The hard work of community corrections professionals goes unnoticed far too often. To honor some of the outstanding leaders in our field, APPA presents a few prestigious awards each year.

Awards will be presented at APPA’s 2022 Winter Training Institute in Atlanta on January 30 - February 2, 2022. Two awards are up for grabs this year: the APPA President’s Award and Joe Kegans’ Award for Victim Services in Probation and Parole. Keep reading for descriptions and the means to apply!
JOE KEGANS’ AWARD FOR VICTIM SERVICES IN PROBATION AND PAROLE

This award honors an individual working in community corrections who has provided exemplary services to victims of crime. This distinguished award was established as a tribute to the late Judge Joe Kegans, a founding member of APPA’s Victim Issues Committee, who devoted her career as a jurist to bettering the lives of all with whom she came into contact. Nominees for this award may be living or deceased, and preference will be given to community corrections professions or volunteers who have personally experienced criminal victimization and have used that experience to help others.

NOMINATION CRITERIA

1. Written Justification – Description of justification and/or contributions the nominee has made that supports the award, including a curriculum vitae or resume.

2. Testimonial – One testimonial from supporters from the profession, treatment services, law enforcement, victims, clients or the community, as appropriate for the award.

PRESIDENT’S AWARD

Recipients of the President’s Award include individuals, agencies, and programs that have advanced the system through effective and innovative community corrections or crime prevention programs, advancements in technology, or publishing a national article which provides insight into effective community corrections practices. The President may select up to two recipients each year.

NOMINATION CRITERIA

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Deadline for Nominations is
November 15, 2021
Submit Your Nominations!