



ENTRY No: _____
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2024 BEAUTIFICATION AWARDS ENTRY FORM

INSTRUCTIONS: Entry forms and judges' information sheets (pages 2 & 3) must be typed or printed in ink. Complete all information requested in detail. Each entry requires a separate application and entry fee. You must be a current dues-paid Regular, Sustaining or Satellite member to enter. All installation projects must be completed on or after January 1, 2023.

Entry Fee: \$ 150 per entry if received on or by April 19, 2024

Multi Entry Discount: Enter two projects and your third entry is free, if received by April 19, 2024

[] To be considered for Excelsior Award, check here if you have **never** entered a project in any CLCA Awards Program and first joined the association after January 2023.

Late Fee: \$ 200 per entry if received between April 22 and April 26
No entries will be accepted after April 26, 2024.

If you choose to enter the same property in multiple categories, a separate entry fee and form is due for each category.

NEW THIS YEAR: Remit your entries via email! Send them to Bronwyn at eyescales@yahoo.com.

QUESTIONS: Reach out to Bronwyn via email at eyescales@yahoo.com or by calling (949) 466-1222.

If you choose to mail your entry forms, send to:
SFV CLCA
Attn: Bronwyn Miller
P.O. Box 242, Beaumont, CA 92223

You may submit a check for all entries, or pay by credit card. Judging will take place on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, May 2, 3 and 4, if needed. Be sure there is no signage or vehicles on site during those days that identifies your company. Please also ask your clients not to divulge your identity or discuss the project with the judges.

Entry Category: _____ **Category Number:** _____

Name of Firm: _____ **Phone #:** _____

Business Address: _____ **E-mail:** _____

Name of Project: _____

Project Owner: _____

Address of Project: _____ **City** _____ **Zip Code** _____

OWNER'S CONSENT

I/we hereby grant permission to enter our property or premises for the purpose of judging, photographing, and publicizing the landscape project in this competition to the accredited representatives of the California Landscape Contractors Association. It is understood that no fees or charges of any kind are required of the property owner. Judging will occur sometime on May 2, 3, or 4, 2024. **Entries with locked gates or unattended dogs will not be judged unless prior arrangements have been made by the contractor.** Owner agrees not to discuss project with judges, nor divulge the name of contractor or in any other way try to influence the decision of the judging team. Judges and photographer will take necessary precautions needed due to Covid.

Date

Owner or Authorized Agent's Signature

Telephone Number



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INFORMATION FOR JUDGES

INSTRUCTIONS: So that the judges can properly evaluate your work, please draw a simplified map showing the area where the landscaping was carried out. If judges cannot locate your property or gain access, it will not be judged.

Address of Project (include zip code):

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LANDSCAPE AREA- ROUGH SKETCH (USE INK)

Please answer the following questions about your entry. (estimates are acceptable)

- 1) What is the overall size of the owner's property? _____ sq. ft.
- 2) What is the size of the landscaped area? _____ sq. ft.
- 3) What was the contract price for this project? _____ Is it monthly? _____
- 4) Date project was started? _____
- 5) Date project was completed? _____



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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR JUDGES

ADVANCED NOTICE PHONE CALLS: Advance notice will only be given for special circumstances such as locked gates or buildings. Request must be made in writing at time of entry stating reason. The judging team will try to make special arrangements for times or dates only if it does not interrupt the flow of judging. All necessary precautions due to Covid will be taken. The Awards committee reserves the right to reject any entry.

Contractors: Please check [] under Installation or Maintenance below, all of the work done under your contract in the category entered. All items of contract must be listed. Proof of contract may be required. Additional comments are welcome; Use space provided below under “Contractor’s Comments.”

INSTALLATION

Check work completed under your contract	Work not completed by Contractor	Judge’s Score
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MAINTENANCE

Check Work Completed	Judge’s Score
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- 1. Finish Grading _____
- 2. Irrigation _____
- 3. Plant Material _____
- 4. Lawn _____
(seed or sod - circle one)
- 5. Drainage _____
- 6. Header Boards _____
- 7. Tree Staking _____
- 8. Masonry _____
- 9. Concrete _____
- 10. Decks/Benches _____
- 11. Fences _____
- 12. Retainers _____
- 13. Water Features _____
- 14. Designed By Contractor _____
- 15. Night Lighting _____
- 16. Pools _____
- 17. Outdoor Kitchens _____
- 18. Shades/Decks _____

