

Folsom City Council Staff Report

MEETING DATE:	9/10/2024
AGENDA SECTION:	Scheduled Presentations
SUBJECT:	Presentation of Spirit of Folsom Awards
FROM:	City Manager's Office

RECOMMENDATION / CITY COUNCIL ACTION

The Folsom City Council will recognize the 2024 Spirit of Folsom Award recipients.

BACKGROUND / ISSUE

The Folsom City Council regularly celebrates community members for their outstanding service, dedication, and commitment to making Folsom a better place for all.

On January 23, 2024, the Folsom City Council established an annual community service award and recognition program to formalize and expand efforts to spotlight those who have significantly contributed to the Folsom community.

In July 2024, the Spirit of Folsom Award Program commenced, and a call for nominations was issued to the public. In this program, each City Councilmember nominates one recipient from their respective City Council district each year, resulting in the acknowledgment of five recipients annually. An award nominee must be a resident, volunteer, employee of a Folsom business, or a student enrolled in a school within the City of Folsom. The City of Folsom website provides details about the nomination, application, and selection process.

Award recipients will be honored with an award at the September 10 Folsom City Council meeting. Their achievements will be displayed at Folsom City Hall and highlighted on the City's website, newsletter, and social media platforms.

2024 Spirit of Folsom Award Winners:

- Jeff Ferreira-Pro, nominated by Mayor Mike Kozlowski
- Brian Smith, nominated by Vice Mayor Sarah Aquino
- Jeff Moore, nominated by Councilmember Anna Rohrbough
- Sandy Zaboukos, nominated by Councilmember YK Chalamcherla

- DeAnn Wren, nominated by Councilmember YK Chalamcherla
- Steve Heard, nominated by Councilmember Rosario Rodriguez

Submitted,

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