

2008 Excellence & Achievement Awards Earned by the City of Fredericksburg

*December is a time to reflect on the City's accomplishments in 2008,
and the distinct contributions being made to the well-being of our community.*



Wendy Stone, Div. Manager, Finance & Leisure

*Achievement Award
Population 10,001-30,000*

**Virginia Municipal League for the
autoChalk Parking Enforcement System
To the City of Fredericksburg
Submitted by David Nye, Chief of Police
Natatia Bledsoe, Public Information Officer
Phillip Rodenberg, City Manager
Beverly Cameron, Assistant City Manager**

*Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in
Financial Reporting**

**Government Finance Officers Association
For Comprehensive Annual Financial Report
for Fiscal Year 2007
To Fiscal Affairs Department
(*City's 18th Consecutive GFDA Award)**

Certified Green Government

**Virginia Municipal League
Green Government Challenge for
Successfully Implementing Environmental
Policies
To the City of Fredericksburg
Submitted by Parks, Recreation & Public
Facilities**

*Distinguished Budget Presentation Award**

**Government Finance Officers Association for
Fiscal Year beginning July 1, 2007
To the City of Fredericksburg
Submitted by Mark Whitley, Budget Manager
(*City's 2nd Consecutive Award)**

Lifeguarding Cup Runner-Up

**Virginia Recreation and Parks Society for
Dixon Park Pool Staff Team
To Robert Antozzi, Director
JoAnne Jones, Superintendent, Leisure Services
Wendy Stone, Div. Manager, Finance & Leisure**

*Best Promotional Effort - Specialty
(Population under 20,000)*

**Virginia Recreation and Parks Society for
First Night Event Admission Button 2008
To Robert Antozzi, Director
Sarah Byrne, Special Event & Marketing
Coordinator
Wendy Stone, Div. Manager, Finance & Leisure
Michael Ward, Div. Manager, Parks & Athletics**

Distinguished Private Sector Service Award

**Virginia Recreation and Parks Society for
Cal Ripken Sr. Foundation
To Robert Antozzi, Director
Michael Ward, Div. Manager, Parks & Athletics**

*Reader's Choice Family Friendly Award
for Best Outdoor Sports Venue*

**Fredericksburg Parent Magazine
For Dixon Park
To Robert Antozzi, Director**

Michael Ward, Div. Manager, Parks & Athletics
Wendy Stone, Div. Manager, Finance & Leisure

Various Individual Employee Awards

Sheriff's Department

Deputy Stephen Johson
Medal of Valor
Presented by Chief Nye and Sheriff Higgs

Deputy William Reyes
Medal of Valor
Presented by Chief Nye and Sheriff Higgs
Sgt. J. Scott Foster
Deputy of the Year
Fraternal Order of Police
Rappahannock Area Lodge #15

Law Enforcement Appreciation Award
Combat Solutions for
Services and Devotion to our Community

Police Department

Corporal Devin Clarke
Officer of the Year
Fredericksburg Jaycees

Office Nicole Gentry
Officer of the Year
Fredericksburg Jaycees

School Resource Officer Keith Jones
Enrique S. Camarena Award
Elks Club, Fredericksburg Chapter
Drug Awareness Program

Detective Wayne Hunnicutt
Fraud Fighter's Award
United States Attorney's Office
Eastern District

Sergeant James Kuebler
Lifesaving Award for the Professional Responder
American Red Cross
Greater Richmond Chapter

Other departments

The Lillian D. Reed Volunteer Award

Historic Fredericksburg Foundation Inc.
For service to HFFI and Preservation
To Karen Hedelt, Manager
Tourism Department

Outstanding Front-Line Interpreter

National Association for Interpretation –
Chesapeake Region
To Linda Bailey, Nature Program Coordinator
Submitted by Robert Antozzi, Director
Wendy Stone, Div. Manager, Finance & Leisure
Michael Ward, Div. Manager, Parks & Athletics

“Famam Extendimus Factis”

We Extend Our Reputation By Deeds