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To ensure the fairest possible treatment of every entrant's work, our judge pool was comprised in balanced proportion between Democrats and Republicans, as well as nonpartisan/Independent and international judges. These judges are essential to the success and integrity of the Pollie Awards program and we are truly appreciative of their time and efforts. To all of our judges, thank you! Without you, the Pollie Awards would not be possible.



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Regional - Miscellaneous

N01 - Best Use of Direct Mail - Small **Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)**

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Texas First Coalition - Don't Gamble with **Texas Students**

Mayes Media Group

Regional Level Silver

Not Again

Berni Consulting, Ourso Beychok

Regional Level Bronze AFC Oklahoma Direct Mail Campaign

Go Big Media Inc.

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

"Fishy"

The Strategy Group Co.

Regional Level Silver

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Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Regional Level Bronze

Something All of Us Can Support

WrightPath Solutions

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Austin City Council Race, Vanessa **Fuentes**

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Regional Level Silver

Miami-Dade County Commission District 5 Campaign

MDW Communications

Regional Level Bronze

Black Political Power in Arkansas Threei Creative Communications

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Dan Ryan COVID

CN4 Partners

Regional Level Silver

MODESTOLAND

Green Alley Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Worker B

Andre Charles Consulting & Spafford Licoln

N02 - Best Use of Television - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Ditch Daylin

Ampersand Strategies

Regional Level Gold

"What's a Wuliger?"

The Strategy Group Co.

Regional Level Silver

Just Judy

Ampersand Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Jesse Mermell for Congress "Great Options" Putnam Partners, LLC

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

United for Portland

Elevated Campaigns

Regional Level Silver

Mike Schmidt for Multnomah DA

Elevated Campaigns

Regional Level Bronze

Protect Oregon Workers

Ridgelark Strategies

N03 - Best Use of Digital - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

ND-44 Digital Spots

Indigo Strategies LLC

Regional Level Silver

Parent Teacher Videos

Go Big Media Inc.

Regional Level Bronze

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AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Voting By Mail in 2020

The Beytin Agency

Regional Level Silver

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Regional Level Silver

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Regional Level Silver

A West Anaheim Story

Merino, Barajas & Allen

Regional Level Bronze

Accountability Initiatives

Ridgelark Strategies

N04 - Best Use of Phones/Text - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

47 Years

Game Changer Strategies

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

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WrightPath Solutions

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"The Man with the Plan - Wuliger for

Commissioner"

The Strategy Group Co.

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

PBC VOTES 2020. Hi, it's your Supervisor of

Flections

Cornerstone Solutions

Regional Level Bronze

Calendar Invite GOTV

Chism Strategies/McIntosh Consulting

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Montana Social Pressure GOTV

Chism Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Hassle the Hof

McShane LLC

Regional Level Bronze

Bennett Takes A Ride with Campaign Funds

McShane LLC

N05 - Best Fundraising Effort - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

Regional Level Gold

Planned Parenthood of Utah

Blueprint

N06 - Best Use of Radio - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC North

Regional Level Silver

Brad Pfaff for Wisconsin Senate "Mindoro"

AL Media

Regional Level Bronze

Brad Pfaff for Wisconsin Senate "Early"

AL Media

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Fox in the Henhouse

Hackney & Hackney for Axiom Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Trust

Hackney & Hackney for Axiom Strategies

N08 - Best Use of Collateral - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC South

Regional Level Silver

It's a Warnock Life: Voter Engagement

Merchandise Drive

Asana Creative Strategy & Atlas Strategy Group

Regional - Candidate Division

N09 - Direct Mail - For Governor

AAPC North

Regional Level Bronze

Rubber Ducky

Tuesday Associates

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Unmasked

The Strategy Group

Regional Level Silver

Role Models

The Strategy Group

Regional Level Bronze

Poder NC Action

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

N10 - Direct Mail - For Statewide (Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC South

Regional Level Silver

Won't Rest

The Strategy Group

N11 - Direct Mail - For State Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Gender Reveal

C.A.M.P & Berry Communications

Regional Level Silver

Firefighter

Superior Blue

Regional Level Bronze

FireBreak

Superior Blue

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

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Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Regional Level Silver

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BerlinRosen

Regional Level Bronze

Blago's Buddy

The Strategy Group

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

The TaxRaiser

Capitol Consulting Firm

Regional Level Silver

Spooky

Camelot Consulting

Regional Level Bronze

Wrong Capitol, Bro.

Murphy Nasica & Associates

N12 - Direct Mail - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

José's Vision

BerlinRosen

Regional Level Silver

Not Again

Berni Consulting, Ourso Beychok

Regional Level Bronze

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AAPC North

Regional Level Bronze

Dirty Water

Napolitano Consulting

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Al Cannon Has Done Time in His Jail

Superior Blue

Regional Level Silver

Ballay - Palazzo Cheated IRS

Buisson Creative

Regional Level Bronze

A+ vs. F-

AAPC West

Cornerstone Solutions

Regional Level Gold

Dan Kalb for Oakland City Council The Next Generation

Regional Level Silver

Hats Whitehurst Mosher Campaign Strategy and

Regional Level Bronze

Where the Sidewalk Ends

Andre Charles Consulting

N13 - Direct Mail - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral

AAPC North

Regional Level Silver A Bad Day for Drug Dealers C.A.M.P.

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold Let's Make History

MDW Communications

N14 - Direct Mail - GOTV (Non-Federal)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Silver
"¡Pon atención!"

MAP Political Communication

Regional Level Bronze Double

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Mosaic: Engagement through Remote Photoshoot

Ampersand Consulting

N15 - Direct Mail - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Governor

AAPC West

Regional Level Bronze

I Like Mike CN4 Partners

N16 - Direct Mail - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Statewide (Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Unraveled

The Strategy Group

N17 - Direct Mail - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For State Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Jack of All Liberals

Regional Level Silver

Kansas Republican Senatorial Committee - In Support of KS-11 Kelly Warren

The Lukens Company

Regional Level Bronze

Stop the Abuse TJP Strategies

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

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Regional Level Silver

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Back in Time

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N18 - Direct Mail - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Silver

Unthinkable

C.A.M.P.

