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Honorees

Bill Baca	▪ <i>Volunteer on Patrol of the Year</i>
Deputy Seth Burgess, LASD	▪ <i>Dave Powell Community Policing Award</i>
James Burkett	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Raylind Butler	▪ <i>Be On the Lookout (BOLO)</i>
Luis Carrion	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Detective Edward Castro, LASD	▪ <i>Distinguished Service Award</i>
Firefighter Specialist Adolfo Chanez, LACoFD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Brett Covey	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Barbara Di Iorio	▪ <i>Be On the Lookout (BOLO)</i>
Deputy Ruben Gonzalez, LASD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Jeannie Griffith Moorman	▪ <i>Be On the Lookout (BOLO)</i>
Dale Hills	▪ <i>Block Captain of the Year Award</i>
Daryl Hogan	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Captain Daniel Holguin, LASD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Deputy Andy Jones, LASD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Captain Tim Karp	▪ <i>Award of Valor, Distinguished Service Award</i>
Adriana Lopez	▪ <i>Bridge Builder Award</i>
Natalie Macias	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Sonny Maliksi	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Martin "Marty" Martinez	▪ <i>Station Volunteer of the Year Award</i>
Deputy Pasquale Mastantuono, LASD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Dimitrios Mavraganis	▪ <i>Be On the Lookout (BOLO)</i>
Thaddeus McCormack	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>

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Kennedy Molina	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Raymen Navarro	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Norris Neale	▪ <i>Be On the Lookout (BOLO)</i>
Deputy Brandon Nuñez, LASD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Frank Ontiveros	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
John Peace	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Firefighter Branden Penera, LACoFD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Jessica Robledo	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Vice Mayor Todd Rogers	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Deputy Arturo Ruvalcaba, LASD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Andrew Schad	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Firefighter Thaddeus Thomas, LACoFD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Firefighter Ryan Tobin, LACoFD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Captain Ed Turner, LACoFD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Margaret Waldo	▪ <i>Be On the Lookout (BOLO)</i>
Firefighter Specialist Joshua Wilson, LACoFD	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>
Joshua Yordt	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Jesse Ziemdorf	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
City of Lakewood Public Safety Department Personnel	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Lakewood Center / Allied Universal Security Personnel	▪ <i>Mayor's Award</i>
Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Lakewood Station Personnel	▪ <i>Award of Valor</i>



Award Categories

The Lakewood Award of Valor reflects seven categories of exceptional service to our community:

- ♦ **The Award of Valor** is given to deputies, firefighters and other uniformed officers who have exhibited extraordinary courage, dedication or presence of mind in a life-threatening situation or prevention of a life-threatening situation leading to the protection of life or property, or aiding in the capture of a dangerous criminal suspect.
- ♦ **The Bridge Builder Award** is presented to individuals, organizations or programs that create community partnerships, enhance the sense of safety in the city, and work to ensure that Lakewood is a welcoming place to live, work and visit.
- ♦ **The Distinguished Service Award** is given to someone with exemplary service over many years in a public safety capacity for the Lakewood community.
- ♦ **The Mayor's Award** is given to residents or others visiting Lakewood who assisted deputies, firefighters or paramedics in the performance of their duties or who stepped forward in an emergency to aid a neighbor.
- ♦ **The Community Service Awards** are presented to volunteers whose time and energy are directed toward improving public safety in Lakewood.
- ♦ **The Dave Powell Community Policing Award** is given to a Sheriff's deputy who has provided a high level of service as a PAVE (Partnership, Accountability, Visibility and Enforcement program) Deputy and who supports the objectives of the "beat policing" philosophy in Lakewood.
- ♦ **The BOLO Award**, named after the law enforcement term for "Be On the Look Out," is presented to those whose keen observations and timely reporting of suspicious activity or otherwise played a supportive role in a public safety incident that led to the apprehension of criminal suspects, interruption of illegal activity and/or the return of stolen property.