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**Minuteman Award**

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1958 George E. Tarbox, Jr.  
 1960 Edward A. Milligan  
 1966 Edwin A. Williams  
 1970 Guy L. V. Emerson  
 1983 James A. McGrew  
 1996 Fredrick O. Jeffries, Jr.

**Gold Good Citizenship Medal\***

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\*Thru 1984

1955 George E. Tarbox, Jr.	1977 Charles Buxton
1968 Guy L. V. Emerson	1979 Astronaut John L. “Jack” Swigert
1973 Dr. Fred A. Sondermann	1980 CO US Senator Gordon L. Allott
1974 BG Howard E. Reed	1981 Peter D. Smyth
1975 Joseph W. Showmaker	1982 Houston Waring
1976 Edwin A. Williams	

**Silver Good Citizenship Medal\***

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1954 Chester M. Alter	1967 Gerald J. Willses
1955 Fred Adams	1968 Maurice B. Mitchell
1956 Honorable George H. Bradfield	1969 Honorable O. Otto Moore
1958 Roy A. Hinderman	1970 Bo Farland
1960 Honorable Joseph E. Cook	1971 Howard L. Johnson
1961 COL Tenny Cook DeSollar	1972 Honorable Hilbert Shauer
1962 Thomas W. Ewing	1980 Harold E. Yale
1963 Earl L. Mosley	1981 Glenn Spies
1964 Malcolm G. Wyer	1982 Houghton Warring
1965 Fred Schmid	1983 Robert L. Silber
1966 Rev. Ernest M. Baber	1984 Rev. Charles B. Woodrich

**Patriot Medal**

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15 Sep 1965 Frazier Arnold	22 Feb 1973 George E. Tarbox, Jr.
15 Sep 1965 Horace T. Auburn	19 Apr 1973 Harold E. Rice
15 Sep 1965 Edwin A. Williams	19 Apr 1974 COL Harold C. Thompson
19 Apr 1966 Guy L. V. Emerson	19 Apr 1975 Thurston T. Houghton
19 Apr 1967 John C. Mott	19 Apr 1976 Robert L. Johnson
19 Apr 1968 Sidney P. Godsman	19 Apr 1976 Philip H. Stevenson
19 Apr 1969 Rev. Garrit S. Barnes	19 Apr 1977 James G. McGrew
19 Apr 1970 Richard P. Vosburgh	19 Apr 1978 Thomas C. Hiestand
19 Apr 1971 Roy G. Munroe	19 Apr 1979 E. Roy Chesney
19 Apr 1972 Howard E. Long	19 Apr 1980 Clarence L. Bixler, Jr.
22 Feb 1973 John E. King	19 Apr 1982 Charles W. Starks

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**Patriot Medal** (cont.)

Jul 1983	Arvin V. Lankenau
22 Feb 1985	John H. Doty
22 Feb 1986	Ross B. Johnson
21 Feb 1987	G. Clifford Patterson
22 Feb 1988	Fredrick O. Jeffries, Jr.
24 Feb 1990	Earl F. Dodge
23 Feb 1991	Earle K. Fuller
22 Feb 1992	G. Spencer Beasley
20 Feb 1993	COL Lucien E. Rising
19 Feb 1994	William C. Aitken
25 Feb 1995	R. Harry Spalding
24 Feb 1996	SMSgt Barlow M. Westcott
22 Feb 1997	CDR John D. Peebles
21 Feb 1998	Edwin T. Williams
20 Feb 1999	COL Frank D. Pryor, Jr.
19 Feb 2000	Michael W. Igoe
24 Feb 2001	Lawrence R. Shriner
23 Feb 2002	Richard L. Riepe
22 Feb 2003	David L. Van Wormer
21 Feb 2004	COL Joseph L. Thomas
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The preceding four awards are as they appeared in Appendix C of *The First Century: A History* by COSSAR Registrar-Historian COL Victor C. Wegenhoft. The Minuteman Award and the Patriot Medal information has been, and will continue to be, extended as those awards are made beyond 1996.