Regional Level Bronze

Highest Bidder

Sisneros Strategies

AAPC North

Regional Level Silver

NJEA Hillsborough School Board CN4 Partners

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Betrayed

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Regional Level Silver

Clinton - Fore

Camco Consulting LLC

Regional Level Bronze

Not That Kennedy

The Balduzzi Group

Regional Level Bronze

For You

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Tweeter

Elevated Campaigns

Regional Level Silver

Mask

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Regional Level Bronze

Todd Gloria for San Diego Mayor - Tagalog / English

Imprenta Communications

N19 - Direct Mail - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver

Black Educations Matter

Shallman Communications

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AAPC Central

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Friends of Chris Sununu

Regional Level Silver

Surfing in Vermont

Metro Square

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Roy Cooper for Governor "God's Work"

Putnam Partners

Regional Level Bronze

Jim Justice - Straight Shooter

FP1 Strategies

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver

Greg Gianforte - RightNow

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AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Shemia Fagan for Secretary of State "Camping Trip"

AL Media

N22 - Television - For State Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Sue Cahill "Stick Together"

McKenna Media & Hardpin Media

Regional Level Silver

Til The Cows Come Home

KC Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Hanson Brothers

Indigo Strategies LLC

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Ditch Daylin

Ampersand Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Rural Voter Institute - Hard Work

FSSG

Regional Level Bronze

Just the Facts

The Parkside Group

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Ann Johnson for State Rep "Last Day"

AL Media

Regional Level Silver

What If?

Consensus Communications

Regional Level Bronze

Slumlord

Consensus Communications

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Periodic Table

CounterPoint Messaging

Regional Level Silver

Love Country

J&Z Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

T'wina Story

CounterPoint Messaging

N23 - Television - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Hugh Finkelstein for Judge

Cook Consulting

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

"What's a Wuliger?"

The Strategy Group Co.

Regional Level Silver

Brad Pfaff for Wisconsin Senate "Care"

AL Media

Regional Level Bronze

A Prosecutor who will Fight for Everyone

Change Media Group & Hardpin

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Foret - Breaking News

Buisson Creative

Regional Level Silver

Chef/Sheff

West By God Virginia Productions

Regional Level Bronze

America's Wake Up Call

Cornerstone Solutions

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Dan Ryan Brother Tim

CN4 Partners

Regional Level Silver

Todd Gloria for San Diego: 2020 Mayoral

Campaign

Sena Kozar Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

In it Together - Kevin Lincoln for Stockton

Mayor

3AM Communications

N24 - Television - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Smart on Crime: McDonald for Prosecutor

Change Media Group & Hardpin

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Credible Alternative

CounterPoint Messaging

Regional Level Silver

Safer Better

CounterPoint Messaging

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Herb Wesson for LA County Supervisor

"Searching for Doug"

Putnam Partners, LLC

Regional Level Silver

Das Williams for Supervisor, "Hitting Home"

RALLY and Street Level Strategy

Regional Level Bronze

Das Williams for Supervisor, "Always Been

There"

RALLY and Street Level Strategy

N25 - Television - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Governor

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

A Stronger Missouri PAC "Gifts"

AL Media

Regional Level Bronze

Uniting Missouri PAC - Rob

FP1 Strategies

N26 - Television - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Statewide

(Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Bronze

MO Opportunity PAC "Perjury"

Trail Public Affairs

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Spell Hickenlooper Madison McQueen

N27 - Television - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For State

Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Bronze

Arizonans for Better Healthcare: Healthcare

Heroes for Heather Carter

Greg Ensell, Randy Murray Productions

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Wisconsin Alliance for Reform - Milking

Taxpayers

FP1 Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Wisconsin Alliance for Reform - Scary

FP1 Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Regional Leve

"Duh Crusher"
The Strategy Group Co.

AAPC South

Ozark

Regional Level Gold

Consensus Communications

Regional Level Silver

"Law and Order" OnMessage Inc.

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver

No Fake Democrats

Elevated Campaigns

Regional Level Bronze Before Us

J&Z Strategies

N28 - Television - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Tanya Ortiz Franklin for School Board - Kids First "For Everyone"

Putnam Partners, LLC

Regional Level Silver

Tweeter

Elevated Campaigns

Regional Level Bronze

Times

Elevated Campaigns

N29 - Television - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Rick Blangiardi for Mayor - Be Change Now "Leader"

Putnam Partners, LLC

Regional Level Silver

Movement

BerlinRosen

Regional Level Bronze

On Alert

J&Z Strategies

N30 - Internet Advertising - For Governor

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver Greg Gianforte - Walt

FP1 Strategies

N31 - Internet Advertising -For Statewide (Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Silver

We Have the Power

Pacific Campaign House

Regional Level Bronze

Lea Marquez Peterson for Corporate

Commissioner

IMGE

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Judgement Day: Terminating a Republican Majority on the Michigan Supreme Court Change Media Group

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

"Victory"

Our States Matter PAC

N32 - Internet Advertising - For State Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Political Ad:30

Content Media Co

Regional Level Silver

Rachel Zenzinger - Education

Turn It Blue Digital

Regional Level Bronze

Hanson Brothers

Indigo Strategies LLC

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Gun

Content Media Co

Regional Level Silver

Rural Voter Institute - Hard Work

FSSG

Regional Level Bronze

The Republican Democrats Vote For

Data Genomix

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

"Knock Knock"

SBDigital

Regional Level Silver

"Trust"

Our States Matter PAC

Regional Level Bronze

"Bold"

Our States Matter PAC/SBDigital

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Eye Exam

J&Z Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Keep Working

J&Z Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Do the Work

J&Z Strategies

N33 - Internet Advertising - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Kim and Kassi

Cook Consulting

Regional Level Gold

Public Defender

BerlinRosen

Regional Level Silver

Christian Menefee for Harris County Attorney

Foundation Blue Media, Independence

Campaigns

Regional Level Bronze

John Brown's Education Experience

"Stacks Up"

Berni Consulting

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Our Home

Metro Square

Regional Level Silver

Progressive Goals

Publitics & Finite Visual

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Chef/Sheff

West By God Virginia Productions

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Police Reform - Now!

