



Fort Worth Police Officers' Award Foundation

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**FORT WORTH POLICE OFFICERS' AWARDS
FOUNDATION HONORS EXEMPLARY SERVICE**

Fort Worth police officer **Johnny Sosa, Sr.** was named Officer of the Year for 2008 at a special VIP dinner on Tuesday, May 12, 2008. The dinner was hosted by the Fort Worth Police Officers' Award Foundation and was held at the City Club of Fort Worth.

The honor for the Commander of the Year went to **Lieutenant Steven Baker** of the South Division Field Operations Division.

Other personnel honored as outstanding in their area of assignment are:

Field Operations Division

Corporal/Detective Brent Halford, Central Field Operations Division
Officer Rubin Sandlin, North Field Operations Division, NPD 4
Corporal/Detective George Steeves, West Field Operations Division
Officer Kyle Lawrence, South Field Operations Division, NPD 8
Officer Domingo Martinez, III, East Field Operations Division, NPD 4

Criminal Investigations Division

Detective Kerry Adcock, Violent Personal Crimes, SCRAM unit

Special Operations Division

Officer Jesus Alaniz, Jr.

Specialized Units

Officer Buck Wheeler, Training Division

Rookie of the Year

Officer Eryn Smith, Central Field Operations Division, NPD 1

Reserve Unit

Reserve Captain Chip Jones

Supervisor of the Year

Sergeant Michael Decker, Special Operations Division