

**27th Annual Celebration of the
Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)**
Because one out of every five Americans, has a disability



Awards Nominations

The ADA Celebration Planning Committee is accepting nominations for awards for individuals, organizations and businesses that have positively promoted people with disabilities and who have advanced the full inclusion of people with disabilities in South Texas. These prestigious awards will be presented at the citywide celebration of the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act on Saturday, July 22, 2017 at Villita Assembly Building Exhibit Halls, 401 Villita, St. in San Antonio.

Deadline to submit a nomination is June 24, 2017

- Employer of the Year (Large and Small)
Awarded to an employer in recognition of their employment practices in hiring and promoting people with disabilities and whose place of employment accessible and disabled friendly.
- Organization of the Year (Private and Non-Profit)
Awarded to an organization that has demonstrated support for people with disabilities in a way that promotes dignity and independence.
- Media Award
Awarded to the individual, television station, radio station or publication that has highlighted and portrayed disability issues and people with disabilities positively.
- Public Servant of the Year
Awarded to the elected official or government employee that has helped the disability community in efforts to be fully independent.
- Individual Advocacy Award
Awarded to an individual that has given creative or unusual support or service for people with disabilities.
- Personal Attendant Award
Awarded to the personal attendant for outstanding services in his/her capacity to assist a person or person(s) with disability(ies).

