



2023 Community U.P.L.I.F.T. Award Winners

UNITY PUBLIC SERVICE LEADERSHIP INNOVATION FRIENDSHIP TEAMWORK

Shopping Cart Roundup Project
Socko Pearson - *Belvedere Civic League*
Janette Woodruff - *Wards Corner Business Association & Suburban Acres Civic League*
James Jones - *Positive Vibes*
BJ Ortiz - *Iota Phi Theta*
Denise Gallop - *Norfolk Department of Human Services*
Corliss Dreher - *Newtowne South Civic League*
Gloria Williams - *Unmute Me House*
Kali Bahl - *CLEAN Youth Organization*
Laniyah Grimes - *CLEAN Youth Organization*
Janet Montgomery - *CLEAN Youth Organization*
Melvin Tendilla - *Social Cycling Norfolk*
Latisha McDaniel - *The Bridge Summer Camp for Kids*
Joe Hamm - *Park Place Civic League*
Kim Sudderth - *Beacon Light Civic League*
Larry Skyles - *Beacon Light Civic League*
Sarah Sterzing - *Keep Norfolk Beautiful*
Scott Mahone - *Norfolk Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)*
Norfolk Master Gardeners
Norfolk Society for Cemetery Preservation
Alfreda Thomas - *Sarah-Grace's Angel*
GEAR Recovery, Inc.
Grace Bible Church
Tanya Shadley - *TRS Productions & TRS Kids*
Beta Theta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta
City of Norfolk Office of Diversity, Equity & Inclusion
Park Place Civic League

About the U.P.L.I.F.T. Awards

The Community U.P.L.I.F.T. (Unity, Public Service, Leadership, Innovation, Friendship & Teamwork) Awards seek to recognize those who performed an act of service that benefited their community and the residents of Norfolk during the pandemic. This includes individuals, civic leagues or community organizations, businesses, non-profits, and religious organizations – any individual or group that made a meaningful impact in the community to help others.