

## ILLINOIS JUVENILE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION 2024 AWARDS NOMINATIONS

Dear Illinois Juvenile Officers Association Members, Illinois Sheriffs, and Illinois Police Chiefs,

The Illinois Juvenile Officers Association will accept nominations for the Juvenile Officer of the Year Award and the Distinguished Service Award. Nominees must have at least ten years of service to juveniles within their communities. The awards will be presented to the recipients on Wednesday, June 12, 2024, during the Annual I.J.O.A and D.A.R.E. Conference in East Peoria, Illinois. The award recipients are encouraged to attend to receive the award. Each award recipient will have their conference registration fee waived for the 2024 Annual I.J.O.A. and D.A.R.E Conference.

The Juvenile Officer of the Year Award will be presented to an individual who has made significant contributions and dedicated service to juveniles within their agencies, local community, and the law enforcement profession in the recent year.

The **Distinguished Service Award** will be presented to an individual who has made significant contributions and dedicated service to juveniles within their agencies, local community, and the law enforcement profession during their career. Recipients should have at least ten years of service with juveniles in their community.

Please submit the attached 2024 I.J.O.A. Award Nomination Form outlining the nominee's experience and contributions to juveniles within their agencies, local community, and the law enforcement profession. The Illinois Juvenile Officers Association Awards Committee will review all nominations.

The Juvenile Officer of the Year Award and the Distinguished Service Award are great ways to honor hard-working individuals and to build respect and trust for our profession among members within the local communities. Don't miss this opportunity to recognize the valuable contributions made by those among us.

Nominations are due by March 29, 2024.

Sincerely,

Veronica Rohman

President

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