

November 7, 2007

Dear EDCAR Member:

Now is the time for the annual “Distinguished Service” awards nominations. We will recognize four categories:

REALTOR® of the Year

Affiliate of the Year

REALTOR® Citizen of the Year

*The Debbie Amaral Memorial Award
(Formerly Affiliate Citizen of the Year)*

Criteria for each category are attached, along with the nomination forms. Please take a few moments to nominate those individuals who are deserving of these awards. All nomination forms should be submitted to the Association office by November 28, 2007. The recipients will be announced at the EDCAR Installation/Awards luncheon on December 14, 2007.

We want to take this opportunity to recognize those special people who have gone above and beyond the call of duty to give extraordinary service to the Association and the community. We want to recognize these special individuals as an Association and also to let the entire community know about their contributions through media releases to the Mountain Democrat and the Sacramento Bee. Please submit your nominations as soon as possible. You can fax them to 530 676-0180 or email to association@edcar.org or mail to the P.O. Box below.

Thank you for taking the time to help us acknowledge these Members.

Sincerely,

Joanne Frisk

Joanne Frisk, Chairperson
Awards Committee
El Dorado County Association of REALTORS®

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

"REALTOR® OF THE YEAR" "AFFILIATE OF THE YEAR" AWARD CRITERIA

1. *Be a member of the El Dorado County Association of Realtors®.*
2. *Active participation in EDCAR activities during the award year including leadership on subcommittee, committee, task force, division and/or Board of Directors.*
3. *A demonstrated ability to generate participation by others in EDCAR activities through enthusiastic and effective leadership...*
4. *A demonstrated commitment to EDCAR through recent years of volunteerism.*
5. *EDCAR Officers of the Board are **EXCLUDED**.*

REALTOR® CITIZEN OF THE YEAR Award Criteria

1. *Be a **REALTOR® member** of the El Dorado County Association of REALTORS®.*
2. *Length of community service: Prior community service will be considered.*
3. *Achievement: Personal achievement outside the realm of a paid position (as a volunteer)*
4. *Review and consideration of any letters of recommendation or commendation from outside reference, i.e.: Broker, manager, civic or community input will be considered. .*
5. *A demonstrated dedication to the benefit and well being of others through dedicated service.*
6. *Participation in charitable and public service activities outside the EDCAR organization that enhance the image of the real estate industry.*

The Debbie Amaral Memorial Award
Award Criteria

This Award was formerly known as “The Affiliate Citizen of the Year”. We have changed the name to honor the memory of one of our outstanding Affiliates who received this award in 2003.

1. *Be an Affiliate **member** of the El Dorado County Association of REALTORS®.*
2. *Length of community service: Prior community service will be considered.*
3. *Achievement: Personal achievement outside the realm of a paid position (as a volunteer)*
4. *Review and consideration of any letters of recommendation or commendation from outside reference, i.e.: Broker, manager, civic or community input will be considered. .*
5. *A demonstrated dedication to the benefit and well being of others through dedicated service.*
6. *Participation in charitable and public service activities outside the EDCAR organization that enhance the image of the real estate industry.*

AWARD NOMINATION FORM

*******REALTOR® OF THE YEAR AWARD*******

Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

Company Telephone Number: _____

Sponsor's Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Reason for Nominating This Candidate: _____

*******AFFILIATE OF THE YEAR AWARD*******

Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

Company Telephone Number: _____

Sponsor's Name: _____

Telephone: _____

Reason for Nominating this Candidate: _____

Fax to 530 676-0180 or email to association@edcar.org

REALTOR® CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

Company Telephone Number: _____

Sponsor's Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Reason for Nominating This Candidate: _____

Deadline for submission of nominations is November 28, 2007

Fax to 530 676-0180 or email to association@edcar.org

The Debbie Amaral Memorial Award

Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

Company Telephone Number: _____

Sponsor's Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Reason for Nominating This Candidate: _____

Deadline for submission of nominations is November 28, 2007

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