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ATF LOS ANGELES HONORED WITH 'OUTSTANDING COMMUNITY OUTREACH' AWARD

LOS ANGELES – The Chinatown Public Safety Association (CPSA) presented John A. Torres, Special Agent in Charge of the Los Angeles Field Division, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF), with the “Outstanding Community Outreach Award” in recognition of outstanding community outreach to the Asian Community and for the ATF Citizens’ Academy.

The award was presented May 19 during the Chinatown Public Safety Association 25th Silver Anniversary Awards Banquet.

The CPSA is a non-profit corporation dedicated to improving the quality of life in greater Southern California through partnerships with government agencies and more than 40 Asian-American members of the media.

ATF was recognized for the contribution it made to the Asian-American media with “Media Day at the Range,” which allowed reporters and other media representatives to participate in a firearms familiarization training day and receive information on the role, tools, tactics, jurisdiction and vision for the future of ATF.

Additionally, ATF was recognized for its exemplary contribution to the Asian-American community through the development and implementation of the ATF Citizens’ Academy. The academy was developed to promote a more informed community through educating business, media, government and community leaders in the Los Angeles area about ATF’s mission and challenges.

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