



2025 Awards Celebration

Wednesday, August 27

6 p.m. Social hour

7 p.m. Dinner and awards program

Seawell Ballroom at the Denver Center for the Performing Arts

1350 Arapahoe Street, Denver, CO 80204

Share your community's success stories!

Nominate an innovative or exemplary person, program or plan

The Denver Regional Council of Governments awards celebration highlights the efforts and achievements that make the Denver region an exceptional place to live, work and play. It honors the individuals, plans, programs and projects that elevate the region's quality of life and represent progress toward the future envisioned in Metro Vision. Consider nominating your community's exemplary collaborations or innovators in one of the following categories:

Metro Vision Awards

The Metro Vision Awards recognize excellence, innovation, collaboration and leadership in problemsolving among communities and their partners. The realization of the Denver region's shared vision is through programs, projects and plans that bring business leaders, elected officials, community advocates and residents together to accomplish more than any partner could achieve alone.

• Make a nomination at drcog.org/awards by Friday, April 18.

John V. Christensen Memorial Award

The John V. Christensen Memorial Award has been presented since 1973 and is one of the region's most prestigious awards. It recognizes individuals who promote cooperation and collaboration for the benefit of the region. Recent recipients have included former Broomfield mayor Karen Stuart, former Westminster mayor Herb Atchison and former Greenwood Village mayor Ron Rakowsky.

• Submit your nomination at drcog.org/awards by Friday, April 18.

Way to Go Commuter Awards

Each year, Way to Go recognizes commuters and employers in the Denver region who choose commute options that reduce traffic congestion to improve air quality. Submit a nomination for an Employer Champion, Rising Star or Commuter of the Year!

Make a nomination at <u>drcog.org/awards</u> by Friday, April 18.

Sponsor the celebration! Visit drcog.org/awards for details or email awards@drcog.org.

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