

# *Past Leadership Awards Recipients*

## **Business Development Awards**

- 2016 Centene Corporation  
Materials Lifecycle Management Company  
SKF Lubrication Business Unit
- 2015 Watlow Electric  
Raven Development for Crossings at Northwest
- 2014 Charter Communications
- 2013 National Retail Properties, Inc.  
World Wide Technology, Inc.
- 2012 Corporate College-SLCC  
Express Scripts  
Northwest HealthCare Expansion
- 2011 Michael Lonero  
Paul Cerame Ford, Lincoln, Kia  
SSM Rehabilitation Hospital
- 2010 Bommarito of Hazelwood  
Express Scripts Pharmacy Technology &  
Innovation Center Partnership  
NARA Project Partnership
- 2009 Ron McMullen  
Serenity Women's Healthcare, Inc.
- 2008 Route 367 Project, MoDOT and HDR  
St. Louis Co. Economic Council,  
Denny Coleman  
Farzad Faramarzi
- 2007 NorthPark Partners – Clayco & McEagle  
City of Hazelwood, Mayor T.R. Carr
- 2006 Edward Bennett  
City of Florissant, Mayor Robert Lowery
- 2005 Alberici Constructors  
Patrick McKeehan, CEcD
- 2004 Touhill Performing Arts Center at UMSL
- 2003 Taylor Morley Homes
- 2002 GKN Aerospace Services
- 2001 TriStar Business Communities
- 2000 Steve Pokorny
- 1999 Blanche M. Touhill
- 1998 Joyce Spezia  
Gabe Grossberg

## **Elmer Belsha Leadership Awards**

- 2016 Ron McMullen
- 2015 Carolyn Marty
- 2014 Patty Gould
- 2013 Kim Bakker
- 2012 Lillie Dumas
- 2011 Diana Weidinger
- 2010 Mark Tranel, Ph.D
- 2009 Chris Wright, Ph.D
- 2008 Terry Proffitt
- 2007 Ann Brand
- 2006 Joe Lonero
- 2005 Rosemary Davison
- 2004 Karen McKay
- 2003 Sister Karl Mary Winkelman
- 2002 Larry S. Humphries, Ph.D
- 2001 Lowell Girardier
- 2000 Councilman Charlie A. Dooley (St. Louis Co.)

## **Memorial Awards**

- 2010 Lowell Girardier
- 1998 Dr. Elmer Belsha

## **Community Development Awards**

- 2016 Metro North County Transit Center  
Rev. Cedric Portis, Sr., Third Presbyterian  
Church  
Zykan Family Partnership
- 2015 Rosemary Whitehead  
Jack Olson, University of Missouri-St. Louis
- 2014 Hazelwood School District  
Scott Negwer
- 2013 Citizens for the Advancement of Normandy  
St. Louis Co. Nuisance Property  
Clean-Up Initiative
- 2012 Kim Braddy  
Jennings Do-Dads  
Ken Smith
- 2011 24:1 Initiative, Beyond Housing  
Carolyn Simpson  
Chief William Karabas  
Chief Carl Wolf
- 2010 Lottie Holland Wade  
Overland Business Assoc., Mitch Wilson
- 2009 Marsha Bonds  
Florissant Parks Foundation  
Old Jamestown Association
- 2008 Betty Coll  
Pat Watson  
City of Jennings, Mayor Ben Sutphin
- 2007 Kim Bakker  
Carolyn Marty  
Dr. Rance Thomas
- 2006 Boeing F-18 Division  
Florissant Valley Jaycees  
Sister Rosalyce Mercurio, SSND
- 2005 Lillian Eunice  
Rev. Tommie Pierson
- 2004 Mark and Pam Barnstead
- 2003 Robert Copithorne  
Rev. B.T. Rice
- 2002 Bob Robinson  
Captain Robert Trittler
- 2001 Leslie Briegleb  
Dora Gianoulakis
- 2000 Steve Stygar
- 1999 Mary Kay Gladbach  
Father Don Wester
- 1998 Vern Schmitz  
Rosemary Davison  
Joe Lonero

## **Excellence in Partnership Recognition**

- 2016 Gateway Streets-Natural Bridge Corridor  
Partnership  
City of Normandy, East-West Gateway,  
Great Rivers Greenway, MoDOT, St. Louis  
County, University of Missouri-St. Louis
- 2015 Regional Business Council  
St. Louis Economic Development  
Partnership  
St. Louis Regional Chamber