Blue State Consulting

Regional Level Silver
Treva Reid For Oakland City Council

88spire

Regional Level Bronze

Change

J&Z Strategies

N34 - Internet Advertising - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral

AAPC Central

Regional Level Silver

Jenny Wilson for Salt Lake County Mayor

Quorum Creative, DSPolitical

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Joe Deters for Hamilton County Prosecutor

RedRock Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Meeting the Moment: How Karen McDonald Mobilized Supporters of Criminal Justice Reform to Beat a 12-year Incumbent

Change Media Group & Hardpin **AAPC West**

Regional Level Bronze

George Gascón for Los Angeles District
Attorney

BerlinRosen, California Justice & Public Safety, DSPolitical

N36 - Website - For Statewide (Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver

Big, Beautiful Montana - Won't You Stay A While?



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N37 - Website - For State Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

LD-15 State Senate Primary - "Truth About Carter"

The Resolute Group

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Jose Javier Rodriguez for State Senate MDW Communications

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

A Winning Design for Washington's Next Generation of Leadership - Liz Berry for State Representative

Summit Strategy

N41 - Digital Independent Expenditure - For Statewide (Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

We Have the Power

Pacific Campaign House

AAPC North

Regional Level Silver

Judgement Day: Terminating a Republican Majority on the Michigan Supreme Court Change Media Group

N42 - Digital Independent Expenditure - For State Legislature

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

New Mexico Senate Democratic Caucus Foundation Blue Media, Hopkins Sachs

Regional Level Silver

Arizonans for Better Healthcare: Healthcare Heroes for Heather Carter

Greg Ensell, Randy Murray Productions

Regional Level Bronze

Putting Arizona Families First

Trilogy Interactive

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

DiSanto's Day Spa

Ampersand Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Wisconsin Alliance for Reform - Milking Taxpayers

FP1 Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Wisconsin Alliance for Reform - Scary FP1 Strategies

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Fleming the Lemming J&Z Strategies

Regional Level Silver

Sellout Sanchez

J&Z Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Deserve

J&Z Strategies

N43 - Digital Independent Expenditure - For Local/Municipal/Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

FB Voter Target Candidate is the Best Choice Edmond Group LLC

Regional Level Silver

LUCHA - Gabriella Cázares-Kelly for Pima County Recorder

The Colibri Collective

N44 - Digital Independent Expenditure - For Local/Municipal/Mayoral

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver

On Alert

J&Z Strategies

N45 - Radio Advertisement (Non-Federal)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Hugh Finkelstein for Judge

Cook Consulting

Regional Level Silver

New Mexico Native Voices

CounterPoint Messaging

Regional Level Bronze

Reichman/RPI "Worth The Fight" Radio Ad

Victory Enterprises

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Pam Snyder for State Representative - 'Jingle'
The Win Company

Regional Level Silver

Novak for Assembly - "Nothing But Admiration"

Content Creative Media

Regional Level Bronze

Brad Pfaff for Wisconsin Senate "Mindoro"
Al Media

AAPC South

Regional Level Gold

Conley for Justice Committee - "Real Experience" (Radio ad)

Content Creative Media

Regional Level Silver

Slam Dunk

Cornerstone Solutions

Regional Level Bronze

Horsepower

Consensus Communications

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Scott Wilk for Senate: Kipp Knows Better

Madison McQueen

Regional Level Silver

Fox in the Henhouse

Hackney & Hackney for Axiom Strategies

Regional Level Bronze

Assembly District 13 Jeopardy!

CrossCurrentsLLC

N46 - Field Program (Non-Federal)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Gold

Show Me Victory: Canvassing Across

"Muzz-er-uh"

Young Americans for Liberty

AAPC North

Regional Level Silver

Flipping New Hampshire

Young Americans for Liberty

AAPC South

Regional Level Bronze

The Whirling Dervishes

Scott Stone & Company

AAPC West

Regional Level Gold

Viva Las Vegas: How We Ousted a Dem Incumbent in Sin City

Young Americans for Liberty

N47 - Field - GOTV (Non-Federal)

AAPC Central

Regional Level Silver

Show Me Victory: Canvassing Across

"Muzz-er-uh"

Young Americans for Liberty

AAPC North

Regional Level Gold

Flipping New Hampshire

Young Americans for Liberty

Regional Level Bronze

Mount Laurel Democrats Win Control of Town

Muller Public Strategies

AAPC South

Regional Level Silver

A New Wind Blows: How We Flipped 6 Blue Seats in Appalachia

Young Americans for Liberty

AAPC West

Regional Level Silver

Potatoes and Bibles - GOTV in the Idaho GOP Primary

Young Americans for Liberty

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The Pollie Awards have always represented the best work in political advertising, but this year's entries set a new standard of innovation needed to address the challenges of a global pandemic.

Over 400 firms submitted a record-breaking 2,700+ entries to the 2021 Pollie Contest. Each entry was carefully evaluated for political effectiveness, creativity and production values in the context of its campaign goals. In addition, Pollie judges assessed whether or not an entry met AAPC's higher standards for citations and comportment with the AAPC Professional Code of Ethics.

AAPC salutes this year's winners for their outstanding creative and technical achievements in the 2020 cycle!

