

## Volunteer Recognition and Awards Information

Award	Region	Submission Timeline	Categories	Website	Notes
7Everyday Hero Award, Channel 7 CBS	Colorado	Ongoing	Individual Volunteers	<a href="http://www.thedenverchannel.com/nominate-7everyday-hero">http://www.thedenverchannel.com/nominate-7everyday-hero</a>	Winner is highlighted on newscast Must be Colorado resident and age 12 or older; 9
9Who Cares, 9News	Colorado	Due Aug. 31	Individual Volunteers	<a href="http://www.9news.com/story/news/community/2014/09/17/9who-care-award-program/14096331/">http://www.9news.com/story/news/community/2014/09/17/9who-care-award-program/14096331/</a>	individuals are selected; winner is honored at banquet and highlighted in newscast; winning nominating organizations receive \$1,000 Nominees can be individuals, groups, companies, organizations, even pets; heroes may have used first aid to save a life, work to improve health of others, embodied the spirit of community service, prepared others for disaster, shown great support for military families, served as a member of the armed forces; honorees will be honored at a ceremony in Jun.
Celebrating Community Heroes, American Red Cross of Northern Colorado	Northern Colorado	Due Mar. 31	Hero Award, Lifesaver Award	<a href="http://www.redcross.org/local/co/denver/about-us/contact-us/nominate-a-hero-or-lifesaver">http://www.redcross.org/local/co/denver/about-us/contact-us/nominate-a-hero-or-lifesaver</a>	
Colorado Nonprofit Week awards, Colorado Nonprofit Association	Colorado	Due late Oct.	<b>William Funk Award for Building Stronger Communities</b> ; Legislator of the Year Award; Public Service Lifetime Achievement Award; Excellence in Media Award	<a href="http://www.coloradononprofits.org/">http://www.coloradononprofits.org/</a>	Winners recognized at Nonprofit Week ceremony in March
Daily Point of Light Award, Points of Light Institute	National	Ongoing	Individual Volunteers	<a href="http://www.pointsoflight.org/programs/recognition/dpol/nomination">http://www.pointsoflight.org/programs/recognition/dpol/nomination</a>	Must be US Resident or Citizen and volunteered regularly for past 6 months; highlighted on Points of Light website
Governor's Service Awards, Serve Colorado	Colorado	Due end of Jun.	AmeriCorps State Member, Nonprofit Organization, Volunteer, Community Leader, AmeriCorps VISTA Member, Returned Peace Corps Volunteer, Veteran Volunteer	<a href="https://www.colorado.gov/servecolorado">https://www.colorado.gov/servecolorado</a>	Nominees must be Colorado residents and serve Colorado communities; winners are honored at award ceremony hosted by the Governor and Lt. Governor at the State Capitol in Aug.
Human Relations Awards, City of Fort Collins Human Relations Committee	Fort Collins	Due mid. Oct	Police and Emergency Services Award, Senior Award, Adult Award, Youth Award, Organization Award	<a href="http://www.fcgov.com/hra/">http://www.fcgov.com/hra/</a>	Recognizes those in our community who promote acceptance and respect for diversity in the City of Fort Collins; honorees recognized at ceremony in Nov.

