



Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training

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Subject: Now Accepting Nominations for the 2020 POST O.J. “Bud” Hawkins Exceptional Service Award

The nomination period for the 2020 POST O.J. “Bud” Hawkins Exceptional Service Award is now open. The O.J. “Bud” Hawkins Exceptional Service Award is dedicated to the memory of Bud Hawkins, a long-time representative to the POST Commission for the Attorney General.

Nominees for this award include POST staff members, volunteer subject matter experts, POST Advisory Committee Members, or POST Commissioners who have made significant contributions that reflect dedication, perseverance, and exceptional service to improving the professionalism of California law enforcement.

The selection criteria focus on an individual’s contributions, legacy, dedication and exceptional service.

1. **Contributions** – The individual shall have made a significant contribution or contributions in furtherance of POST’s mission and goals.
2. **Legacy** – The contribution(s) shall have made a sustained impact upon POST and California law enforcement.
3. **Dedication** – There shall be evidence of individual dedication, perseverance, overcoming obstacles, or collaborative efforts with the law enforcement and/or training community.
4. **Exceptional Service** – There shall be evidence that these contributions represent “Exceptional Service.”

The nomination form, instructions, and a description of the criteria is located on the [POST Website](#).

All nominations must be postmarked by **Monday, December 7, 2020**. Nominations postmarked after December 7, 2020, will be returned.

Questions regarding the POST O.J. “Bud” Hawkins Exceptional Service Award, may be directed to Assistant Executive Director [Scott Loggins](#), Standards and Development Division, at [\(916\) 227-2807](tel:(916)227-2807).

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