Overall - Candidate Division

A01 - Best Direct Mail Campaign - Democrat

Gold

Masks

The Strategy Group

Silve

Miami-Dade County Commission District 5
Campaign

MDW Communications

Bronze

Heroes Need Help - Cutter for Colorado

Superior Blue

A02 - Best Direct Mail Campaign - Republican

Gold

One Tough Sheriff & A Bare-Knuckled Brawl Victory

Axiom Strategies

Silver

Susan Collins Direct Mailers

Sinclair Public Affairs

Bronze

SCGOP/Graham for Senate

First Tuesday Strategies

A03 - Best Television Campaign - Democrat

Gold

Herb Wesson for LA County Supervisor

Putnam Partners, LLC

Silver

Biden Harris African American Paid Media Campaign

Truxton Creative, Biden Media Team

Bronze

Elaine Luria for Congress

Putnam Partners, LLC

A04 - Best Television Campaign - Republican

Gold

Collins for Senator

McCarthy Hennings Whalen

Silve

Scott Franklin for Congress

Consensus Communications

Bronze

Business Testimonials - Dan Bishop

Innovative Politics

A05 - Best Digital Campaign - Democrat

Gold

Warnock for Georgia

AL Media

Silver

Capt. Mark Kelly for Senate

Left Hook

Bronze

Combining Innovation and Personality with Tried and True Tactics

Authentic

A06 - Best Digital Campaign - Republican

Gold

Bless Tess Series - Bob Steinburg

Innovative Politics

Silver

Scary Terri Series - Joyce Krawiec

Innovative Politics

Bronze

Lindsey Graham for Senate

Campaign Solutions

A07- Best Phone Campaign - Democrat

Silve

Bernie 2020, California No Party Preference (NPP)

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Bronze

Winning a Democratic Supermajority in the

Illinois House
Winning Connections

A08 - Best Phone Campaign - Republican

Silver

Jim Jordan for Congress P2P Texting

Campaign Solutions

Bronze

Lindsey Graham for Senate P2P Texting

Campaign Solutions

A09 - Best Radio Campaign -Democrat

Gold

Sports Talk Radio to Target Black Men in Georgia Runoff

20-20 Insight, LLC

A10 - Best Radio Campaign - Republican

Gold

Downing for Montana

Hackney & Hackney for Axiom Strategies

Silve

Too Liberal

Hackney & Hackney

A11 - Best Fundraising Campaign - Democrat

Gold

John Hickenlooper for Senate: Combining Innovation with Tried and True Tactics

Authentic

A12 - Best Fundraising Campaign - Republican

Gold

Elise for Congress

The Prosper Group

Silver

Bice for Congress

Targeted Victory

Bronze

McConnell Senate Committee

Targeted Victory

A13 - Best Field Campaign - Democrat

Silver

NY-09 COVID Field GOTV Program

Hamilton Campaign Network

A14 - Best Field Campaign - Republican

Gold

Flipping New Hampshire

Young Americans for Liberty

Silver

Pivoting Due to COVID: How our No-Contact Field Program Kept us in the Fight

Young Americans for Liberty

Bronze

Potatoes and Bibles - Winning in the Idaho GOP Primary

Young Americans for Liberty

A15 - Best Use of Opposition Research - Democrat

Gold

Deep Dive into the 1980's NYC Club Scene Secures Supermajority

Grindstone Research LLP & The Parkside Group

Silver

Glorious

The Strategy Group

Bronze

The Cats and the Rat

Green Alley Strategies

A16 - Best Use of Opposition Research - Republican

. Gold

Allen Wellons - Shady Senator

The Differentiators

Silvo

AFAO PAC - Kimbrell for Senate

First Tuesday Strategies

Bronze

Anti-Endorsements

The Strategy Group Co.

A17 - Best in Show - Democrat

C - I -

Mobilizing Swing Voters for Joe Biden

Bully Pulpit Interactive

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Silver

Biden Harris African American Paid Media Campaign

Truxton Creative, Biden Media Team

Silve

Winning the 9 Key States that Decided the Presidential Election

SKDKnickerbocker

A18 - Best in Show - Republican

Gold

Black Lives Matter & Baltimore Lives Matter

Arsenal Media Group

Silve

Collins for Senator - Bill Green TV, Radio & Digital Ads

McCarthy Hennings Whalen

Bronze

Preserve America PAC

FP1 Strategies

Overall - Ballot Initiative Division

A19 - Best Direct Mail Campaign

Gold

Yes on Prop 22

Imprenta Communications

Silver

Yes on Amendment B

76 Group

Bronze

No on Prop 15

Swing Strategies

A20 - Best Television Campaign

Gold

Missourians for Healthcare

FP1 Strategies

Silver

Yes Norfolk Committee - All In

POOLHOUSE

Bronze

Yes on California's Proposition 19

Strother Nuckels Strategies

A21 - Best Digital Campaign

Gold

Rocky Mountain Wolf Action Fund (Yes on 114)

Boulder Strategies LLC

Silver

NAACP "Distracted"

SKDK

Bronze

Fair Maps Virginia

Strategic Partners & Medias

A23 - Best Radio Campaign

Silver

California's Yes on 19

Strother Nuckels Strategies

A25 - Best in Show

Gold

Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund

Kivvit

Silver

Yes on California's Proposition 19

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Overall - Public Affairs/Issue Advocacy Division

A26 - Best Direct Mail Campaign

Silver

Food Insecurity

The Differentiators

Bronze

Forward Justice

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

A27 - Best Television Campaign

Gold

COVID Response Campaign

The NOW Group

Silver

Ohio Hospital Association - "Do the Right Thing"

Content Creative Media

Bronze

CWP Outdoor Voting Bloc TV

Campaign

RALLY

A28 - Best Digital Campaign

Gold

Member to Member Issue Advocacy

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Silver

NAACP Civic Engagement

SKDK

Bronze

Prescription Drug Price Campaign

Go Big Media Inc.

A29 - Best Phone Campaign

Bronze

Carbon Free New York Carbon Pricing Tele Town Hall

Metropolitan Public Strategies Inc

A30 - Best Radio Campaign

Gold

Can't Get Them Out of Your Head - Detroit's Early Vote Jingles

Alper Strategies & Media

A31 - Best Fundraising Campaign

Gold

Leidos PAC - Email Campaign

Sagac Public Affairs

Silve

Loan Syndications and Trading Association:

LSTA Fundraising Campaign

Sagac Public Affairs

Silver

End of Year Custom Booklet Multiplies

Donations for Think Tank

The Zoldak Agency

Bronze

Restaurant PAC - Fall Race to 100K

Sagac Public Affairs

A32 - Best Newspaper Campaign

Gold

Who's Really F***ing California?

