

From: (b)(6)
Sent: 6/9/2021 4:18:14 PM
To: 'Brian McElhaney'; (b)(6)
CC: Sterling, Brian; (b)(6); (b)(6); Medders, Alison
Subject: RE: NFCA Awards, 2021

Hello Brian,
Can you please give us an update on what stage you are at with the NFCA award process?
Do you send out a notice for award submissions to the Fusion Center Directors?
Who drafts the criteria and circulates the announcement for nominations for the FY 21 PCRCL Award?

This information would be helpful to know.

Thanks,

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From: Brian McElhaney; (b)(6)
Sent: Thursday, May 20, 2021 10:45 AM
To: (b)(6)
Cc: Sterling, Brian; (b)(6); (b)(6); Medders, Alison
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Subject: Re: NFCA Awards, 2021

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Hi (b)(6)

Will do. Plan for late summer/early fall on nominations.

I meant to include Alison on the last email; her email address is in the cc line now. Sorry about that.

Brian

On Thu, May 20, 2021 at 7:28 AM (b)(6) wrote:

Hello Brian,

Thank you for reaching out....

Brian Sterling, Section Chief, (b)(6) and myself are working with the Fusion Centers. Please forward any nominations to Brian, (b)(6) and myself. Also, please provide Alison Duncan's email address, so that I can include her on the emails.

Thank you,

(b)(6)

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From: Brian McElhaney (b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, May 19, 2021 11:53 PM

To: (b)(6)

Subject: NFCA Awards, 2021

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Hi (b)(6)

It's time to start thinking about the NFCA awards.

By way of a virtual introduction, Alison Duncan of the Alabama Fusion Center is now on the team as the awards co-chair. You can copy Alison wherever you would copy me on awards items.

Can you respond to Alison and me and let us know if you are in again?

We can collect nominations and send them to you like last year.

Thanks, Brian