

2015 APPA AWARDS

Recognizing Accomplishments



SCOTIA KNOUFF LINE OFFICER OF THE YEAR

Leticia Longoria-Navarro

Probation/Parole Officer
Multnomah County Department of
Community Justice
Portland, OR

In addition to Officer Longoria-Navarro's normal caseload duties as a Parole and Probation Officer, she is a key contributor to the implementation of Evidence Based Practices including Effective Practices In Correctional Supervision (EPICS), Offender Management System (OMS) and Sex Offender Supervision for Multnomah County's 130 Parole and Probation Officers and 20 Corrections Counselors. Not only has Leticia preformed these above and beyond duties for the Department, but also for many other Oregon Parole and Probation Departments and for the State of Oregon's Department of Corrections.

Leticia actively looks for and acts on opportunities to continuously improve services, exhibits initiative and follow through and uses creative/innovative thinking. She is certified by the University of Cincinnati in Motivational Interviewing and as an EPICS trainer. She has created policies specific to OMS, Behavioral Change Plans, EPICS and Sex Offender Supervision. Leticia has conducted multiple OMS/Behavioral Change Plan trainings throughout the State both independently and in partnership with DOC. Leticia is an active, contributing team member of the Oregon Statewide, Sex Offender Supervision Network (Training Chair) and the Statewide Assessment and Case Planning committee (OMS training sub-committee). She has been certified by the National Institute of Corrections (NIC) as a Thinking for a Change trainer and is currently co-facilitating a class for offenders. Leticia has been a presenter at the Oregon Criminal Defense Lawyers Association (OCDLA) and Oregon Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (OATSA) conferences.

**THIS AWARD WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE OPENING
SESSION, SUNDAY, JULY 12 AT 5:30 PM.**

NOMINEES FOR THE SCOTIA KNOUFF LINE OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARD

Christopher Clark
Probation and Parole Officer IV
OK Dept. of Corrections
Tulsa, OK

Lisa Lewis
Senior Probation Officer
Pima County Adult Probation
Dept.
Tucson, AZ

Joseph Rinaldi
Program Coordinator
Westchester County Probation
Dept.
White Plains, NY

Kelli Spriggs
Community Supervision Officer
CSOSA
Washington, DC

Crystall Williams
Community Supervision Officer
CSOSA
Washington, DC

Dave Williams
Probation Officer
Hamilton County Probation Dept.
Noblesville, IN

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WALTER DUNBAR MEMORIAL AWARD

Barbara Broderick
Chief Probation Officer
Maricopa County Probation
Department
Phoenix, AZ

In addition to her many achievements in Maricopa County, Barbara Broderick has served the American Probation and Parole Association tirelessly. She currently serves on the Board of Directors as a Past President. During her years on both the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee she has represented her profession at the national level with great distinction. In addition to serving APPA, she was elected Chair of the Arizona Parents' Commission on Drug Education and Prevention, the National Association of Drug Court Professionals, and the National Association of Probation Executives. She is without a doubt one of the most respected leaders in our profession.

Most impressive has been her ability to consistently deliver results, even when faced with significant budget restraints. The Maricopa County Adult Probation Department routinely conducts satisfaction surveys that include employees, offenders, treatment providers, community partners, victims and law enforcement partners. Employees rated their overall satisfaction at 87%, offenders at 89%, and law enforcement partners at over 88%. Given the various dynamics involved, these are truly impressive numbers and evidence of a department committed to approaching public safety with professionalism and compassion.

Chief Broderick has impressive stature in the field of community corrections. When national organizations look for practitioners to serve on committees to investigate an issue, you will continually see her name.

**THIS AWARD WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE
PLENARY SESSION, MONDAY, JULY 13 AT 8:30 AM.**



MEMBER OF THE YEAR

Michael P. Cimino
Deputy Chief
Maricopa County Probation
Department
Phoenix, AZ

Michael has been a member of APPA for several years, and is a graduate of the Leadership Institute. He is known for his high standards of performance. He cares for this association and he is always willing to assist in any capacity he can to move this us to the next level.

