



PROGRAM BUDGET REQUEST for 2018/2019 TO THE FAR WEST DIVISION

August 2018 SUMMER Division Board Meeting & Awards Banquet*

**Program Supervisor attendance is highly recommended but not mandatory at August Board Meeting*

**Submit your budget request by JUNE 30, 2018, but no later than July 5
to Secretary & Treasurer.**

TOTAL BUDGET REQUESTED FOR 2018/19 \$__2000.00__

PROGRAM: Awards

SUPERVISOR: Bill Gibson

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2018/2019 SEASON

GOALS:

The mission is to provide recognition to members of the Far West Division of the National Ski Patrol for their patrol related efforts.

The objective is to provide that recognition by promoting and following the Awards Program of the National Ski Patrol as delineated in Chapter 12 of the Policies and Procedures Manual.

PLAN:

We will continue to promote awareness of the awards program at all levels. Participation in the awards program varies from region to region and patrol to patrol. At the initial stage, a sponsor must have the enthusiasm to devote the time and effort to write a nomination. Our three larger regions, Eastern Sierra, Mother Lode, and Southern California, have active awards sponsors. Arizona and Northern Region are participating in the program at a very minimal level.

Three of the five regions have region awards coordinators appointed by their region directors. In these regions nominations generated within a region pass through the region awards coordinator for review on their way to the division awards coordinator. It is division policy that review boards are conducted at the region level when required. The region awards coordinators serve as the judges of the nominations for the division outstanding awards and in the three active regions they participate in this judging.

Far West Division members receive merit stars and appointments in numbers that are appropriate for the size of the division. The Far West Division garners far more National Outstanding Awards than might be expected based on our size. We submit nominations for National Outstanding Awards in almost every category every year.

Nominations for outstanding awards must be submitted by the Regions to the Division awards advisor by April 20 of each year. Regions should plan deadline dates for regional review boards accordingly. All other nominations can be processed at any time. The National Office asks for 45 work days to process awards at the national level, so all other nominations should be sent to the division awards advisor at least 60 days before you need them.

There is a need for awards advisors in both Arizona and NorCal Regions and better training and understanding in the three active regions on submission and approval of awards.

Resources requested/needed to execute Plan – this season – *please note: any special requests for resources should be in the form of a proposal to the FWD BOD*

ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION	COST
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Misc Expenses - Postage - copies, etc...	200.00
Awards purchase and Engraving	700.00
Replacement of Perpetual Plaques	600.00
Travel for training at regional events	500.00