In 2002 Membership Secretary/Registrar David L. Van Wormer gathered award data after 1984 and published annual updates through 2006. That work follows as led by his October 2002 statement. Annual updates from 1985 are made here. Following is the text and abbreviations, (as added) that MS/R Van Wormer wrote as a lead-in to his 2002 work.

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### Colorado Society Major Award Recipients, 1984 to Present

The following list has been compiled from *The First Century: A History* by Victor C. Wegenhoft, Annual Award Committee Reports by John C. Mott, Minutes of Annual Conference Meetings, and a variety of Luncheon and Banquet Programs.

David L. Van Wormer  
Membership Secretary/Registrar

October 2002

#### Abbreviations in Order of Precedence – NSSAR Handbook Vol V

Precedence	Abbreviation	Full Name of Award
2.	MIN	Minuteman Award (Added)
3.	GGC	Gold Good Citizenship Medal (Added)
4.	WAR	War Service Medal – Svc Bar (Added)
	MIL	Military Service Medal (Added)
5.	MH	Medal for Heroism
8.	DLM	Daughters of Liberty Medal (Added)
9.	DSM	State Distinguished Service Medal
10.	PM	Patriot Medal
12.	MSM	Meritorious Service Medal
14.	RSS	Roger Sherman Silver Medal (Added)
15.	SGC	Silver Good Citizenship Medal
17.	LE	Law Enforcement Commendation Medal
18.	FS	Fire Safety Commendation Medal
19.	EMS	Emergency Medical Service Commendation Medal (Added)
22.	CMA	C.A.R.-SAR Bronze Medal of Appreciation
23.	LIB	Liberty Medal (Added)
25.	RSB	Roger Sherman Bronze Medal (Added)
26.	BGC	Bronze Good Citizenship Medal
29.	ES	Eagle Scout Award Medal
30.	BBV	Robert E. Burt BSA Volunteer Award Medal (Added)
34.	MA	SAR Medal of Appreciation
35.	MW	Martha Washington Medal
36.	LDM	Lydia Darragh Medal (Added)
40.	SCG	Silver SAR Color Guard Medal (Added)
41.	SSM	Silver Samuel Adams Congress Medal (Added)
42.	BCG	Bronze Color Guard Medal
44.	BSM	Bronze Samuel Adams Congress Medal (Added)
	JCM	John C Mott Color Guard Medal (Added)
	COA	Certificate of Appreciation
	Yr.	Year Pin

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**22 February 1985**

PM	John H. Doty	SGC	William B. Tutt
MSM	Alfred A. Hagendorn, Sr.	MA	Barbara Jones Brown
MSM	G. Clifford Patterson	MW	Pauline Gobin

**22 February 1986**

PM	Ross B. Johnson	MA	Helen White
MSM	John C. Mott	MW	Suzanne Golden
SGC	Paul D. C. Muyan	MW	Mary W. Johnson
LE	Harold Brady		

**21 February 1987**

PM	G. Clifford Patterson	MA	Madelyn Pryor
MSM	Philip Stevenson	MW	Mary Curtis
LE	Frank Mansheim		

**22 February 1988**

PM	Fredrick O. Jeffries, Jr.	LE	Richard J. Scheer
MSM	Charles W. Starks	MA	Carolyn Byrne
SGC	Edward J. Rozek		

**25 February 1989**

MSM	Ross B. Johnson	LE	Peter Diaz
SGC	Robert C. Palmer	BGC	Franz X. Wverfmannsdobler
LE	Andrew L. Smit	MA	Georgia Bell Starks

**14 June 1989**

SGC Ruth Marie Colville

**24 February 1990**

PM	Earl F. Dodge	LE	Dale G. Wallis
MSM	Clarence L. Bixler, Jr.	ES	Bryan Dole Ellis
SGC	Donald Dilley	MA	Etoile McNeill
LE	Richard Motzkus	MW	Irene Stevenson

**23 February 1991**

PM	Earle K. Fuller	LE	Greg Jones
MSM	Leland D. Logan	ES	Ethan Rawls Williams
SGC	Harry W. Hoth	50 Yr.	Earle K. Fuller

