

New Mexico State Organization of DKG Officers and Committee Chairmen Report

NMSO Fall Convention Executive Board Meeting November 3, 2023

Date: 10-20-23

Your Name and Chapter: Lori Alexander, Gamma Chapter

Your State Office or the State Committee You Chair: Awards Committee

Committee Members:

Bianca Sapien—Gamma Chapter

Diana Valdez—Gamma Chapter

Megan Barnes—Alpha Iota Delta Chapter

Charges during this period: To inform the membership of NMSO and Chapter awards.

These are some important agenda items for every chapter to start preparing for participation in NM State activities:

Theta State Achievement Award: Nominate an outstanding and dedicated member. She must be an active member of Theta State New Mexico with at least ten years of active membership in The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International. Nominate someone who has made contributions to the New Mexico State Organization.

Merit Award: The chapter president is responsible for submitting names to recognize individuals and/or groups of members for distinctive service to

The New Mexico State Organization, NOT TO THE CHAPTER. There is no restriction on length of membership in the Society and no restriction on the number of recipients.

Longevity Awards: Awards shall be given at 40 years of membership and subsequently for every 5 years membership. The chapter is responsible for sending nominations to the Award Committee.

Educator Recognition Award: The Educator's Recognition Award is the State Organization's way to honor outstanding women educators.

Has your chapter chosen 2 amazing women to nominate for the Educator Recognition Award?

Outcomes: All forms can be found on the website

There are 3 forms on the Theta State website to help with getting them nominated and turned in by the April 1stdeadline. Send the nomination form with a photo to Diana Valdez, Awards Committee member at valdezd8844@gmail.com

Remember that our educators need and deserve to be honored. The pat-on-the-back goes a long way to show that they are valued. They can also use the award to support their dossiers and other professional resumes.

Deadlines and forms are available on the State website. https://thetastatenmdkg.weebly.com

Recommendations requiring action by Executive Board N/A

Rationale N/A

Respectfully Submitted,

Lori Alexander