The AAAC Distinguished Leadership Award

I. Purpose

To recognize excellence in leadership involving community people, team members, events and programs. One award will be presented annually.

II. Criteria

All criteria below must be met in order to be selected for an award.

- 1. Be an excellent role model for community members
- 2. Inspire others to work collaboratively and creatively
- 3. Demonstrate initiative and integrity
- 4. Promote a teamwork environment that is respectful, collegial and supportive
- 5. Foster pride in Asian American community and its unity, selfreliance and mutual assistance
- 6. Lead an effective team to achieve concrete results
- 7. Actively involved in mentorship and development of others
- 8. Prepare young men and women for future leadership roles
- 9. Be selected by the majority of the Asian American Advisory Council members

III. Eligibility

Community leaders who demonstrate leadership qualities and dedicated humanitarian services to the community for 25 years or more