



Program Excellence in Governance Award Recipients

(Since inception in 2007)

2025

Stephanie Kelly, MMC
City Clerk, Charlotte, North Carolina
Introduction Of Innovative Customer Service:
Passport Service

2024

Allison May, CMC
Town of Mamaroneck, New York
Introduction Of Innovative Customer Service:
Transforming a Clerks Permitting and Licensing System

2023

Marcella Carrillo, MMC
City of Avondale, Arizona
Cost Savings: Creating the 2020 Election Publicity Pamphlet

2022

Mary Cusick, MMC
City of Santa Clarita, California
Introduction of Innovative Customer Service

2021

Ethan Watson
City of Albuquerque, New Mexico
Innovative Ways of Collaboration

2020

Karen Beth Mowad, MMC
Town of Wolcott, Connecticut
Superior Leadership in the Municipality

2019

Monica Martinez Simmons, MMC
City of Seattle, Washington
Commissions Member Orientation Training Series Application

2018

Jannette Goodall, MMC
City of Austin, Texas
Innovative Outreach to Citizens

2017

Kristi Morrow, MMC
City of Frisco, Texas
Innovation To Customer Service

2016

Noelani Middenway, CMC
Costa Mesa Sanitary District, California
Introduction of Innovative Customer Service

2016

Leticia Vacek, MMC
City of San Antonio, Texas
Creative Ways of collaborating with Other Municipal

2016

Mindy Cuppy, MMC
City of Rancho Cordova, California
Innovative Outreach to Citizens

2015

Rod Diridon, Jr., MMC
City of Santa Clara, California
Increasing Community Engagement in the Process of Governance

2014

Camilla Pitman, MMC
City of Greenville, South Carolina
Innovative Customer Service

2013

Kathy Louie, MMC
City of Corvallis, Oregon
City Hall Ambassador Program

2012

Rod Diridon, Jr., MMC
City of Santa Clara, California
California Ethics and Democracy Project

2011

Rodney Greene, CMC
City of Evanston, Illinois
Real Estate Transfer Tax Stamp Online Form

2009

Frances W. Kersey, MMC
City of Oklahoma, Oklahoma
Agenda Management System

2007

Rod Diridon, Jr., MMC
City of Santa Clara, California
2006 Vote Ethics Program