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Florence Area Chamber of Commerce hosted the 2017 Siuslaw Awards at the Florence Events Center on February 7, 2018. It was a chance to honor local businesses with a number of awards, as well as to thank three specific community members for their impact on the community through service.

## 2017 Winners

- Distinguished Service Award – Mike Bones
- Community Caring Award – Banner Bank
- Curb Appeal - Heceta Head Lighthouse
- Excellence in Customer Service - Sand Master Park
- Innovation in Business - RAIN
- Non-Profit Achievement - CROW
- Stu Johnston Business of the Year Award - Tony's Garage
- Florence First Citizen – Rachel Pearson
- Florence Future First Citizen – Kaylee Graham



"You reflect the future and the sustainability of our economy, and I appreciate all you are doing, the sacrifices that you make and the innovations you make," Hannigan said. "It was an honor to see the representatives here and be associated with you all. ... We can learn from one another. Together we make Florence what it is and it is so special."

– Bettina Hannigan, FACC Executive Director