

# The LEWISTON TRIBUNE

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Greetings Fellow N.I.C.E. Member,

We are approaching our annual conference scheduled for May in Wenatchee. Last year we introduced a new award, the President's Award. This award replaced the Carl Burkheimer Award we had given in the past. It is time to start the process of selecting a recipient for this year's award.

We encourage you to participate by nominating a worthy member for this prestigious award.

The following is the criteria for this award program:

- \* A nominee must be an active member of N.I.C.E. Primary member, associate member, or business member can all be nominated by another member of N.I.C.E., regardless of their membership distinction.
- \* The President's Award will be presented to a person nominated by any primary, associate, or business member in good standing of N.I.C.E.
- \* A committee of at least three past presidents or award winners (including Carl Burkheimer award winners) of N.I.C.E. must evaluate nominees and make a recommendation to the current president of N.I.C.E. This committee will be appointed by the current N.I.C.E. president who makes the final selection.
- \* In the event there are no nominees, or perhaps no worthy nominees, from the active members of N.I.C.E., the committee can nominate a worthy recipient for the President's Award.

The award winner will be presented an engraved plaque and will have their registration provided free for an N.I.C.E. conference. The award recipient can, at their option, use the free registration for an employee in their circulation department to attend an upcoming N.I.C.E. conference or CMS training session. In either case, the free registration must be used within one year of the award or be forfeited.

Please take the time today to consider who you would like to nominate for the President's Award. Send your nomination on the enclosed form, no later than April 15, 2006 to Mike McBride, Lewiston Tribune. P.O. Box 1387, Lewiston, ID 83501-9966.

Sincerely,

Michael L. McBride  
Committee Chair  
President's Award.