



Santa Cruz County Women's Commission

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THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY WOMEN'S COMMISSION IS NOW ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS FOR TRAILBLAZER AWARDS 2026

The Trailblazer Awards recognize women in Santa Cruz County who, through their professional or personal efforts, are making extraordinary differences in the lives of women or girls. Honorees have worked to make a significant impact on and improve the lives of women or girls, as well as inspiring and encouraging them. Those that are recognized as Trailblazers may have a focus in (but not limited to) areas such as criminal and economic justice, education, prevention of violence against women and girls, women's healthcare, political participation, and/or various organizations that support the interests of women or girls.

Trailblazer Award recipients will be recognized on International Women's Day, Sunday, March 8, 2026 in a special recognition gathering via Zoom.

To nominate someone for this award, you can:

- Fill out the form online at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/KBVGD7F>
- Visit our website at <http://sccwc.org> to download the form, and
 - email it to commissions@santacruzcountyca.gov or
 - Print and mail it to Women's Commission, 701 Ocean Street, Room 510, Santa Cruz CA 95060

Please note that you can nominate more than one person.

THE DEADLINE TO SUBMIT NOMINATIONS HAS BEEN EXTENDED TO MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 2026.

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