



Press Release

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Chamber Announces 2020 Gala Award Business of the Year and 2020/21 Garden Grove Man and Woman of the Year Winners

This year, the Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce solicited the community and its membership for nominations for the 2020 Man and Woman of the Year. The Chamber also received nominations for the Business of the Years awardees: for "Large Business", "Small Business", and "Community Service". We will be honoring these individuals and businesses at our Annual Gala Dinner on Saturday, March 28, 2020, at the Anaheim Marriott Suites hotel located at 12015 Harbor Boulevard, Garden Grove, CA 92840.

Awards Winners

- The "Large Business" Award recognizes **CTS Cement Manufacturing Corp.**, an employee-owned company with over 60 employees at its Garden Grove facility. CTS is well known for providing innovative cement products that have a lower carbon footprint and delivering award-winning service. Construction professionals, homeowners, and DIYers are able to repair and build with confidence using CTS' Rapid Set brand of products.

CTS' mission is to provide the most innovative, highest quality construction products and solutions worldwide, with complete commitment to value, service, and customer connectivity.

The Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce appreciates CTS' contributions to the Chamber and business community. Their involvement makes it possible for the Chamber to implement programs that make the community an even better place to live and work. CTS looks forward to contributing to the continued success of Garden Grove's economy.

- The "Small Business" Award recognizes **Garden Grove Dog and Cat Hospital**. This small business has been involved and with the Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce for twenty (20) years. The Garden Grove Dog and Cat Hospital for over sixty (60) years has provided outstanding medical, surgical, dental, and diagnostic services with compassion and empathy to the pets of Garden Grove and their owners.

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The Garden Grove Dog and Cat Hospital provides services not only for pets and their caregivers, but gives back to the community as well. The staff believes that you must be a responsible and responsive member of the city in which you practice. To this end, members of the medical team of the Garden Grove Dog and Cat Hospital serve on the Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, the Orange County Emergency Pet Clinics Board of Directors, Animal Health Foundation, and the Non Profit Golden State Humane Society (Garden Grove) Board of Directors, as well as donating to and staffing Mobile Veterinary Clinics to serve the homeless and their pets. The human/animal bond is important.

- The "Community Service" Award recognizes **Boys & Girls Clubs of Garden Grove**. Since its inception in 1956, the Boys & Girls Clubs of Garden Grove has grown to serve 24,720 youth and families a year through their various sixty-five sites in and around Garden Grove. In addition to their youth programs, BGCGG is also committed to the overall health of their members and families through their Community Health Services division dedicated to supporting the well-being of those they serve while providing essential access to mental health counseling, family support services, and various other key resources through their strong partnerships with GGUSD, GGPD & others.
- The Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce is proud to announce the **2020 Garden Grove Man & Woman of the Year**. This year's honorees are **Ric Lerma** and **Maureen Blackmun**. They both have many years of volunteerism in the City of Garden Grove and Orange County. Their reign begins July 1, 2020 and ends June 30, 2021.
- Our Gala Theme this year is "Route GG – Come Stay and Spell in a Garden Grove Hotel". Our hotel partners are also going to be honored at this event. We plan on a fun filled evening and look forward to seeing you there.

For full details and reservations for the event, please visit the Chamber's website or call the Chamber's office at 714-638-7950. Our address is 12866 Main Street, Suite 102, Garden Grove, CA 92840.

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About the Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce

The Garden Grove Chamber of Commerce is a non-profit, voluntary membership organization comprised of local businesses and leaders interested in enhancing the Garden Grove community. The Chamber's Government Affairs Committee (GAC) provides a basis for the Chamber to act on local, state, and federal issues impacting its business community so a favorable and profitable business climate is secured.
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