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Solano Transportation Authority Announces Award Winners

Suisun City, CA – The winners of the Solano Transportation Authority’s 19th Annual Awards were announced at a ceremony on November 9, 2016. The event was hosted by STA Chair and City of Rio Vista Mayor Norman Richardson at the Veteran’s Memorial Hall in Rio Vista.

Mayor Richardson said of the event, “This was an evening to celebrate transportation victories in Solano County. We honored the efforts of the many cities, partner agencies and individuals who have championed transportation projects and programs in our local communities this year.”

The 2016 winners included the following:

Advisory Committee Member of the Year

- Ernest Rogers, Paratransit Coordinating Council / Consolidated Transportation Services Agency

Transit Employee of the Year

- Virginia Agcaoili, Fairfield & Suisun Transit

Safe Routes to School

- Shauna Manina, Vacaville Report (Around Town Magazine)

Transportation for Livable Communities

- Solano County – South Gate Travis Air Force Base Entrance Improvements

Safety Project of the Year

- City of Vacaville, Safe Routes to School Project

Project of the Year

- Caltrans, I-80/I-680/SR 12 Interchange Package 1

Project Delivery

- City of Vacaville
- Solano County

Partner of the Year

- California Transportation Commission

Agency of the Year

- Solano County

Legislator of the Year

- Assemblyman Jim Frazier, California Assembly District 11
- Senator Jim Beall, California Senate, District 15

Special Award

- David Kleinschmidt, Retiring Public Works Director, City of Vallejo
- Mayor Osby Davis, Mayor, City of Vallejo
- Senator Lois Wolk, California Senate District 3

The STA awards recognize individuals, programs, activities and projects that have contributed to the continued success in “improving the quality of life in Solano County by delivering transportation projects to ensure mobility, travel safety, and economic vitality.” The Annual Awards program is carried out with *no tax-payer funds* thanks to private sector sponsors. You can view the Award Winners PowerPoint and bullet points on the STA website: <http://www.sta.ca.gov/Content/10014/PublicEvents.html>.
