

CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON

RESOLUTION NO. 149

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, REVISING RESOLUTIONS 054 AND 120 ESTABLISHING CRITERIA FOR THE CITIZENS AWARDS PROGRAM, ESTABLISHING A NEW AWARD CATEGORY AND PROVIDING FOR A PROCESS FOR THE NAMING OF AWARD RECIPIENTS.

WHEREAS, the City of Burien wishes to foster and encourage strong commitment to the community by its citizens and business community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Burien encourages participation among public, private and non-profit entities in community-based activities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Burien believes such participation and commitment to the community should be acknowledged and officially recognized.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Establishment of an Awards Program. The City of Burien hereby supports the formation of an awards program to recognize outstanding contributions made by citizens and business entities.

Section 2. Awards. Awards shall be made in the following categories: (1) Outstanding Business Leader; (2) Outstanding Community Activist; (3) Outstanding Education Innovator; and, (4) Outstanding Environmental Leader. The awards shall be given at a specially organized community event.

Section 3. Selection. The City Council shall evaluate the nominations submitted and based on specific criteria, select the award recipients.

Section 4. Evaluation Criteria. The Council shall consider nominees according to what they have contributed to the community, when and how long they have contributed, and how the contribution has benefited the community. Burien residency is preferable. Only volunteer activity will qualify. The following selection criteria for each category shall apply:

- (a) Business Leader
 - Group or individual
 - Sole proprietor, partnership or corporation for profit
 - Standing in the community
 - Community involvement
 - Good business standards (role model)

- (b) Community Leader
 - Group or individual
 - Person or non-profit/public sector leader
 - Community involvement beyond usual role/citizenship
 - Community standing (role model)

- (c) Educational Leader
 - Group or individual
 - Outside of normal professional & educational duties
 - Community involvement/citizenship
 - Community standing (role model)

- (d) Environmental Leader
 - Group or individual
 - Outside of normal professional duties
 - Community involvement/citizenship
 - Community standing (role model)

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURIEN, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF THIS 18TH DAY OF MARCH, 2002.

CITY OF BURIEN

Wing Woo, Mayor

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Janice Hubbard, City Clerk

Approved as to form:

Lisa Marshall, City Attorney

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