation of the City Manager (nominated by other city employees) to an extraordinary city employee who has represented remarkable customer and public service as well as dedication to the citizens of Sierra Madre over the course of a year

If you have questions regarding Sierra Madre Honors... program you may contact the Community & Personnel Services Department at 626 355-5278 or by e-mail at [city@cityofsierramadre.com](mailto:city@cityofsierramadre.com)

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