## **Legacy Awards**

- 2007 Florissant Valley Chamber, D. Weidinger
- 2007 Lowell Girardier
- 2007 Rotary Club of Florissant

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## **Public Service Awards**

- 2016 Doug Baum (Ritenour School District)  
Ruby Curry (STLCC)  
Bob Russell (Florissant)
- 2015 Chief Robert S. Pruett  
Denny Coleman, CEcD, FM, HLM  
Mayor Viola Murphy
- 2014 Jerry Dunn, Ph.D.  
Lt. Jeffrey Fuesting  
Mayor Norman McCourt (Black Jack)  
Marcia Pfeiffer, Ph.D.
- 2013 Dr. George Albin III  
St. Louis County Executive Dooley  
Councilman Dwayne James (Ferguson)  
Rosemary Johnson
- 2012 Dr. Cheryl Compton  
Brian Fletcher (Ferguson)  
Ann Gibbons  
Mayor Monica Huddleston (Greendale)
- 2011 Mayor Jack Agnew (Dellwood)  
Senator Tim Green  
Mayor Robert G. Lowery (Florissant)  
Mayor M. Rudloff (Bellevue Neighbors)  
Jeffrey R. Spiegel
- 2010 Councilman Keith English (Florissant)  
Ed Carlstrom (Hazelwood)
- 2009 Mayor Virginia A. Bira (Vinita Park)  
Randy Gardner  
Judge Timothy Kelly (Florissant)
- 2008 Councilman Thomas Schneider (Florissant)  
Thomas Zak (Dellwood)  
Nancy Otte

## **Sustaining Our Community Awards**

- 2016 Dr. Rance Thomas, NCCU
- 2015 Emerson  
St. Louis Crisis Nursery  
Urban League

## **Outstanding Citizen Awards**

- 1997 John Londoff, Jr.  
John Caravelli
- 1996 Mark Behlmann  
Dave Otto  
Don Zykan, Sr.
- 1995 Charlotte Ballard  
Elliot Henry
- 1994 Judy Notestein  
Darryl Sandweg
- 1993 Catherine Bono  
Fred Buchholz
- 1992 Gregory Campbell  
Carole Ann Price
- 1991 Lowell Girardier  
John Stygar
- 1990 Kenneth Behlmann  
Paul Kohlen
- 1989 Linda Behlmann  
Edward James
- 1988 Paul Detrick  
James Fischer
- 1987 Donald L. Bond  
Louis Roberts

## **Special Recognition Awards**

- 2016 Dr. Tiffany Anderson, Jennings School District
- 2015 Scott Bonner  
I ♥ Ferguson
- 2014 Brian Goldman  
Veronica Morrow Reel
- 2012 Jerrilyn Eberhardt  
Hubert Hoosman, Jr.
- 2011 Bonnie Barczykowski  
Vickie C. Wade
- 2009 Lisa Bishop  
Fletcher E. Wells II
- 2008 Touhill Performing Arts Center Vol. Guild  
Dave Beal  
Inclusion Taskforce, Chair B. Bobo-Fisher
- 2007 Charles Henson  
Chairman M. Bradford (Velda Village Hills)
- 2006 McBride & Son Homes  
Mayor W. Ratchford (Woodson Terrace)
- 2005 Dr. Hugh Kinney  
Chief Carl Wolf  
John Londoff, Sr.  
G. Joe Schulte
- 2004 Chief Ron Battelle (St. Louis Co.)  
Paul Crisler  
Hazelwood 1<sup>st</sup> Initiative (HSD)
- 2002 Councilman James O'Mara (St. Louis Co.)  
Robert P. Doerr  
Robert Drummond
- 2001 Jayne Kasten
- 2000 Chris Wright, Ph.D
- 1999 Grace & Don Zykan
- 1998 Pam Anzer  
Ruth Belsha
- 1997 Randy Gardner  
Bette O'Keefe
- 1996 David Otto  
Bill Wilkerson
- 1995 Jean Montgomery  
Willard Valentine
- 1994 Kenneth Otto  
Thomas Schneider
- 1993 Jane Walters  
Col. Robert G. Lowery
- 1992 Fred L. Brown  
Stephen E. Frank
- 1991 Diana Weidinger
- 1988 Charles F. Grimm  
Douglas W. Palmer

## **Volunteer of the Year Awards**

- 2005 Richard P. Dorsey  
Blue Tapp Scheffer,  
Krysti Harris
- 2004 Ralph Schulte