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Leadership Arlington Announces 2014 Leadership Legacy Award Winners

Arlington, VA - Leadership Arlington is honored to announce the recipients of the 2014 Leadership Legacy Awards, recognizing outstanding community leaders. The event honoring these leaders will be held on May 21, 2014 from 6:00pm until 10:00pm at The Westin Arlington Gateway (801 N. Glebe Road, Arlington, VA 22203). Additionally, the Leadership Legacy Awards will celebrate the graduation of the [Leadership Arlington Signature Program](#) Class of 2014.

This year, Leadership Arlington will present an Ethics Award, Community Impact Award and Nonprofit Award. Award Recipients are as follows:

- **Ethics Award:** [Randy Anderson](#)
- **Community Impact Award:** [Rich Doud](#)
- **Nonprofit Award:** [A-SPAN](#)

Recipients are selected for their demonstration of leadership in our community and support of Leadership Arlington's mission "to enlighten, inspire and connect" leaders in our community. The recipients also exemplify ethical leadership capacities, visionary thinking, servant leadership and ethics in thoughts, words, and actions.

Randy Anderson, Regional President of United Bank, graduate of the Leadership Arlington Signature Program Class of 2002 and member of the Leadership Arlington Board of Regents, is known in the community as having a strong sense of integrity. He worked for Virginia Commerce Bank prior to its merger with United Bank. Even as the banks were merging, Randy remained an anchor of faith and was steadfast in his ethics.

"Randy has served as a constant beacon and touchstone of leadership and ethics," notes Tim Hughes, Shareholder at Bean, Kinney & Korman, PC and graduate of the Leadership Arlington Signature Program Class of 2006. "Having known him over the years as my business banker, a sterling fiduciary on multiple association and nonprofit boards, my client, and most importantly, my friend, Randy's integrity is unflinching, consistent and part of his core values every day."

For these reasons, Randy Anderson is receiving the 2014 Ethics Award.

Rich Doud has been President of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce for more than 20 years and is an incredible supporter and pillar of our local Arlington community. He is a graduate of the Leadership Arlington Signature Program Class of 1999 and member of the Leadership Arlington Board of Regents and .

"Both Arlington and the Arlington Chamber of Commerce have changed dramatically over the 23 years Rich has lead the organization," said Kate Roche, Vice President of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce and graduate of the Leadership Arlington Young Professionals Program Class of 2011. "Under Rich's leadership, the Chamber created our Community Action Committee, linking businesses and nonprofits together, and established an entire series of programming and benefits for our member nonprofits. Rich was also instrumental in the Chamber's founding of Leadership Arlington and the creation of the Arlington Business Hall of Fame. Rich is truly Mr. Arlington. He is an integral part of the community. His passion for the Chamber and the community is deeply rooted and incredibly sincere."

Leadership Arlington is proud to honor Rich Doud with the 2014 Community Impact Award.

A-SPAN is in its 23rd year of service to Arlington. Beginning as a simple street meal program in 1991, A-SPAN has grown into a full service organization for homeless adults that provides food, clothing, shelter, medical services, case management and housing to many of Arlington's most vulnerable residents. Within the next year, A-SPAN will be operating a year-round Homeless Services Center, which will combine all of its services in one building, including the shelter, a medical respite program and services aimed at ending homelessness in Arlington.

"We are honored to be recognized as a leader in this caring community," shared Kathleen Sibert, Executive Director of A-SPAN and Leadership Arlington Signature Program Class of 2010 graduate.

Leadership Arlington is grateful for all of the hard work and leadership A-SPAN demonstrates in our community, and this organization is deserving of receiving the 2014 Nonprofit Award.

The Leadership Legacy Awards will be held on May 21, 2014 from 6:00pm until 10:00pm at The Westin Arlington Gateway (801 N. Glebe Road, Arlington, VA 22203). To register for this event, please visit the Leadership Arlington website at www.leadershiparlington.org. Admission is \$100 if purchased on or before March 7 and \$125 beginning March 8. Dinner is included.

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About Leadership Arlington

The mission of Leadership Arlington is to enlighten, inspire and connect leaders to strengthen the community. The vision of Leadership Arlington is a prepared, inspired and inclusive leadership who together embrace responsibility for the common good. For more information, visit www.leadershiparlington.org or call 703-528-2522.