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2022 SUSAN PAXTON BLOCK DISTINGUISHED PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD



AWARD TITLE

Excellence in City Government.

QUALIFIED RECIPIENTS

Employees, volunteers and public officials for the city government of Independence, Missouri.

AWARD

\$1,000 from the Susan Paxton Block Memorial Fund, medallion and a pin.

CRITERIA FOR AWARD

- Achieving significant efficiency in the operation of a program or achieving significant progress.
- Innovation resulting in an improved service, customer responsiveness or cost savings.
- Service over and above what is normally expected of a job.
- Unsung hero: Exceptional quality of a program or facility.
- Development of a new program or service to address and meet a need.
- Demonstrated measurable excellence in customer service delivery.

NOMINATION PROCESS

Nominees will be submitted by City Council members, department directors or interested citizens, using the attached form developed by the Selection Committee.

SELECTION COMMITTEE

The Selection Committee shall make all decisions concerning the award, in addition to selecting the award recipient(s). Membership of the Selection Committee consists of:

1. Appointed, Active or Sustaining member, Junior Service League (Selection Committee Chairperson).
2. Chairman of the Board, Chamber of Commerce.
3. President, Young Matrons.
4. Presidents of three of the following service clubs. Membership among the service clubs will be rotated as determined by the President of the Junior Service League:

- Rotary Club of Independence
- Independence Kiwanis
- Inter-City Kiwanis Club
- Fairmount Kiwanis Club
- Optimist Club of Independence
- Independence Midtown Optimist Club
- Sertoma Club
- President, Lions Club

