

Employee Award Ceremony Snapshot

Chair and Commissioners speak from a lectern that will be placed in front of their usual board seats on the dais. It is easier to get to and from the lectern from in front, so the seats directly behind the presenters table will be reserved for the Chair and Commissioners.

Slideshow of all nominees running on screen above the dais as people arrive.

A full speech for all the Commissioners and Chair will be provided. Each recipient (or one person on a team) will be allowed to “say a few words” in accepting their award. The order below **may** be adjusted as we accommodate the Chair’s schedule and depending on who makes the opening remarks.

1:00 (or so) Commissioner Jessica Vega Pederson will kick off ceremony with Welcome/Introduction

- Superior Public Service to External Customers – Luis Hernandez - Presented by Commissioner Jessica Vega Pederson
- Diversity & Cultural Competency Award – Bienestar de la Familia - Presented by Commissioner Loretta Smith
- Superior Public Service to Internal Customers – Brian Kaminski - Presented by Commissioner Loretta Smith
- Employee Innovation Award – Cartegraph Implementation Team - Presented by Commissioner Sharon Meieran
- Employee Innovation Award – Elizabeth O’Neill - Presented by Commissioner Sharon Meieran
- Sustainability Award – DCJ Bike Team - Presented by Commissioner Lori Stegmann
- Committee’s Choice Award – Joint Office for Homeless Services - Presented by Commissioner Lori Stegmann
- Outstanding Team Achievement Award – Sellwood Bridge Project Team - Presented by Chair Deborah Kafoury (Or her designee)
- Chair’s Excellence Award – Raymond De Silva - Presented by Chair Deborah Kafoury (or her designee)

Closing Remarks by Chair Deborah Kafoury (or her designee)

The ceremony itself usually runs between 75-90 minutes, depending on how long the award recipients speak.

Cake, coffee and other snacks provided immediately following in room 112.

Scheduled to run until 3:00 including refreshments and mingling.