Berman and Company

Silve

DCCC Cycle of Engagement Newspaper Campaign

RALLY

Bronze

WIGA Sports Wagering Campaign

True Blue Strategies

A34 - Best in Show

Gold

WIGA Sports Wagering Campaign

True Blue Strategies

Gold

Stop Pebble Mine

True Blue Strategies

COVID Response Campaign

The NOW Group

Bronze

The New Mississippi State Flag

Godwin.

Overall - Miscellaneous

A35 - Best New and Unusual Tactic

Gold

Leveraging Values to Identify and Target Persuadable Voters

Resonate

Silver

E-Signatures to Qualify for the Ballot

Trilogy Interactive

Bronze

Integrated Mail-To-Text Plans

Creative Direct

A36 - Best Data Analytics Solution

Gold

Creative Optimizer

Echelon Insights

Silver

Protect Their Future: Joe Biden for President

Causal IQ

Bronze

TV Intelligence

MiQ Digital

A37 - Best Use of Data Analytics/Machine Learning

Gold

VoteVets, Facebook Messenger

Campaign

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

The 2020 Presidential Election Voter Landscape - A Voter Segmentation Study

Using Machine Learning

Resonate

Bronze

Optimizing Biden Digital Ads Based on Real-World Voting Behavior

Bully Pulpit Interactive

A38 - For Supreme Court of the **United States Justice**

Gold

ACB

John Loe and Strategic Partners & Media

ACB

Ascent Media & Imge

Direct Mail - Candidate Division

B01- For Presidential Primary

Bernie 2020

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

B02 - For President

Silver

Biden's Touchdown

SKDKnickerbocker

2:00 AM

Jamestown Associates

The Great American Comeback

Cavalier Communications

B03 - For U.S. Senate

Honest George

Lisella Public Affairs

Silver

The Wiz

Lisella Public Affairs

Bronze

Cal's Pals

Lisella Public Affairs

B04 - For U.S. House of Representatives

Gold

Scratch Off

Wildfire Mail

Silver

Tipirneni - Flipbook

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Bronze

The Schweikert Report

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

B05 - For Special Election -Federal

Silver

Indivisible

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

B06 - For PAC/Super PAC

Gold

"Jackpot Justice Election Edition"

Scratch-Off

BullsEye Public Affairs, LLC

Silver

I am Speaking

Sisneros Strategies

Bronze

The Senate's Outsourcing King

JPM+M

B07 - For Organization

Stake

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Silver

DCCC Bully Package

ABD Direct

Bronze

Exports

Elevated Campaigns

B08 - Bilingual/Multilingual/Foreign Language

Gold

Poder NC Action, "Walter Mercado"

Mailer

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Nuestro Luchador Frente a Trump

The Strategy Group

Bronze

Biden For President - "Command" Direct

Mail

Mosaic Campaigns

B09 - Early Voting/Absentee Ballot/ Vote-by-Mail

Gold

How we Used a Puppy to Boost VBM Paper **Registration Rates in PA-8**

Bronstein & Weaver, Inc.

Silver

LUCHA Blue Mailer

The Colibri Collective

Bronze

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

B10 - Best Use of Humor

Gold

"Clown Show"

The Strategy Group Co.

Churchill

Lisella Public Affairs

"Sniffing Out" the Issues Postcard -

OK HD 66

GrPro

B11 - Best Use of Negative or Contrast

Gold

You'll Rue the Day

TJP Strategies

Silver

Wrong Capitol, Bro.

Murphy Nasica & Associates

Harley "Two-Face" Venture Strategic

B12 - Best Use of Illustration or

Photography

Gold

Safe Schools Coloring Book **Amplify Campaigns**

Silver

Masks

CLCS

Bronze

Re-Run Renier

MDW Communications

Bill Brough Dossier

Venture Strategic

B14 - Best Use of Targeting

B13 - Best Use of Social Pressure

Silver

Supported by Trump

First Tuesday Strategies

THE 2021 POLLIE AWARDS

Bronze

MAGA Poster

First Tuesday Strategies

B15 - Best Use of Slate Mail

Gold

Vote the Whole Slate

The Strategy Group

Silve

"Delaware County"

The Strategy Group Co.

Bronze

Democratic South San Diego County

Slate

Grassroots Resources

B16 - GOTV - Presidential

Gold

I am Speaking

Sisneros Strategies

Bronze

Biden For President - "Run Walk or Drive"

Direct Mail

Mosaic Campaigns

B17 - GOTV - Federal

Gold

Undeniable Results

First Tuesday Strategies

B19 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - President

Gold

Free Lunch

The Strategy Group

Silver

Nobody

GrassrootsLab

B20 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - U.S. Senate

Gold

314 Action PAC to support Jon Ossoff for

Senate - "Grinch"

The Dover Strategy Group

Silver

Pettus Bridge

Ourso Beychok

Bronze

Who Wants to Be a Senator?

The Strategy Group

B21 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - U.S. House of Representatives

Gold

Demolished

Axiom Strategies

Silve

Sided with the Mob

Big Dog Strategoes

Bronze

Spooky

SKDKnickerbocker

B22 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - Special Election - Federal

Bronze

Indivisible, Georgia Senate Runoff Mailer

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Direct Mail - Ballot Initiative Division

B23 - For Statewide

Silve

Prop 19 Wildfire Victims

JPM+M

Bronze

Districts

Convergence Targeted Communications

B24 - For Local

Gold

7000

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Silve

Maricopa County Voter Times: All the news that we could afford to print

HighGround, Inc.

Bronze

Yes on Measure R "No one is above the law"

Mailer

50+1 Strategies, LLC

B25 - GOTV

Gold

Dog Pound

JPM+M

B26 - Bilingual/Multilingual/Foreign Language

Gold

Yo Voto

Sisneros Strategies

Direct Mail - Public Affairs/Issue Advocacy Division

B29 - For National

Silver

Nothing New Under the Sun...