**22 February 1992**

PM	G. Spencer Beasley	MA	Gladys Harris
SGC	William R. Kephart	MA	Velma Williams
LE	Scott H. Hartvigeon	MW	Mary Limke
ES	Kevin Monroe Williams		

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**20 February 1993**

PM	COL Lucien E. Rising	LE	Michael Swihart
SGC	William H. Hybl	MA	Suzanne Rising
LE	Randy Godsey	MW	Linda K. Swihart

**19 February 1994**

PM	William C. Aitken	LE	Rick L. McNellis
MSM	COL Victor C. Wegenhoft	MA	Ruth Polliard
SGC	Patrick J. Sullivan, Jr.	MW	Calvina Morse Vacpel

**16 July 1994**

MA Elaine Mellott

**19 September 1994**

MA Lily Budd

**25 February 1995**

PM	R. Harry Spalding	LE	Angelo A. Martinelli
MSM	David L. Van Wormer	ES	James G. Jordan
SGC	Clarence L. Bixler, Jr.	MA	Margaret Selichnow Kruger
LE	Robert J. Garcia, Jr.		

**9 July 1995**

LIB David L. Van Wormer

**24 February 1996**

PM	SMSgt Barlow M. Westcott	ES	Joseph C. Talbott, Jr
MSM	Earle K. Fuller	MW	Doris F. Hulse
LE	William Stanley		

**4 July 1996**

MIN Fredrick O. Jeffries

**10 August 1996**

SGC	Edwin T. Williams	BGC	Timothy Miller
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**22 February 1997**

PM	CDR John D. Peebles	FS	Mark Dunklee
MSM	G. Spencer Beasley	MA	Kathleen J. Casburn
SGC	Luis D. Rovira	MA	Melba Mayall
LE	Guy M. Grace		

**July 1997**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 1st & 2nd Oak Leaf

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**26 July 1997**

BGC Marquis C. Jiggitts

**21 February 1998**

PM	Edwin T. Williams	ES	William D. Graves
MSM	COL Frank D. Pryor, Jr.	MA	Jennifer R. Cook
SGC	Thomas J. Noel	MA	Elizabeth H. Hutchison
LE	Bruce Vanderjagt (Deceased)	MA	Rose-Mary C. Meyer

**July 1998**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 3rd Oak Leaf

**20 February 1999**

PM	COL Frank D. Pryor, Jr.	LE	William Flint
MSM	Lester R. Mellott, Jr. (Deceased)	FS	Robert Dixon
SGC	Don Kinney	ES	Cales D. Horn

**5 July 1999**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 4th - 5<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

**19 February 2000**

DSM	David L. Van Wormer	LE	Penelope Belmont
PM	Michael W. Igoe	ES	Sean Barth
MSM	Lawrence R. Shriner	MA	Dorothy Stroud
SGC	John C. Mott	60 Yr.	Earle K. Fuller
LE	Joseph Bromley		

**7 July 2000**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

**24 February 2001**

PM	Lawrence R. Shriner	LE	Michael W. Igoe
MSM	Richard L. Riepe	MA	Denise Carrica
SGC	James M. Mayhew		

**9 July 2001**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 9<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

**23 February 2002**

PM	Richard L. Riepe	ES	Christopher N. Evans
MH	Robert Crump (Deceased)	50 Yr.	Philip L. Lewis
FS	Jerry Dunn	50 Yr.	Robert C. Peterson
CMA	Loren D. Cameron		

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**8 July 2002**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 11<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

**3 February 2003**

JCM Will Fanangan

**22 February 2003**

DSM	David L. Van Wormer	LE	Tamara L. Dreiling
PM	David L. Van Wormer	FS	Patrick M. Rhoads
MSM	R. Harry Spalding	MW	Mercedes Peebles
SGC	Frank H. Tucker		

**7 July 2003**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

**26 July 2003**

BCG	John C. Luedecke	BCG	Joe W. Summers
BCG	David T. Mann	BCG	David R. Swearingen
BCG	Richard L. Riepe		

