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WELCOME

to the annual Public Service Awards

This is the seventh year of these awards, which Holyrood magazine runs in partnership with the Scottish Parliament and the Scottish Government, and while this year has been an extraordinary year because of the pandemic, the standard of entries have also been exceptional.

The awards are designed to celebrate the often unsung work of our public servants who work across Scotland day in, day out, providing the services that broadly define our 'Scottish values'.

We launched the awards in 2014 at the height of the referendum campaign with the aim of identifying and rewarding best practice, teamwork and clear leadership across Scotland's public services. And given what else was going on that year, we were overwhelmed by the response. This year, given COVID-19, has again confirmed, that no matter what else is going on, our public servants just get the head down and deliver.

The awards have now become a firm fixture on the public service calendar and this year, they have attracted an incredible array of nominations revealing the talent, commitment and all-round compassion that exists within the Scottish public service. This year we received a phenomenal number of entries with almost 200 from teams and individuals across Scotland, all contributing in their own way to making our much-coveted public services more innovative, efficient, imaginative and cost effective. Each and every one of them makes a difference, whether large or small, to the lives of the Scottish people and we thank them.

Tonight is an occasion to celebrate the achievements of all those involved in progressing Scotland's commitment to a fairer, more socially just society that has public service at its heart. We'd like to thank all nominees for the level of service they provide, the companies and organisations who have given their support to these awards, and to the judges, whose task of choosing from such strong entries was not easy. Enjoy your evening.

Mandy Rhodes Managing Director and Editor *Holyrood* magazine

2020 SCOTTISH PUBLIC SERVICE AWARDS

18:00

Welcome from the Presiding Officer, Ken Macintosh MSP

18:05

Awards presentations

- ★ Campbell Christie Public Service Reform Award
- Community Engagement Award
- ★ Colin Mair Award for policy in practice
- 🛨 Sustainability Award
- 🛧 Communications Award
- ★ Covid-19 Response Award
- ★ Digital Public Service Award
- Project and Programme Management Award
- ★ Voluntary Sector Partnership Award
- ★ Leadership Award
- Lifetime Achievement
 Award

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Ken Macintosh MSP, Presiding Officer of the Scottish Parliament

JUDGING PANEL



Mandy Rhodes, Managing Director, Holyrood Communications Ltd



Anna Fowlie, Chief Executive, SCVO



Alec Harley, Scotland lead for global science, engineering and technology company Leidos



Lesley Fraser, Interim Director General Organisational Development and Operations, Scottish Government



David McGill, Assistant Chief Executive, Scottish Parliament



Sarah Gadsden, Chief Executive, Improvement Service



Stephen Boyle, Auditor General, Audit Scotland



Laurence Rockey, Director, Office of the Secretary of State for Scotland















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COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AWARD

- Scottish Forestry: Engagement Programme, Scottish Forestry
- Dignified Food Programme, East Ayrshire Council
- Coronavirus (COVID-19): Scottish Government Public Engagement, Scottish Government



COLIN MAIR AWARD FOR POLICY IN PRACTICE

NOMINEES

Free Period Angus, Angus
 Community Planning
 Partnership

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- The Permanence and Care Excellence Programme for Children's Care Planning, A national partnership between CELCIS and Scottish local authorities
- Warmer Homes Scotland, Scottish Government
- Dundee Green Health Partnership, Dundee City Council



SUSTAINABILITY AWARD

- ★ Loch Venachar Fish Pass, Scottish Water
- CivTech, Forestry Land Scotland and TreeTape: Technology Empowering the Development of Scotland's Forests, Scottish Government
- Dundee Climate Action Plan, Dundee City Council



COMMUNICATIONS AWARD

- Navigating Scotland's Justice System, Community Justice Scotland
- Scottish Government COVID-19
 Communications, The Scottish
 Government
- Communicating the Impact of COVID-19 on Land Registration, Registers of Scotland





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COVID-19 RESPONSE AWARD

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THE DIGITAL PUBLIC SERVICES AWARD

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- The Digital Telecare Playbook, The Digital Office for Scottish Local Government
- Creating a Digital Submissions Service, Registers of Scotland
- Virtual and Hybrid Proceedings, Scottish Parliament





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PROJECT AND PROGRAMME MANAGEMENT AWARD

- The Digital Telecare Partnership Support Programme, The Digital Office for Scottish Local Government
- ★ Scottish Marine Assessment 2020
- Warmer Homes Scotland, Scottish Government



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★ East Renfrewshire Community Hub

West Lothian Food Network, West Lothian Foodbank SCIO

Empowering Personal Safety Training for Sensory Impaired People, The Scottish Centre for Personal Safety



LEADERSHIP AWARD

- Digital Leadership for Test & Protect-Chaloner Chute , DHI Scotland
- Leadership for the Primary Care Improvement Plan and COVID 19 Response - Ann Forsyth, Glasgow City Health and Social Care Partnership
- Vacant and Derelict Land Taskforce -Shona Glenn, Scottish Land Commission



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