

PROFESSIONAL AWARD WINNERS

Honor Fellow Craig Larsen



Craig Larsen and his wife, Sharon Larsen

Citation of Merit – Legislative Washington Wildlife & Recreation Coalition



Gov. Mike Lowry, Washington Wildlife & Recreation Coalition founding co-chair, shakes hands with President Jennifer Shroder.

Citation of Merit – Organization Woodinville Rotary Club



Woodinville Park Supervisor Brian Meyer, Rotary President Rick Pisani and Parks and Recreation Director Lane Youngblood

Citation of Merit – Citizen Sherry Gindeland



Sherry Gindeland (center) pictured with members of her youth group.

Citation of Merit – Professional Lori Flemm and Mary Dodsworth



Kent Parks, Recreation & Community Services



Lakewood Parks & Recreation

Young Professional Jennifer Papich and Ray Towry



Jennifer Papich, Spokane Valley Parks & Recreation, and Ray Towry, Ephrata Parks & Recreation

Distinguished Service Bill Vance, Mike Merriam (not pictured)



Mike Merriam's award was received by family members, brother, Patrick Merriam, daughter, Haley Merriam, and father, Mike Merriam.

2008 SPOTLIGHT FACILITY & PARK AWARDS

Award of Excellence

Spotlight Park
Dahl Playfield,
Seattle Parks & Recreation

Spotlight Trail
Interurban Trail & Bridges,
Shoreline Parks & Recreation

Spotlight Special Use
Arbor Heights 360 Park,
Kent Parks, Recreation &
Community Services

Spotlight Park
Macadam Winter Garden Park,
Tukwila Parks & Recreation

Spotlight Facility
Covington Aquatic Center,
Covington Parks & Recreation

Spotlight Sports Complex
Robinswood Sportsfield,
Bellevue Parks, Recreation &
Community Services

Northgate Community Center,
Seattle Parks & Recreation

2008 SPOTLIGHT MEDIA AWARDS

Award of Excellence

Spotlight Best Specialty Brochure
Redmond Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition,
Redmond Parks & Recreation

Spotlight Best Specialty Brochure
Lake Wilderness Lodge Brochure,
Maple Valley Parks & Recreation

Spotlight Best Park/Trail – Printed Map
Parks & Trails Map,
Burien/SeaTac/Tukwila/Renton

2008 SPOTLIGHT POSTER AWARDS

Award of Excellence

“Celebrate City Center Parks,”
Seattle Parks & Recreation

“2007 Music Festival,”
Ephrata Parks & Recreation

2008 SPOTLIGHT WEB SITE AWARDS

Award of Excellence

www.MyParksandRecreation.com,
Bellevue Parks, Recreation & Community Services

Tukwila Parks & Recreation Web Site,
Tukwila Parks & Recreation Department

Botanical Garden Plant Database,
Bellevue Parks, Recreation & Community Services

Seattle Aquarium,
Seattle Parks & Recreation

2008 SPOTLIGHT PROGRAM OF EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Award of Excellence

Youth and Adult Program
Wrap-Around Services,
Bellevue Parks, Recreation & Community Services

Events, Fairs and Festivals
First Night Tacoma,
Metro Parks Tacoma

Garden d’Lights,
Bellevue Parks, Recreation & Community Services

SECTION AWARD WINNERS

**Outstanding Professional
Program Service Section**
Sara Millbauer

**Outstanding Professional
Teen Service Section**
Jennifer Savage

**Outstanding Community Member
Athletic/Fitness Section**
Frank Osborne

**Distinguished Service
Parks Resource Section**
Shane Gilbertson
Scott Thomas

**Outstanding Program
Teen Service Section**
Shoreline Hip-Hop Program

**Outstanding Community Professional
Athletic/Fitness Section**
Doug Farmer

**Outstanding Community Organization
Athletic/Fitness Section**
Pierce College Athletics Department