

Heart of Recreation Award

This new award recognizes a staff member, volunteer, or organization that has gone above and beyond to support the community in response to emerging challenges, such as natural disasters or food insecurity, showing the heart of recreation in providing safe spaces and environments and connecting communities.

Submissions will be evaluated using the following criteria:

Has the nominee demonstrated going “above and beyond” their typical role to introduce an action, initiative, program, or service to support their community in response to emerging priorities?	Scoring /20
Does the initiative demonstrate a commitment to providing safe spaces and environments?	Scoring /10
Is there evidence that the initiative was successful in connecting communities?	Scoring /10