

# Grant County Celebrates National County Government Month with Yearly Awards Ceremony

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**Medford, OK** – In celebration and in conjunction with National County Government Month, The Grant County Yearly Awards Ceremony will be held on Monday April 15, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. The Ceremony will be conducted at the Grant County Courthouse in the Courtroom. Following the ceremony there will be cake and punch. This ceremony is open for all to attend.

This year Grant County will be giving out awards for Citizen of the Year, Volunteer of the Year, and the Courageous Spirit Award.

The Citizen of the Year Award is being given to Carolyn Buchanan. This award is in recognition of her hard work and dedication to the Wheatheart Nutrition Program as well as to the Grant County Community. She was nominated by Cindy Pratt.

The Volunteer of the Year Award is being given to Harvey Phelps. This award is in recognition of his volunteer work with the Pond Creek Afterschool Program that is available to children from the 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade. He was nominated by Punky Halcomb.

The Courageous Spirit Award is being given to Sydney Reigh, daughter of Marshall and Shana Reigh. This award is in recognition of how she has inspired not only those around her but also the citizens throughout the county. Through countless surgeries and hardships, she has remained courageous, spirited, and positive. She was nominated by Alexandra Brittain.

These nominations were reviewed and approved by the Grant County LEPC as well as the Grant County Commissioners.

## About Grant County Awards Program

Grant County began its Awards Program in 2016. Grant County will open up nominations for the awards program at the beginning of each year. The awards that are possible to be given are the Citizen of the Year Award, Volunteer of the Year Award, Letter of Commendation, Public Safety Cross, Purple Heart, Meritorious Service Medal, and the Courageous Spirit Award.

The nominations go to the Grant County LEPC for review and then finally go to the Grant County Commissioners for final approval.

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