# | Agenda Item | cover sheet

for consideration by the Apex Town Council

Item Type:

PRESENTATION

Meeting Date:

April 08, 2025

## Item Details

Presenter(s): Mayor Jacques K. Gilbert

Brianne Gill, Community Engagement Manager

Department(s): Governing Body

Community Development and Neighborhood Connections

#### Requested Motion

Presentation of the Tenth Annual "Think Apex" Awards to the "Top Thinker" and "Honorable Mention" in the categories of Business, Individual or Group, Non-Profit, and Youth.

### <u>Approval Recommended?</u>

N/A

#### Item Details

This will be the presentation of the 10<sup>th</sup> annual "Think Apex" Awards. Awards will be given to the "Top Thinker" and "Honorable Mention" in the categories of: Business, Individual or Group, Non-Profit and Youth. The "Think Apex" initiative was created in 2014 to foster and encourage a local mindset within the Apex community among businesses, residents and visitors. Think Apex empowers the community to celebrate, engage, play, volunteer, shop, eat and work locally.

The Think Apex Awards recognizes local businesses, individuals, groups, non-profits and youth for their dedicated service to others and to the Apex community at large. Nominations were received through a public, online application process. Nominees must be physically located in Apex and were considered for their acts of service in 2024.

During the ceremony, the Apex Town Council will be asked to stand in front of the dais and form a line to shake hands with each award recipient. Winners will come forward when their name is called. The Mayor and former Mayor Pro Tempore Nicole Dozier will be positioned at the end of the line to present the award to recipients. After receiving the awards, winners will pose for a guick photo.

Attachments:
<ul> <li>PR4 - Think Apex Award Certificates (to be announced during the meeting)</li> </ul>