



**ILLINOIS JUVENILE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION**  
**2021 AWARDS NOMINATIONS**

February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021

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

The Illinois Juvenile Officers Association will be accepting nominations for the Juvenile Officer of the Year Award and the Distinguished Service Award. The awards will be presented to the recipients at the 2021 I.J.O.A and D.A.R.E. Conference in East Peoria, Illinois in June of 2021. The award recipients are encouraged to attend the Conference to receive the award. Each of the award recipients will have their conference registration fee waived for the 2021 I.J.O.A. and D.A.R.E Conference.

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

The **Distinguished Service Award** will be presented to an individual whom has made significant contributions and dedicated service to juveniles within their agencies, local community and to the law enforcement profession during their career.

Please submit the attached 2021 I.J.O.A. Award Nomination Form outlining the nominee's experience and contributions to juveniles within their agencies, local community and to the law enforcement profession. All nominations will be reviewed by the Illinois Juvenile Officers Association Awards Committee.

The Juvenile Officer of the Year Award and the Distinguished Service Award provide an opportunity 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 April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.**

Sincerely,

Michael Quick – McHenry County Sheriff's Office  
President  
Illinois Juvenile Officers Association