

Nomination Application



The Peninsula Recognition of Passionate Service (PROPS) Awards were designed to honor superstars in the hospitality and tourism industry for their hard work and dedication. The current COVID crisis has amplified the need for us to celebrate our region's hospitality industry heroes. **Applications are open to employees of San Mateo County/Silicon Valley Convention and Visitors Bureau partner organizations.**

Three PROPS Award Winners will be honored at our Annual Meeting and Awards Ceremony in each of the categories listed below. **Please submit a maximum of one nomination per category per company. A photo of each nominee must be submitted with each application.**

Each winner will receive:

- A personalized trophy
- A \$500 cash prize
- A gift certificate for a stay at a CVB partner hotel

Those who are nominated in any category will be recognized with a certificate at our in-person Annual Tourism Luncheon on April 28, 2022.

Winners will be selected by an independent panel of judges. **Applications must be emailed to: Nova@visitsmcsv.com.**

Application Deadline:

Friday, February 18, 2022. For questions, please contact: Nova@visitsmcsv.com.

Award Categories:

Leadership in Times of Crisis Award**

Given to an individual who has made substantial, innovative contributions to his/her organization through the introduction of new ideas and methods demonstrating a profound ability to pivot during a time of crisis.

Unsung Hero Service Award**

Given to an individual who works directly with the general public, and goes above and beyond the call of duty to ensure the best possible customer experience. This individual consistently demonstrates the ability to overcome overwhelming obstacles delivering an unparalleled level of service.

Behind the Scenes Service Award**

Given to an individual who does not work directly with the general public, but who still provides exemplary support to others within the organization. Like the Unsung Hero, this individual overcomes tremendous obstacles to come through and deliver for their team.

Nominee: * _____

Job Title: _____

Employer (Business): _____

I attached a high resolution photo of my nominee to this application.

**Prizes are given to a single individual ONLY. Group nominations will not be accepted. Self-nominations are welcome.
** Maximum ONE nomination per category, please.*

Person Nominating & Title: _____

Best way to reach you: _____

Length of time the nominee has been with his/her company: _____

Please explain why you believe this person should receive this award, including specific things he/she has done.
You may attach additional pages, if needed. Back up materials, such as supervisor comments are welcome with submission.

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