Larimer RSVP Service Awards, Volunteers of America Northern Colorado Services	Larimer	Due Apr. 1	Lead with Experience, Rookie of the Year, Steady Eddy, Volunteer of the Year, Volunteer Group of the Year, Volunteer Manager of the Year	<a href="http://www.voacolorado.org">www.voacolorado.org</a>	Volunteers and Volunteer Managers must be active members of the Larimer RSVP Program; volunteer nominees must be age 55 or better; volunteers must have served at least 10 lifetime hours recorded with RSVP; all nominees are honored at Larimer RSVP Service Awards event; winners receive special notice and gift of appreciation
Mayor's Awards, City of Fort Collins Commission on Disability	Fort Collins	Due mid Sep.	Dorothy Lasley Memorial Award, Employer of the Year, Employee of the Year, Service Provider of the Year, Spirit of Fort Collins, <b>Volunteer of the Year</b> , Partnership Award	<a href="http://www.fcgov.com/cityclerk/disability.php">http://www.fcgov.com/cityclerk/disability.php</a>	Recognizes individuals with special needs and those who advocate for them; honorees recognized at ceremony in Oct.
National Philanthropy Day Community Heroes, Association for Fundraising Professionals	National	Ongoing	Philanthropist, Volunteer Fundraiser, Corporation, Foundations, Youth in Philanthropy Group, and Youth in Philanthropy Individual	<a href="http://npdlove.com/">http://npdlove.com/</a>	Nominations submit a video story; semi-finalists are voted on by the general public through social media; videos are highlighted on website; top honorees are invited to National Philanthropy Day Honor event in New York around Nov. 15
National Philanthropy Day in Colorado, Association for Fundraising Professionals Colorado Chapter	Colorado	Due in Jul	Large Business, Small Business, Foundation, Philanthropist, Professional Fundraiser, Professional Grantmaker, Service Organization, <b>Volunteer Fundraiser, Volunteer, Youth, Lifetime Achievement</b>	<a href="http://afpcolorado.afpnet.org/Content.cfm?ItemNumber=24028&amp;navItemNumber=5496">http://afpcolorado.afpnet.org/Content.cfm?ItemNumber=24028&amp;navItemNumber=5496</a>	Nominations include nomination form, 2 pg. nomination narrative, and 2 letters of support; winners are honored in a ceremony around Nov. 15
National Philanthropy Day in Estes Park, Estes Park Nonprofit Resource Center	Estes Park	Due mid Oct	Eduring Service, Business Philanthropist of the Year, Philanthropist of the Year, Youth Philanthropist of the Year	<a href="http://www.epnonprofit.org/programs/philanthropy-day-2/">http://www.epnonprofit.org/programs/philanthropy-day-2/</a>	Nominations serve the Estes Park community and are honored at a ceremonial dinner around Nov. 15
Older Americans Month Awards, Larimer County Office on Aging	Larimer	Due Apr. 15	<b>Outstanding Senior, Outstanding Family Caregiver</b>	<a href="http://www.larimer.org/seniors/">http://www.larimer.org/seniors/</a>	Outstanding Senior Award honors a senior who is dedicated to serving other seniors; winners are honored at awards ceremony in May

President's Volunteer Service Awards, Corporation for National and Community Service	National	Ongoing	Kids, Teens, Young Adults, Adults, Families and Groups, Lifetime Achievement	<a href="http://www.presidentialserviceawards.gov/">http://www.presidentialserviceawards.gov/</a>	Bronze, silver and gold awards available based on number of hours served ; award packages can include pins, coins, certificates, letter from the President of the United States; award packages must be purchased: cost ranges from \$2.25-\$8.00
Pride Awards, Town of Estes Park	Estes Park	Due Mar. 31	Teacher, Businessperson, Volunteer and Volunteer Group of the Year; Student Pride Scholarship Award	<a href="https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/townofestespark/pride-awards">https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/townofestespark/pride-awards</a>	Volunteer must be a resident and serve within the Estes Valley area, Student Pride award winner receives \$3500 scholarship
Senior Service Award, Bridging the Gap- Elder Care Network of Northern Colorado	Northern Colorado	Due early Sep.	Individual Volunteers	<a href="http://eldercarenet.org/">http://eldercarenet.org/</a>	Winner is honored at annual Senior Services networking event and luncheon
State of the Community Award, United Way of Larimer County	Larimer	Due mid Mar.	Education Volunteer Hero, Income Volunteer Hero, Basic Needs Volunteer Hero, Corporate	<a href="http://www.uwaylc.org">www.uwaylc.org</a>	Winners highlighted in State of the Community and honored at Recognition Celebration breakfast; winners will be decided by general public vote through social media Nominees must have served for 6 uninterrupted months and still be volunteering; L'Oreal makes a \$10,000 to charity of winner's choice; winners receive all-expense paid trip to NYC for ceremony in Dec. ; nominees can self-submit
Women of Worth, L'Oreal Paris	National	Due May 31	All Individual Volunteer awards: Ages 18-29, Ages 30-39, Ages 40-49, Ages 50-59, 60+	<a href="http://www.lorealparisusa.com/en/women-of-worth.aspx">http://www.lorealparisusa.com/en/women-of-worth.aspx</a>	