

The 2018 Tommy Shwe Community Bridge Award

The Tommy Shwe Community Bridge Award recognizes an individual who has contributed as a volunteer to bring people of different backgrounds together to accomplish a common goal. Those with recent achievements within the Cupertino Union School District (CUSD) are eligible to be nominated.

The Tommy Shwe Community Bridge Award was created in recognition of the legacy of Tommy Shwe and supported by APAPA (the Asian Pacific Islander for Public Affairs Association).

Tommy Shwe was the first Chinese American to be elected in Cupertino. He served on the Cupertino Union School District Board from 1985 to 1993. Shwe was also a board member of West Valley Community Services, the Cupertino Chamber of Commerce, the Foothill-De Anza Foundation and the Asian Business League of Silicon Valley, among many other public service responsibilities. He was also in Cupertino Rotary for a number of years.

The winner of the first Annual Tommy Shwe Community Bridge Award will be formally acknowledged at CEEF's annual Gala, to be held at Club Auto Sport in San Jose on March 3rd, 2018.

NOMINATION PROCESS

Any person, agency, or organization is encouraged to submit nominations of individuals for consideration for this award. **All submissions must be received by no later than 5 PM on Thursday, November 30, 2017. Completed applications should be mailed to CEEF at 1309 South Mary Avenue, Suite 219, Sunnyvale, CA 94087, or emailed to info@ceefcares.org.**

GUIDELINES

- Individuals may not nominate themselves.
- The award is for accomplishments in volunteer capacities only.
- Nominees need not reside in the city of Cupertino.

Tommy Shwe Community Bridge Award Committee: Richard Lowenthal, Hsing Kung, John Zirelli, Savita Vaidhyathan, Amy Chan, Hwei Saint Shwe and Don Sun.

Tommy Shwe Community Bridge Award Nomination Form

* Required

Nominee Name *

Nominee Mailing Address *

Nominee Email Address *

Nominee Telephone Number *

In 500 words or less, how do you feel your nominee best honors the legacy of Tommy Shwe? *

Nominator Name *

Nominator Mailing Address *

Nominator Email Address *

Nominator Telephone Number *
