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Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award Criteria

The act(s) for which a nomination is made should have been primarily accomplished during the previous calendar year.

Each Sheriff may submit one nomination, except for a team effort by two individuals. In that event, a team nomination will be treated as one nomination. The criteria may include, but not be limited to:

- One or more heroic acts.
- High personal standards and service above and beyond the call of duty.
- "Technical" excellence (law enforcement).
- Innovation/initiative in creating a new or innovative law enforcement program.
- Outstanding efforts in criminal investigation.
- Outstanding narcotics investigation.
- Other exemplary performance as deemed by the Sheriff.