Board of Supervisors Memorandum

January 21, 2014

Greater Tucson Leadership Presentation of the 2013 Founders Award to County Attorney Barbara LaWall

Introduction

Tucson's Man and Woman of the Year awards were first given in 1952. The Metro Tucson Chamber began sponsoring the awards event in 1983, and the Founders Award was added to the program in 1985. The Greater Tucson Leadership (GTL) has maintained the tradition of these awards beginning in 2012.

On February 7, 2014, GTL will honor Pima County Attorney Barbara LaWall with the Founders Award. The Founders Award honors individuals who have demonstrated significant long-term community involvement and service and who have helped build a better community. Previous Founders Award recipients include Mr. Roy Drachman, Ms. Cele Peterson, Former Tucson Mayor Lew Murphy, and Ms. Marian Lupu.

Recommendation

I recommend the Board of Supervisors approve a $5,000 allocation from the Contingency Fund for the Greater Tucson Leadership Gala at which Pima County Attorney Barbara LaWall will be presented the 2013 Founders Award.

Respectfully submitted,

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County Administrator

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Greater Tucson Leadership Announces Man of the Year, Woman of the Year and Founders Award Honorees

Tucson, AZ (November 15, 2013) – Greater Tucson Leadership is proud to announce the honorees for the 2013 Man of the Year and Woman of the Year and 2013 Founders Award. **This year marks the 61st anniversary of the awards program.** The awardees will be honored at a gala on February 7, 2014 at Loews Ventana Canyon Resort.

The awards program honors a man and woman who have distinguished themselves for active support of community projects at personal sacrifice, for aiding those persons less fortunate and for living in a manner which inspires affection, respect and admiration.

The Founders Award cites individuals who have demonstrated significant long-term community involvement and accomplishments and who have helped shape the community in a quality, positive manner.

The mission of Greater Tucson Leadership is to inspire, develop and promote leadership, as well as identify leaders in the Tucson region. These three awardees are being recognized for outstanding leadership, distinguished contributions and dedication to improving the quality of life in our community.

Mike Hammond, President & Founder, Cushman & Wakefield/PICOR, has been selected as the 2013 Man of the Year.

Keri Silvyn, Partner, Lazarus, Silvyn & Bangs, P.C., has been selected as the 2013 Woman of the Year.

Barbara LaWall, Pima County Attorney, has been selected to receive the 2013 Founders Award.

Biographical information on each recipient is available upon request.

A selection committee comprised of community leaders representing business, government, non-profit, higher education, Greater Tucson Leadership and the Tucson Metro Chamber made the award selections.

Tickets to the February 7th gala at Loews Ventana Canyon are available for purchase at www.greatertucsonleadership.org Sponsorship and tribute opportunities are also available. For further information visit the GTL website or contact Suzanne McFarlin at 520.792.2250 x140.

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2013 Man and Woman of the Year And Founders Awards

The Awards Gala will take place February 7, 2014

Man & Woman of the Year Awards:

The Tucson Metro Chamber assumed the Man & Woman of the Year Program from the Tucson Advertising Club in 1983, following a tradition established in 1952. The award program honors a man and woman who have distinguished themselves for active support of community projects at personal sacrifice, for aiding those persons less fortunate and for living in a manner which inspires affection, respect and admiration.

Founders Award:

The Founders Award was established by the Chamber in 1985 to augment the Man and Woman of the Year Award. This separate and distinct award cites individuals who have demonstrated significant long-term community involvement and accomplishments and who have helped shape the community in a quality, positive manner.

The Mission of Greater Tucson Leadership is to **inspire**, develop and promote leadership that impacts the Greater Tucson Region, as well as **identify** leaders through our programming. We link individuals to **community** opportunities, business training, mentoring, and a support network that can help them start or **expand** their leadership. Keeping in line with this mission, GTL is proud to assume the lead role in presenting the Man and Woman of the Year and Founders Awards.

