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TUCSON PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION AWARDS PRESENTATION

The 2014 Tucson Parks and Recreation Commission Awards will be presented by Mayor Rothschild on Tuesday, May 20, 2014 at the Mayor and Council meeting beginning at 5:30 p.m. There are 9 recipients this year, below is a list of the individuals and organizations who will receive an award including a brief description of their accomplishments.

Liddie MacNeil

In recognition of outstanding public service and mentoring in the field of Therapeutics, special generosity to families of children with disabilities, and loving care of foster animals.

Anne Andrews

In recognition of volunteer leadership and dedication at the Reid Rose Garden and the passionate care of roses which provide beauty and pleasure to the public.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and President A. Cole Theis of the Tucson Arizona Stake

In appreciation of efforts of the organization in providing over 200 volunteers for "Operation Clean Sweep" at Groves Park, resulting in the removal of 33 tons of debris in a four hour period.

Popcycle Group

In appreciation of efforts of this new organization in providing education to the public regarding buffleggrass, and their commitment in participating in the "Clean Sweep" program at Groves Park, art projects at Apollo School, and adoptive highway on Rita Road.

Rincon East Mobile Home Park

For exemplary volunteerism and commitment to keep 4 miles of Escalante and Camino Seco Roads clean.

Simon Herbert and David Yubeta

In recognition of outstanding work in coordinating agencies to provide historical accuracy and maintenance of adobe and historical structures throughout Southern Arizona.

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Friends of Fort Lowell Park

In appreciation for improving Ft. Lowell Park experiences for the public through enhancement of wildlife habitation to the pond area through native plants, protective bird nesting areas, and educational signage.

29th Street C.A.N. Community Assistance Network

In appreciation of numerous volunteer hours in assisting elderly and people with disabilities live at home safely and comfortably by provision of transportation, social activities at Freedom Center, and home help.

Joseph Miller

In recognition of his leadership and advocacy for community needs, parks and public spaces throughout Ward 1.

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