HSP Direct

B30 - For Statewide

Gold

End of Year Custom Booklet Multiplies

Donations for Think Tank

The Zoldak Agency

Silver

Chasing Sales

Platform Communications.com

Bronze

Forward Justice

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

B31 - For Local

Silver

Texas First Coalition - Don't Gamble with

Texas Students

Mayes Media Group

Bronze

Food Insecurity

The Differentiators

Direct Mail - Miscellaneous

B32 - Best Use of Opposition Research

Gold

He Answered The Call

Superior Blue

Silve

McConnell for Senate - 51st State

The Lukens Company

Bronze

Harder - Own Words

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Television - Candidate Division

C01 - For Presidential Primary

Bronze

John Delaney: Real Solutions

Compelling Entertainment

C02 - For President

Gold

Barns for Biden

GtP Media/Biden for President

Silver

Strength

Jamestown Associates

Drane

TRUMP'S DESCENT

Devine Mulvey Longabaugh

C03 - For U.S. Senate

Gold

Roger Marshall "Flames"

PRIME Media Partners

Silver

Roger Marshall "Heartbeat"
PRIME Media Partners

Bronze

MJ Hegar for Senate "Carpool"

Putnam Partners, LLC

C04 - For U.S. House of Representatives

Gold

Teresa for All: "Tamales" Sena Kozar Strategies

Silver

Joyce Elliott for Congress "Rise"

Putnam Partners, LLC

Bronze

Julie Oliver The Job Demolisher

Go Big Media Inc.

C05 - For Special Election - Federal

Bronze

NRCC-IE (CA-25 Special) "Imagine"

Honold Communications, Inc.

C06 - For PAC/Super PAC

Gold

"Profit" UA IE in Georgia Senate

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Silver

Standing with Conservatives "Number One"

PRIME Media Partners

Silver

"Dress Up"

Bullhorn Communications

Bronze

How Can They

Jamestown Associates

C07- Bilingual/Multilingual/Foreign Language

Gold

Young Kim: "Profited" (Korean and English)

Honold Communications, Inc.

Silver

Una Nueva Misión

MAP Political Communications

Bronze

"Influence"

OnMessage Inc.

C08 - Best Use of Humor

Gold

Rochester Hillsbilly

Indigo Strategies LLC

Silver

"Boots"

Bullhorn Communications

Bronze

Hanson Brothers

Indigo Strategies LLC

C09 - Best Use of Negative or Contrast

Gold

"Jumpstart"

The Strategy Group Co.

Silve

Preserve America PAC - Alyssa

FP1 Strategies

Bronze

Preserve America PAC - Muellers

FP1 Strategies

C10 - Best Use of Personality or Celebrity

Gold

Biden Harris African American Paid Media

Campaign

Truxton Creative, Biden Media Team

Silve

Collins for Senator "Dogs"

McCarthy Hennings Whalen

Bronze

Kristin

Dixon Davis Media Group

C11 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - Presidential Primary

Gold

Divided Country

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client: VoteVets

C12 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - President

Gold

Joe Biden for President - Unite the Country "Deserve"

Putnam Partners, LLC

Silver

Sobo

Dixon Davis Media Group

Bronze

Our Moment

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client(s): VoteVets &

The Lincoln Project

C13 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - U.S. Senate

Gold

"Profit" UA IE in Georgia Senate

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Silve

What We Learned | NRSC Maine Independent

Expenditure

Strategic Partners & Media

Bronze

Unstoppable-Tom Tillis, Americans for

Prosperity Action

Innovative Politics

C14 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - U.S. House of Representatives

Gold

"Expecting" UA for Abigail Spanberger for Congress

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Silver

NRCC-IE (NY-02) "Relieved"

Honold Communications, Inc.

Bronze

Congressional Leadership Fund NY-11

"Defund"

PRIME Media Partners

C15 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - Special Election

Gold

Body Bags

J&Z Strategies

Bronze

Veterans React to Warnock

Arsenal Media Group

C16 - Best Use of Targeting

Gold

Julián Castro for President - "Ya Basta"

Left Hook and CN4 Partners

Silver

Jack

Dixon Davis Media Group

Television - Ballot Initiative Division

C17 - For Statewide

Cala

Colorado Families First: "April"

Sena Kozar Strategies

Silver

Endless Opportunities

Go Big Media Inc.

Bronze

House of Cards

SCRB Strategies

C18 - For Local

Gold

Columbus State for a Strong Future - TV Spot for Columbus State Community College's

Issue 21Burges & Burges Strategists

Silver

"Blank Check" No on 2A

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Television

C19 - Bilingual/Multilingual/Foreign Language

Bronze

Colorado Families First: "Choose (Spanish)" Sena Kozar Strategies

Television - Public Affairs/Issue Advocacy Division

C20 - For National

Gold

CWP, "We Vote Here"

IVALLI

Synthetic Meat Spelling Bee

Berman and Company

Bronze

Paid Leave For All "Our Humanity"

Putnam Partners, LLC

C21 - For Statewide

Gold

Game Time

The Parkside Group

Silver

California Fights Flavors

CATECOMM & Foundation Public, LLC

Bronze

Ohio Hospital Association - "Nothing Prepares You"

Content Creative Media

C22 - For Local

Gold

LA Clippers "Something More"

Putnam Partners, LLC

Silve

PBC VOTES 2020: Election Ready

Cornerstone Solutions

Bronze

South Fork Wind

Metropolitan Public Strategies Inc

Digital - Candidate Division

D01 - Internet Advertising - Presidential Primary

Gold

Bernie 2020, Nevada Campaign

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

D02 - Internet Advertising - President Gold

The First

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client: VoteVets

Silver

Trump's Descent

Devine Mulvey Longabaugh

Bronze

Imagine

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client: The Lincoln Project

D03 - Internet Advertising - U.S. Senate

Gold

Warnock for Georgia "Election Day"

AL Media

Silver

Game Time

Ad Central

Bronze

Capt. Mark Kelly for Senate - Digital Campaign

Left Hook

D04 - Internet Advertising - U.S. House of Representatives

Gold

Curtis for Congress - Gets Things Done

POOLHOUSE

Silver

Rob Wittman for Congress

Push Digital

Bronze

"Step Forward"

The Strategy Group Co.