- 1. General Appearance _____
- 2. Tree Staking _____
- 3. Tree Pruning _____
- 4. Shrubs _____
- 5. Lawns _____
- 6. Ground Cover _____
- 7. Annuals _____
- 8. Irrigation _____
- 9. Other _____
- 10. Other _____
- 11. Tree Trimming _____
- 12. Tree Shaping _____
- 13. Tree Condition _____

(Contractor must submit night time photos for consideration)

Contractors comments: _____

Judges comments: _____



2024 Award Categories

Special Categories *Special Award winners are chosen by the Judges from among the Regular Category Entries.*

Special Effects Award Best use of unique methods or materials and/or special artistic effects.

Colorscape Award Best use of color in overall landscape.

Turf Green Award For best appearance and healthy green color use.

Hardscape Award Creative or best use of construction materials (concrete, wood, masonry, etc.)

Bob Moore Memorial Award Best use of rockscape in the landscape.

Excelsior Award For first year member exhibiting excellence in craftsmanship (joined after 1/1/22)

President's Choice Award Residential project that best exhibits excellence in craftsmanship.

F.H. Arklin Memorial Award Commercial project that best exhibits excellence in craftsmanship.

Stuart Sperber Memorial Sweepstakes Award Judged best overall from all categories.

Regular Award Categories

Installation

- 1. Small Residential A** Single-family residence with landscaping cost not to exceed \$25,000
- 2. Small Residential B** Single family residence with landscaping cost from \$25,001 - \$50,000
- 3. Medium Residential** Single-family residence with landscaping cost from \$50,001 - \$100,000
- 4. Large Residential** Single-family residence with landscaping cost from \$100,001- \$150,000
- 5. Custom Residential** Single-family residence with landscaping cost from \$150,001- \$250,000
- 6. Residential Estates** Single family residence with landscaping cost above \$250,001
- 7. Design Build** Any project designed and installed by contractor. Project must fall within scope of C-27 license.
A plan must be submitted and will be judged.
- 8. Renovation** Any landscape renovation not more than 70% demolished. **"Before" photos required.**
- 9. Model Homes** A series of three or more family units included in one subdivision.
- 10. Commercial Living Facilities** Any building or facility used on a rental, lease, or transient basis. Includes hotels, motels, apartments and condominium complexes.
- 11. Small Commercial/Industrial** Any type of building or structure used for business or manufacturing with landscaping costs not to exceed \$125,000.



- 12. Large Commercial Industrial** Any type of building or structure used for business or manufacturing with landscaping costs from \$125,001+
- 13. Public Works** Any public building or area financed by public funds.
- 14. Xeriscape** Water conservation through creative landscaping (commercial or residential).
- 15. Water Feature** Waterfalls, ponds, fountains, or streams (commercial or residential).
- 16. Night Lighting** Any landscape lighting (commercial or residential). *Must submit lighting photos on thumb drive with entry.*
- 17. Shade/Deck** Design and craftsmanship of wood or composite pergola or deck.
- 18. Outdoor Kitchen** Any build installed with attention to detail.

Maintenance

- 19. Small Commercial Maintenance** Landscape maintenance on commercial property started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly landscape maintenance cost of \$1,500 or less.
- 20. Medium Commercial Maintenance** Landscape maintenance on commercial property started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly landscape maintenance cost of \$1,501 to \$4,000.
- 21. Large Commercial Maintenance** Landscape maintenance on commercial property started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly cost in excess of \$4,000.
- 22. Small Residential Maintenance** Landscape maintenance on single family residential property started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly cost up to \$750.
- 23. Large Residential Maintenance** Landscape maintenance on single family residential property started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly cost in excess of \$750.
- 24. Public Works Maintenance** Any public building or area financed by public funds started prior to January 1, 2023.
- 25. Small HOA Maintenance** Landscape maintenance for HOA started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly cost up to \$4,000.
- 26. Medium HOA Maintenance** Landscape maintenance for HOA started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly cost of \$4,001 to \$15,000.
- 27. Large HOA Maintenance** Landscape maintenance for HOA started prior to January 1, 2023, with monthly cost over \$15,000.
- 28. Tree Care – Commercial** Tree health and appearance on commercial property.
- 29. Tree Care – Residential** Tree health and appearance on residential property.