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COMPASS Seeks Nominations for 13th Annual Leadership in Motion Awards

Meridian, ID – The Community Planning Association of Southwest Idaho (COMPASS) is seeking nominations for its 2021 Leadership in Motion awards. The awards recognize individuals, developments, businesses, and projects that demonstrate leadership in implementing Ada and Canyon County’s regional long-range transportation plan, [*Communities in Motion 2040 2.0*](#).

“We are emerging from the pandemic stronger than ever,” states COMPASS Executive Director Matt Stoll. “Our economy is thriving, building is booming, and our transportation system is changing and expanding across all modes, to provide new and safer options for the traveling public.

“We are looking for nominations of individuals, projects, and businesses that have exemplified leadership in moving the region forward, without compromising the high quality of life that is fueling our growth.

“In addition, I’m excited to announce that we have added a new award category this year to recognize developments that support the goals of *Communities in Motion 2040 2.0*. Transportation and land use go hand-in-hand, and this new ‘Leadership in Development’ award highlights that nexus.”

Awards will be presented in the following categories:

- Leadership in Government, Ada County and Canyon County
 - Government-sponsored projects
 - One award in each county
- Leadership in Private Business/Nonprofit
- Leadership in Development (Private Developer) (*NEW!*)
- Leadership in Practice, Professional
- Leadership in Practice, Citizen/Volunteer
- Leadership by Example, Elected/Appointed Official

This year’s awards will recognize efforts and projects that occurred between July 2020 and June 2021.

Learn more and submit your nominations online at www.compassidaho.org (follow the link to “Leadership in Motion awards”). Anyone may submit a nomination and any project or person (other than COMPASS staff) within Ada and Canyon Counties is eligible to be nominated. Nominations must be received by 12:00 noon, Friday, October 1, 2021.