Michael has a passion for the work in community corrections overall. Not only does he work full-time for the Maricopa County Adult Probation Department, but he is truly an active member of APPA. Whenever he is asked to take a demanding role at APPA he does not hesitate to accept the position.

In these past years, Michael has served as the 2013 (Phoenix) Winter Institute Local Host Chair, the Program Chair for the 39th Annual Training Institute in New Orleans, and is currently serving as the Program Co-Chair for the Los Angeles 40th Annual Training Institute along with Audrey Rigsbee. Michael is well known within the association for dedication, passion, and an eye for detail. He is highly respected by his peers both within the association and back in Phoenix.

The combination of Michael's high ethical standards and vast experience enable him to be an excellent example to others and a remarkable representative of APPA.

**THIS AWARD WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE
LUNCHEON, TUESDAY, JULY 14 AT 12:30 PM.**

2014 APPA AWARDS

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APPA AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY CRIME PREVENTION

Max-Out Reentry Program (M.O.R.E.)

GA State Board of Pardons and Paroles
Atlanta, GA

The State Board of Pardons and Paroles joined together in a collaborative effort with the Georgia Department of Corrections (GDC) in the implementation of the MaxOut ReEntry (M.O.R.E.) program. The M.O.R.E. program provides transitional services to offenders maxing out of prison and focuses on addressing the offender's criminogenic needs by providing access to mental health and/or substance abuse services, stable housing, and employment prior to release. The program is engineered to address the risk/needs of this population and establish a continuum of care with community resource providers prior to the offender's release. The M.O.R.E. program allows inmates, who would have otherwise maxed out of prison, the opportunity to effectively integrate back into the community with tools and resources to succeed as a citizen.

The M.O.R.E. program targets offenders who are statutorily ineligible for parole or have been denied parole and are within 12 to 18 months of their maximum release date. Offenders that are parole eligible but originally denied parole may be reconsidered based on their success in the program. Each Transitional Center has an assigned a Specialized Parole Officer (SPO) that monitors and assists residents toward reentry. The SPO will submit the reconsideration request based on each offender's ability to succeed on parole and success in the program and once approved by the Board, the resident will be released on parole and continued to be supervised by the Equal Opportunity Employer requesting SPO. Offenders who are noncompliant are returned to prison if a collective recommendation is made by the GDC Transitional Center Superintendent and the assigned parole officer.

This award will be presented at the Opening Session on Sunday, January 11 at 6:00 p.m.

JOE KEGANS AWARD FOR VICTIM SERVICES IN PROBATION AND PAROLE



Angela R. McCown

Director, Victim Services
TX Dept. of Criminal Justice/CJAD
Austin, TX

Since 2008, Angie McCown has been the Director of Victim Services for the TX Department of Criminal Justice and has worked with victims for the majority of her career. Her department is responsible for providing services to victims while the offender is incarcerated or on community supervision. The TDCJ Victim Services Division is dedicated to providing direct, personal service to victims and their families throughout Texas, as well as assisting those outside the state. Many of the services provided include, but are not limited to, legislatively mandated victim services. These services include a toll free hotline, victim notification, vine automated notification, statewide victim resource directory, victim impact statement updates, victim assistance training, victim impact panels, victim offender dialogue, and victim family execution accompaniment.

Angie's work has had a tremendous impact nationally on how victim assistance, law enforcement and community corrections professionals in the field have responded to the needs of victims of crime. Angie has also been recognized nationally by the United States Department of Justice (USDOJ), Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) as an expert instructor in victim services and community corrections, where she continues to identify best practices through cutting edge approaches to serving victims of crimes and educating criminal justice professionals. She serves as a volunteer for "Concerns of Police Survivors" (COPS), an organization that provides support and counseling for families of officers killed in the line of duty. Angie's continued dedication over the years and her recruitment of counselors to participate in Kid's Camp, Parent's and Spouse's Retreat programs, has helped many families rebuild their lives.

In addition, Angie is the current Chair of the APPA Victims' Issues Committee and leads the group in many endeavors for the association. Her volunteerism for APPA is greatly valued by the entire membership.

This award will be presented at the Plenary Session on Monday, January 12 at 8:30 a.m.