**26 January 2004**

JCM Ryan Martin

**21 February 2004**

DSM	Richard L. Riepe	FS	Chief David M. McGrail
PM	COL Joseph L. Thomas	MA	Denise Hall Carrica
MSM	Robert M. Gordon, Jr.	MW	Susan L. Cameron
SGC	Walter A. Steele	60 Yr.	COL Frank D. Pryor, Jr.
LE	Sgt. Bob Zuniga	50 Yr.	Frank H. Tucker

**July 2004**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 18<sup>th</sup> - 19<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

**1 February 2005**

JCM Andrew Glugla

**19 February 2005**

DSM	Lawrence R. Reno	SGC	Richard H. Shay
PM	James W. Bane	LE	C. Suzanne Mencer
MH	Jason Dahl (Deceased Airline Pilot)	FS	Heather D. Larson
MSM	William A. Reynolds		

**4 July 2005**

LIB David L. Van Wormer 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> Oak Leaf

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### 25 February 2006

DSM	COL Joseph L. Thomas	FS	Carlos T. Garcia
PM	Norman H. Kronvall	CMA	Maria K. Tobin, CO C.A.R. State President
MSM	CDR John D. Peebles	BGC	Mark Rosa
SGC	Clyde Jones	ES	Adam F. Botts
LE	Darrell L. Tygart	MW	Cherie Hutchinson

### 10 July 2006

LIB David L. Van Wormer 23<sup>rd</sup> Oak Leaf

### 17 February 2007

SGC	Clarence C. Cox	ES	Adam F. Botts
LE	Sheriff Fred Wagner	MA	Barbara May
FS	LT Darwin Neiman	COA	Donna Bottini, CO DAR State Regent
CMA	Miranda Brown, CO C.A.R. State President	60 Yr.	Philip L. Lewis

### 9 July 2007

LIB David L. Van Wormer 24<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

### 2008

WAR	Harold W. Emick, III	WAR	William A. Reynolds
WAR	COL David L. Fennell, PhD - Vietnam	WAR	MSG Howard B. Weiler - Vietnam
WAR	Bryce L. Fulmer - Iraq		

### 16 February 2008

PM	David T. Mann	ES	Callan J. Yates
MSM	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr.	MA	Barbara Pick
LE	Scott Hinshaw	MA	Linda Smith-Sandlin
FS	Engine 7, Colorado Springs	COA	Chester M. Bowling
CMA	Isabel Day, CO C.A.R. State President	COA	LTC John Toth

### 7 July 2008

LIB David L. Van Wormer 25<sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf

### 6 December 2008

COA Diana Byrd

### 2009

WAR	Lewis C. Berger – WW II	WAR	John W. Hutchison
WAR	Jan E. Housley - Vietnam	WAR	Charles W. Lanham - Vietnam
WAR	Daniel J. Hutchison	WAR	CMSgt Ernest E. Newman
WAR	James D. Hutchison – WW II		

### 27 January 2009

JCM Ryan Stewart Dunn



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**21 February 2009**

PM	George A. Smith	CMA	D. Brandon Karr, CO C.A.R. State President
MSM	CMSgt Ernest E. Newman	ES	James Scott Cahoon
LE	Louis Engleberg	MW	Carolyn L. Goodwin
FS	Randall Kier	COA	Bud Jenkins
FS	Jeff Wiesing		

**6 Jul 2009**

LIB	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr.	BBV	Gregg Graham
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**2010**

WAR	MSG Alvin E. Foster, II - Vietnam	MIL	George A. Smith
MIL	Alan H. Gates		

**26 January 2010**

JCM Patrick Mathias Anderson

**20 February 2010**

DSM	CMSgt Ernest E. Newman	ES	David John Pack
PM	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr.	MW	Jane Newman
MSM	Thomas A. Wellborn	COA	Robert L. Collyer
SGC	Rick Crandall	COA	Lawrence R. Shriner
LE	Officer Aaron White	COA	David Wallace
FS	Captain Will Norden	50 Yr.	Robert E. Morgan
CMA	Emily Suazo, CO C.A.R. State President		

