Each year, APPA presents prestigious awards to community corrections leaders with distinguished professional achievements and best practice ideas. Award nominations are accepted twice each year and are presented at our annual and winter training institutes.

Awards will be presented at APPA's 2021 Winter Training Institute on February 22, 2021. 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 a summary of criteria and how to apply!
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**

1. **Written Justification** – Description of justification and/or contributions the nominee has made that supports the recommended award.

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

**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 support 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 each award.

**Deadline for Nominations is**

November 30, 2020

Submit Nominations Today!