

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

**2017
Mayor's
Arts & Humanities
Awards**

**Honoring Extraordinary Artists
and Uncommon Organizations**



Sierra Vista

**EXTRAORDINARY SKIES.
UNCOMMON GROUND.**

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For the annual Arts and Humanities Awards
presented by the Office of the Mayor,
Sierra Vista Arts & Humanities Commission,
and Leisure & Library Services.

The categories are:

ARTS AWARDS

Visual Arts: A living artist and/or visual arts organization, active in the field of visual arts, visual folk arts, architectural design, or film, that has made a significant contribution to the visual arts in Sierra Vista. This individual artist and/or arts organization will be invited to display sample works.

Performing Arts: A living performing artist and/or performing arts group or organization, active in the field of performing arts that has made a significant contribution to the performing arts in Sierra Vista. This individual and/or organization will be invited to perform sample works.

SUPPORT OF THE ARTS

Individual: A living individual who has made a significant contribution to the support of the arts in Sierra Vista.

Corporation or Organization: A business or organization that has made a significant contribution to the support of the arts in Sierra Vista. Governmental agencies, schools and school districts are not eligible for this award.

ARTS IN EDUCATION

A living individual and/or group or organization active in the field of education that has made a significant contribution to visual or performing arts education in Sierra Vista.

HUMANITIES AWARDS

Individual: A living person who has made a contribution to literature and/or cultural or historical preservation in the area

Corporation or Organization: An organization that has made a contribution to literature and/or cultural or historical preservation in the area.

Nominations will be judged on the following criteria:

- The significance and/or magnitude of the contribution and achievement.
- The breadth of the population served and the recognition brought by virtue of the achievement.
- The length of time and/or intensity of activity dedicated to the arts or humanities.

The selection committee, appointed by the Arts and Humanities Commission, will review all nominations and select up to ten award recipients, no more than one in each individual or group category.

The Mayor's Arts & Humanities Awards

*Nominations must be received no later than
Monday, November 27, 2017*

Please send to:

**Mayor's Arts & Humanities Awards, Selection Committee
City of Sierra Vista Arts & Humanities Commission
Leisure & Library Services
1011 N. Coronado Drive
Sierra Vista, Arizona 85635**

*The awards will be presented during the
2017 Mayor's Arts & Humanities Awards Reception
Sierra Vista Arts & Humanities Commission
Sunday, January 28, 2018
3:00 P.M.
Cochise College Student Union*

ARTS & HUMANITIES COMMISSION MEMBERS

Virginia P. Thompson, *Chair*
Nikki Heinrich, *Vice Chair*
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