**28 June 2010**

MSM	Robert M. Gordon, Jr. – NSSAR Award	LIB	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. 1 <sup>st</sup> - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Oak Leaf
MSM	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. - NSSAR Award	LIB	Norman H. Kronvall

**11 December 2010**

FS Captain Steve Riker, Colorado Springs

**2011**

WAR	Lowell A. Clark - Vietnam	WAR	James R. Miles - Vietnam
WAR	Duane H. Duff, Jr. - Vietnam	MIL	Jefferson H. Baker
WAR	Christopher J. Fulmer	MIL	Gary D. Knight
WAR	Thomas R. Hoffman - Vietnam	MIL	Charles D. Lewis
WAR	Robert M. Jones – WW II, Korea	MIL	Dennis A. Morris
WAR	Robert M. McConnell, III - Vietnam	MIL	Richard W. Pippenger

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### 19 February 2011

DSM	Lawrence R. Shriner	EMS	Engine 23, Denver Fire Department
PM	John C. Luedecke	CMA	Mark A Minervini, CO C.A.R. State President
MSM	David T. Mann	ES	Russell B. Maranto
SGC	Dennis Gallagher	MW	Patricia A. Trudell
LE	Officer Aaron Anderson	COA	CO US Senator Wayne A. Allard
FS	Engine 21, Denver Fire Department		

### 11 July 2011

LIB LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5th Oak Leaf

### 24 September 2011

BGC Jan E. Housley

### 31 January 2012

JCM Patrick Gentry

### 18 February 2012

PM	Thomas A. Wellborn	BGC	Beau Coleman
MSM	George A. Smith	MW	Gale A. Crafton, CO DAR State Regent
LE	Deputy Robert Pablo - Denver	COA	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr.
FS	Captain Dennis Bishop - Westminster	COA	Norman H. Kronvall
EMS	Paramedic Randy Peterson - Westminster	COA	George A. Smith
CMA	Daya E. Baird, CO C.A.R. State President	COA	Jack Van Ens as Thomas Jefferson
ES	Caleb Bacon		

### 9 July 2012

MSM	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. – NSSAR Award	LIB	Norman H. Kronvall 1 <sup>st</sup> - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Oak Leaf
LIB	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. 6 <sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf	BSM	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr.

### 12 January 2013

MA	Jody Klein	BGC	Ronald D. Klein
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### 16 February 2013

PM	William E. Buvinger	EMS	University Hospital ED
SGC	Commissioner Debbie Bell	EMS	Rural/Metro Ambulance
LE	Westminster Police Department	CMA	Hyatt Vincent, CO C.A.R. State President
FS	Rist Canyon Volunteer Fire Department	ES	William Caleb Kelly
EMS	City of Aurora EMS	MW	Anita Caldwell

### 16 May 2013

WAR LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. – Vietnam

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**8 July 2013**

LIB	Thomas A. Brown	LIB	Norman H. Kronvall 3rd Oak Leaf
LIB	LTC Edmund P. Karr, Jr. 7 <sup>th</sup> Oak Leaf	BBV	CDR James W. Mize
LIB	Gary D. Knight		

**9 November 2013**

DLM	Barbara A. Brewer	SGC	Jim Doody, Former Mayor Grand Junction
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**8 February 2014**

DSM	Dick P. Marsh	ES	Hunter Bacon
PM	Garry W. Brewer	MW	Marcy Kimminau
LE	Joe Menger - Boulder Co Deputy Sheriff	MW	Bonnie June Kinder Karp
FS	CWO4 James Dowdy – US Army	LDM	JoAnn Luedecke
EMS	MSG Michael Simco – CO National Guard	LDM	Jewel Wellborn
CMA	Reed J. Coker – CO C.A.R. State President	COA	Mile High Fife & Drum Corps
BGC	Karen McQuire – Mile High Fife & Drum		President’s Portrait Initiative Streamer – PP Chapter