D05 - Internet Advertising - Special Election - Federal

Gold

Capt. Mark Kelly for Senate

Left Hook

Bronze

Care

J&Z Strategies

D06 - Internet Advertising - Best Use of Search Engine Marketing

Gold

Searching For Justice: Helping Voters Learn About Supreme Court Candidates

Change Media Group

D07 - Internet Advertising - Best Use of Targeting

Gold

Kat Cammack: Chicken Sh*t

RightVoter, LLC

Silver

From H Mart to the Polls

Pacific Campaign House

Bronze

Biden for President - Using AI to Find

Unreachable Supporters

Authentic

D08 - Internet Advertising - Best Use of Email Marketing for Digital Acquisition Campaign

Gold

First Campaign on the Ballot Through Digital Signatures in a COVID-19 Lockdown

McShane LLC

Silver

Elise for Congress Acquisition

The Prosper Group

D09 - Website - Presidential Primary

Bronze

John Hickenlooper for President

Apollo Artistry

D11 - Website - U.S. Senate

Gold

Jon Ossoff for U.S. Senate

Apollo Artistry

Silver

John James for Senate

IMGE

Bronze

Reverend Warnock for U.S. Senate

Apollo Artistry

D12 - Website - U.S. House of Representatives

Silver

Rob Wittman for Congress

Push Digital

Bronze

Donald McEachin for Congress

MDW Communications

D13 - Website - Special Election - Federal

Gold

Warnock Special Election

Apollo Artistry

D14 - Web Video

Gold

Julie Oliver the Job Demolisher

Go Big Media Inc.

Silve

Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez for Congress -

'Systemic Change'
The Win Company

Bronze

Jersey Shore Extended

Jamestown Associates

D15 - Digital Creative - Stand Alone

Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez for Congress -

'Systemic Change' The Win Company

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Silver

Capt. Mark Kelly - "Level Up"

Left Hook

Bronze

Julie Oliver The Job Demolisher

Go Big Media Inc.

D16 - Digital Creative - Full Set

Gold

Capt. Mark Kelly for Senate

Left Hook

Silver

Traitor

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client: VoteVets

Bronze

Rural Voter Institute

FSSG

D17 - Bilingual/Multilingual/Foreign Language

Gold

Life or Death

J&Z Strategies

Silver

If I were President? What would you do?

Devine Mulvey Longabaugh & Solidarity Strategies

Bronze

"Mi País"

Nuestro PAC

D18 - Best Use of Social Media

Gold

Capt. Mark Kelly - Best Use of 360, VR or AR

Left Hook

Silver

Team Warren Has a Tweet for That

Warren for President

D19 - Best Use of Social Media - Digital Acquisition Campaign

Gold

A Political Home for Women of Color

Pacific Campaign House

Silve

Pairing Digital Acquisition with Voter ID and Fundraising Efforts

AdVictory

Bronze

First Campaign on the Ballot Through Digital Signatures in a COVID-19 Lockdown

McShane LLC

D20 - Best Use of Video

Gold

I Remember the Place...

BuzzMaker

Silver

Gold Stars

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client: VoteVets

Bronze

Capt. Mark Kelly - "Level Up"

Left Hook

D21 - Best Use of a Meme

Silve

Jillian Freeland for Congress - Femnobot

1833 Group LLC

D22 - Best Viral Campaign

Gold

Our Moment

Firm: Backstory Strategies

Client(s): VoteVets & The Lincoln Project

Silver

Jaime Harrison for Senate "Dirt Road"

AL Media

Bronze

Political Ad 60

Content Media Co

D23 - Best Use of Email Marketing (Non-Fundraising)

Gold

John Prine

FOGLAMP

D24 - Best Use of Humor

Gold

Endorsement

J&Z Strategies

Silver

Job Interview

CounterPoint Messaging

Bronze

Political Ad 60

Content Media Co

D25 - Best Use of Negative or Contrast

Julie Oliver the Job Demolisher

Go Big Media Inc.

Silver

"Profit" UA IE in Georgia Senate

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Bronze

Democratic Majority on behalf of Janet Yang

Rohr - "NRA"

Dover Strategy Group

D27 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - Presidential

Gold

Imagine

Firm: Backstory Strategies Client: The Lincoln

Project

Silver

Committee to Protect Medicare: Joe Understands Healthcare

Change Media Group & Hardpin

Bronze

Dem Hypocrites

Arsenal Media Group

D28 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - U.S. Senate

Gold

TikTok - Impact - Georgia Senate Special

Election AAPI Outreach

Left Hook

Silver

"Profit" UA IE in Georgia Senate

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Bronze

UA for Mark Kelly, "Soar"

Strother Nuckels Strategies

D29 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - U.S. House of Representatives

Gold

"Bob & Sue"

Bullhorn Communications

Silve

"Expecting" UA for Abigail Spanberger for Congress

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Bronze

House Majority PAC "Three Chances"

Al Madia

D30 - Independent Expenditure Campaign - Special Election - Federal

Gold

McSally's Restaurant J&Z Strategies

Silver

Veterans React to Warnock

Arsenal Media Group

Digital - Ballot Initiative Division

D31 - Internet Advertising

Gold

Winning Marijuana Legalization in Montana

Trilogy Interactive

Silver

Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund

Kivvit

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Yes on 2 - Medicaid Expansion for Missouri Hamburger Group Creative, Stronger Than Communications, DSPolitical

D32 - Website

Gold

Yes on 22's Dual Website for Coalition-Building & Voter Persuasion

BASK Digital Media, Winner & Mandabach Campaigns, Bicker, Castillo, & Fairbanks

D33 - Web Video

Gold

Montgomery Explainer

CounterPoint Messaging

Silver

Endless Opportunities

Go Big Media Inc.

