



# Wisconsin State Lodge FOP Award Categories



AWARD NAME	DESCRIPTION / CRITERIA	EXAMPLES
<b>MEDAL OF HONOR</b>	In recognition of those who distinguished themselves "conspicuously by gallantry and intrepidity" in combat.	Recipient is involved in a shoot out or other deadly force situation in which they took heroic action.
<b>MEDAL OF VALOR</b>	In recognition of those who have displayed an act of courage that goes beyond the ordinary nature of their duty.	Recipient runs to a burning car and pulls an occupant to safety
<b>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by making an exceptional and long lasting contribution to law enforcement or the FOP.	
<b>MERITORIOUS CONDUCT AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by outstanding or praiseworthy achievement or service to law enforcement or the FOP.	
<b>OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARD</b>	In recognition of the most well-rounded law enforcement officer who has exceeded the duty requirements expected of his or her position and has demonstrated a distinct pattern of community service coupled with professional achievement.	
<b>LAW ENFORCEMENT MEMORIAL AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by taking action to memorialize fallen Officers.	
<b>LIFE SAVING AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by taking action that resulted in saving the life of another.	Recipient performs CPR and saves a life.
<b>CIVIC ACHEIVMENT AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by displaying excellent citizenship or public service in achieving a specific goal.	
<b>COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD</b>	<p>In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves through extraordinary commitment to community service (Over 100 cumulative hours throughout FOP membership).</p> <p>The recipient must have outstanding voluntary service in a cultural, educational, humanitarian, patriotic, historical, citizenship, environmental conservation, or other organized community endeavors.</p>	
<b>HUMANITARIAN AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by fighting indifference, intolerance and injustice.	
<b>EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by attaining the highest level of education in their profession or area of specialty.	
<b>LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have taken a long-term leadership role in the FOP, the advancement of The Order or the law enforcement profession.	
<b>LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have distinguished themselves by maintaining membership in the FOP for over 20 years.	
<b>GOOD SAMARITAN AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who have gone out of their way or put themselves in harm's way to aid or assist a law enforcement officer in need.	Andrew Maltbey saw Appleton Officer fighting with a subject and stopped to assist. He & officer were shot during the incident
<b>PHILANTHROPIC AWARD</b>	In recognition of those who desire to promote the welfare of the law enforcement community, expressed especially by the generous donation of money.	Packers Coach Mike McCarthy personally donated \$100,000 to the GBPD Foundation & the Packers matched the donation