

Pikes Peak Combined Federal Campaign Receives Three National Awards



Pictured left to right are: Ms. Darlene McDonald, Ms. Gina Hayworth, Ms. Mara Patermaster, Maj Rebekah Friday, Ms. Barbara Fitz . Lt Gen John Regni, Col Diane Napoli

The Pikes Peak Region Combined Federal Campaign (PPRCFC) was recognized by the Office of Personnel Management at the CFC National Awards Ceremony in Washington D.C., at the White House, on 09 June 2006. The region received two individual recognition awards and a campaign innovation award.

Ms. Gina Hayworth, Pueblo Postal Service campaign coordinator, and Maj Rebekah Friday, US Air Force Academy installation project officer, were honored as national CFC heroes for their outstanding campaign leadership and commitment to volunteerism. Barbara Fitz, Regional CFC Director, accepted the national innovator award in campaign administration. The awards were presented by Ms. Mara Patermaster, National CFC Operations Director.

“These awards are a tremendous acknowledgement of our local CFC efforts!” said Lt Gen Regni, Superintendent of the Air Force Academy, who attended the ceremony in support of Maj Friday and the Academy achievement. Lt Col Diane Napoli, Maj Friday’s supervisor, and Darlene McDonald, Gina Hayworth’s manager, were also in attendance.

This is the fourth consecutive year the region has earned the innovation award, and the third consecutive year federal personnel from the Pikes Peak Region have been honored as national CFC heroes. The national CFC committee received nominations from over 300 campaign regions.