PAST RECIPIENTS
Man and Woman of the Year

1952 Arthur Pack, Mary Jeffries Bruce
1953 Ted Walker, Margaret Knight
1954 Jay Howenstine, Mrs George Harvill
1955 Peter Marroney, Esther Tang
1956 William Matthews, Betty Krucker
1957 Elmer Present, Helen Brown Keeling
1958 Edgar Goyette, Laura Ganoung
1959 Samuel Goddard Jr., Ruth Irving
1960 James Durbin, Sarah Hirsch
1961 John Ryan, Dorothy Forbes
1962 William Mitchell, Helen D'Autremont
1963 Gilbert Bradley, Emily Richmond
1964 Joseph Brennan, Mary M. Raymond
1965 Elmer Thierman, Florence Reynolds
1966 Jacob Fruchthendler, Ruth E. Ohifest
1967 George Rosenberg, Lydia Paulsen
1968 Morris Udall, Katie Dusenberry
1969 Douglas Holsclaw, Deborah Jacquin
1970 Clermont Loper, Ann Boice
1971 Richard Riley, Ann Soelter
1972 William Scott, Mary Acosta
1973 Fred Snowden, Alene Smith
1974 John Collins, Sister Kathleen Clark
1975 Edward Frohling, Alva B. Torres
1976 Edward Well, Norma Niblett
1977 Rev. Roland Brammeier, Helen Schaefer
1978 Leonard F. Skrobel, Ann-Eve Johnson
1979 Jack D. Davis, Dee O'Neill
1980 Soleng Tom, Laura T. Almquist
1981 James H. "Jim" Click, Mary L. Peachin
1982 R. B. "Buck" O'Rielly, Gail Kershner Riggs
1983 Leon Levy, Judith L. Tyree
1984 Larry Brown, Charlotte Harris
1985 Ed Butterbaugh, Jannie Cox
1986 James E. Neihart, Edith Sayre Auslander
1987 Don Shropshire, Brenda Viner
1988 Floyd Sedlmayr Jr., Alma Reaves
1989 Bob R. Pennington, Dorothy H. Finley
1990 Lute Olson, Gladys Sariat
1991 John F. Munger, Elizabeth T. Alexander
1992 George F. Miraben, Louise Thomas
1993 Henry "Hank" Oyama, Linda Yocum
1994 James F. Ronstadt, Sarah R. Simmons
1995 Stephen E. Jewett, Patricia Gilkeson Escher
1996 Burt Kinerk, Anna Jolivet
1997 Congressman Jim Kolbe, Slivy E. Cotton
1998 Jay Gonzales, Linda Lohse
1999 James Sakrison, Sally Spaid Drachman
2000 Michael Hard, Barbara Peck
2001 Richard G. Fimbres, Judge Leslie Miller
2002 Hal Ashton, Betsy Bolding
2003 William G Valenzuela, Dorothy Kret
2004 Jim Livengood, Mary Belle McCorkle
2005 Dave Sitton, Jan Lesher
2006 Humberto "Bert" Lopez, Nanette Warner
2007 Steve Lynn, Daisy Jenkins
2008 Larry Hecker, Sarah B. Smallhouse
2009 Bruce Dusenberry, Cindy Parseghian
2010 Bruce Beach, Lisa Lovallo
2012 Rick Myers, Colleen Niccum

Founders AWARD

1985 Roy Drachman
1986 David Arthur Bloom
1987 Cele Peterson, Henry Dahlberg
1988 George H. "Buddy" Amos, Jr.
1989 John M. Sakrison
1990 Gilbert Ronstadt
1991 Abbey J. Grunewald
1992 Gordon Packard, Nancy Bissell
1993 David "Mac" Lovitt, Robert S. Sundt
1994 Phoebe Finley Pack
1995 Sr., St Joan Willert, Harold Ashton
1996 Lew Murphy
1997 Paul H. Jones
1998 Martha Rothman
1999 William Clements, Dr. Thomas Jordan
2000 H. Wilson Sundt, Marian Lupu
20001 Mel Zukerman
2002 Schuyler Lininger
2004 Asa "Ace" Bushnell
2005 Cressworth Lander
2007 Tom Roof Jr.
2008 Donald R Diamond
2009 Dr John Schaefer
2010 Joel Valdez
2012 Tom Chandler

How GTL Positively Affects the Community

GTL is a proven civic leadership organization that grows inspired and effective leaders through current topical programs so that they become more successful and influential and have more opportunities to lead a strong community.

We believe that leadership can be cultivated, that good leadership is knowledgeable and connected, that effective leaders must come from a diverse perspective, that strong leaders are agents of change, that being engaged in the community is important to making change happen, that community leaders know how to have impact, that leaders can step up at any age or with any background, that leaders must claim their leadership, and that the best leaders serve.

The leadership traits we cultivate through GTL are visionary thinking, responsiveness, courage, accountability, innovation, motivation, collaboration, ethical leadership and influential communication.

Through GTL CLASS MEMBERS become:

- More informed and knowledgeable
- More resourceful
- Better connected
- Inspired to act
- Inclusive of diverse perspectives
- Knowledgeable on how to be a change agent
- Understanding how they personally want to have impact
- Grasping critical community issues

The organizations they represent benefit as their employees acquire:

- Sharpened leadership skills
- Ability to make change
- Greater visibility for increasing the profile of their organization
- Connections to be resourceful and get things done
- Confidence

The COMMUNITY is enhanced by engaged citizens who are:

- Knowledgeable
- Resourceful
- Invested
- Passionate
- Inspired
- Connected
- Confident
- Action-oriented