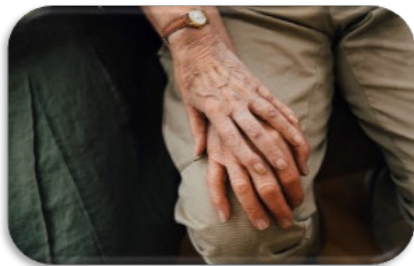


CENTRALINA *Region of Excellence Awards*

The Centralina Region of Excellence Awards aims to honor outstanding achievements in support of our mission to expand opportunity and improve quality of life. We encourage you to submit nominations for local governments, individuals, nonprofits and other stakeholder organizations that contributed to significant positive advancements in the regional community over the past calendar year.

Award Categories



Aging in Action



**Clean Cities
& Communities**



**Cross Community
Collaboration**



**Improving
Quality of Life**



**Local Government
Innovation**



**James D. Prosser
Excellence in Government
Leadership**

Submission Deadline: August 16, 2024 (nomination period opens June 10th)

Award Announcement: October 9, 2024

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Award Information



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| Aging in Action | Open to: |
| <p>The recipient of this award serves as a leader in impacting communities so adults can age with choice, dignity and independence. The awardee has implemented a program that demonstrates a commitment and contribution to older and/or disabled adult issues, engagement, participation and/or volunteerism of older adults and advocacy for and behalf of older and disabled adults and their families.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nonprofits • Local Governments • Individuals |
| Clean Cities & Communities | Open to: |
| <p>The recipient of this award supports the integration of sustainable, innovative and resilient initiatives that support maximizing local investments, energy efficiency, our natural spaces and a thriving region.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nonprofits • Local Governments • Stakeholder Organizations |
| Cross Community Collaboration | Open to: |
| <p>Strong partnerships, cooperation and communication between local governments and stakeholders not only make our communities stronger, but also demonstrate Centralina’s mission of regional collaboration. The awardee has demonstrated a commitment to collaboration in a manner that benefits not only their own community, but also others as well.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Governments • Stakeholder Organizations (must submit with a Local Government) |
| Improving Quality of Life | Open to: |
| <p>Providing a great place for people to live, work and play is a goal that every community strives for. Communities across the region demonstrate their commitment to a higher quality of life that enables all people to have the amenities, services and opportunities to thrive.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Governments |
| Local Government Innovation | Open to: |
| <p>Local governments are being asked to do more with less at a time when the role of government is increasingly important. The awardee has made the most optimum use of their available resources in a manner that is both innovative and brings value to our communities.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Governments |
| James D. Prosser Excellence in Government Leadership | Open to: |
| <p>Public service employees strive for excellence in service of their community by serving as outstanding leaders and demonstrating a commitment to high ethical standards. The award recognizes the cumulative achievements of a local government professional who has served as a role model for others and exhibited high professional standards throughout their public career.</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Government Employees |

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