

THE MBTA MARY C. OWENS HUMAN RIGHTS AWARD

The Monterey Bay Teachers Association may bestow an award upon any current or past member who has demonstrated an ongoing, consistent and far reaching commitment to the support and furtherance of human rights and humanitarian deeds. For the purpose of this award, human rights shall pertain to the promotion of human welfare, regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, ability or religious beliefs.

Nominations will be solicited from the membership at large through NEWSWAVES, site representatives, and other Association communications. Completed nomination forms must be received at the MBTA office no later than 5:00 P.M. on the day of the January Board of Directors meeting. Facsimiles will not be accepted. All completed nominations shall be considered by MBTA's Human Rights Committee. The Committee will present its recommendation as an information item at the February Representative Council meeting. Approval will be determined at the March Representative Council meeting by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote. Presentation of the award shall be at the May Representative Council meeting.

The Human Rights Committee has the discretion to recommend a recipient each year. The Mary C. Owens Human Rights Award will not necessarily be awarded on an annual basis. The award's first recipient, Mary C. Owens, has set a high standard of service to others, and only exemplary nominees shall be considered.

Past Recipients:

1996-1997	Mary C. Owens - Los Arboles
1997-1998	No recipients
1998-1999	Elena Loomis - Seaside High Lucille Standifer - Los Arboles
1999-2000	Jannie Williams - Highland
2000-2001	Kathryn Loftus - Seaside High
2001-2002	No nominations
2002-2003	Kay Cline - Marina del Mar
2003-2004	Marguerite Fearn - Monterey High Jane Altavilla - Seaside High
2004-2005	No nominations
2005-2006	No nominations
2006-2007	Nancy Skager
2007-2008	No nominations
2008-2009	No nominations
2009-2010	Rebecca Tyson
2010-2011	No nominations
2011-2012	No nominations
2012-2013	Alan Jensen- Central Coast High Melanie Tanseco- Crumpton
2013-2014	No Nominations
2014-2015	No Nominations
2015-2016	Anna Munoz
2016-2017	No Nominations

Describe the nominee's specific experiences and/or accomplishments which support nomination for this award.

Other supportive or pertinent information:

Please do not attach additional materials. They will *not* be considered.

This nomination form must be received by the MBTA office prior to the day of our January Board of Directors meeting.

Deadline for nominations is Tuesday,
January 16, 2018 by 4:00PM