



MEDIA ADVISORY

HOWARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

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Police to hold annual awards ceremony

WHAT: HCPD's annual awards ceremony recognizing great work in 2017

WHEN: Thursday, April 5, 6 p.m.

WHERE: Horowitz Visual and Performing Arts Center
Howard Community College
10901 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia

Each year, the Howard County Police Department recognizes officers, civilian employees and volunteers for outstanding contributions made to the community and the police department. This year's awards ceremony will highlight many of the examples of great work done by agency members in 2017.

Members of the media are invited to the ceremony, which will be held Thursday at 6 p.m. in the Horowitz Visual and Performing Arts Center at Howard Community College, 10901 Little Patuxent Parkway in Columbia.

Award recipients include:

Police Officer of the Year – PO Brent Riddle

Civilian of the Year – Michael Richardson

Telecommunicator of the Year – Senior Dispatcher Christopher Cobleigh

Detective of the Year – Sgt. Mark Orlosky

Community Service Award – PFC Clifton Macer

First Year Service Award – PO Brandon Frazee

Scott Wheeler Traffic Safety Award – PFC Nicholas Bingham

Auxiliary Officer of the Year – Auxiliary Officer Wilbert Krizmanich

Volunteer Mounted Patrol Officer of the Year - VMP Officer Linda Reed

Explorer of the Year – Explorer Captain James Bell

Animal Control Volunteer of the Year – Rita Sato

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