Bronze

Stop the Metro Wage Tax - Labor Day

FP1 Strategies

D34 - Digital Creative - Stand Alone

Silver

Day in the Life

Stronger Than Communications & Hamburger Group Creative

Bronze

Yes on Amendment B

76 Group, Onsight Public Affairs, and Saguaro Strategies

D35 - Digital Creative - Full Set

Gold

Yes on 19 - California

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Silver

Rocky Mountain Wolf Action Fund (Yes on 114)

Boulder Strategies LLC

Bronze

Yes On National Popular Vote Wins in Colorado With Three Creative Takes

Authentic

D37 - Best Use of Social Media

Silver

How we Reversed Public Opinion from 70% YES to 76% NO in the COVID-19 Era of Campaigning

EFFCT & Strother Nuckels Strategies

Digital - Public Affairs/Issue Advocacy Division

D38 - Internet Advertising

Gold

Sudan "Justice for the Victims of Embassy Bombing"

Marathon Strategies

Silve

Defending Civil Justice - Parents

FSSG

Bronze

Democrats on Payroll Tax Then and Now

Committee To Unleash Prosperity

D39 - Website

Gold

Freelancers Fight Back

Berman and Company

Silver

Stop Pebble Mine

True Blue Strategies

Bronze

Show Me the Way - The One-Stop-Shop for First-Time Early Voters in Detroit

Alper Strategies & Media

D40 - Web Video

Gold

Campaign for Tobacco Free Kids –

Enough is Enough

CATECOMM & Foundation Public, LLC.

Silver

NAACP "Common - Georgia"

SKDK

Bronze

Way to Lead - 'What's Possible'

The Win Company

D41 - Best Use of Email Marketing (Non-Fundraising)

Gold

Merck PAC Vote by Mail Step By Step

Infographic Sagac Public Affairs

Silver

Christmas Is Canceled: Santa's Story

Shoreline Strategies, LLC

Bronze

Prudential PAC Women Suffrage Anniversary

Sagac Public Affairs

D42 - Best Use of Social Media

Gold

#SaveOurStages

National Independent Venue Association

Silver

Save the Rock Block

Calvert Street Group

Bronze

When We All Vote Used Social Media to Turn Out Voters & Change Voting Culture

When We All Vote

Phones - Candidate Division

E01 - Automated Calls

Gold

Dedicated Dad - Wuliger for Commissioner

The Strategy Group Co.

Silve

Love Letters to the Nation

CampaignHQ

Bronze

The Good Doctor Paul for Marchant

McShane LLC

E02 - Live Calls

Gold

Using Voter Rationalization to Shore Up Base Support

Winning Connections

Silver

Making Sure Every Michigander's Vote Counts Winning Connections

Bronze

Framing the Election and Educating Voters

Winning Connections

E03 - Telephone Town Hall Call/Forum Call

GAIA

"A Key Endorsement - Hagerty for U.S. Senate" Front Porch Strategies

Silve

30 Days and Counting

McShane LLC

Bronze

A Texas-Sized Telephone Town Hall

CampaignHQ

Phones - Public Affairs/Issue Advocacy Division

E06 - Patch-Through Program Autodial/ Live

Drame

"Say No to Criminalizing Poverty - Healthy Housing Foundation"

The Strategy Group Co.

E07 - Telephone Town Hall Call/Forum Calls

Bronze

PBC VOTES 2020 Tele-Town Hall

Cornerstone Solutions

Phones - Miscellaneous

E08 - Best Use of Automated SMS Texting

Gald

"It's Time" - Change the MS State Flag BullsEye Public Affairs, LLC

E09 - Best Use of Peer to Peer Texting

Bridging the TV-Texting Divide: Enhanced Multimedia Texting

RumbleUp

Silver

Ashley Hinson for Congress

Targeted Victory

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Bronze

Look Mom, the Governor is Telling ME How to Vote Early!

Alper Strategies & Media

E11 - Best Use of Peer to Peer Fundraising

Gold

Lacy Johnson RightVoter, LLC

Radio - Candidate Division

F01 - For Presidential Primary

Bronze

Bernie 2020, Nevada Campaign

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

F02 - For President

Gold

Biden Harris African American Paid Media Campaign

Truxton Creative, Biden Media Team

F03 - For U.S. Senate

Gold

Collins for Senator "Zilch" McCarthy Hennings Whalen

Gold

Miss Lindsey

Paul Caprio and Associates

Silver

Dawn Radio

Steve Grand Media

F04 - For U.S. House of Representatives

Julie Oliver The Job Demolisher

Go Big Media Inc.

Silver

Too Liberal

Hackney & Hackney

Bronze

"Justice"

RSH Campaigns

F06 - For PAC/Super PAC

Gold

"Public Service Announcement"

The Strategy Group Co.

Silver

Congressional Jeopardy

Ascent Media

Bronze

"Taxed A Lot"

OnMessage Inc.

F07 - Bilingual/Multilingual/Foreign Language

Gold

People for American Way "El Cucuy"

The Colibri Collective

Silve

Bernie 2020

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Bronze

Biden For President - "Quienes Somos" Radio

Mosaic Campaigns

F08 - Best Use of Humor

Gold

Collins for Senator "Zilch"

McCarthy Hennings Whalen

Silve

Assembly District 13 Jeopardy!

CrossCurrentsLLC

Bronze

Reject "Jackpot Justice"

BullsEye Public Affairs, LLC

F09 - Best Use of Negative or Contrast

Gold

Fox in the Henhouse

Hackney & Hackney for Axiom Strategies

Silve

Julie Oliver the Job Demolisher

Go Big Media Inc.

Bronze

"Public Service Announcement"

The Strategy Group Co.

F10 - Independent Expenditure Campaign

Gold

Millions of Michiganians, "This Is It"

The New Media Firm

Silver

"Thirsty?"

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Bronze

UltraViolet Action and UnidosUS Action Fund

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Radio - Ballot Initiative Division

F11 - Best Use of Radio

Gold

Waze | Vote for Roads Arkansas

Strategic Partners & Media

Bronze

Real Voices of California

Strother Nuckels Strategies

Radio - Public Affairs/Issue Advocacy Division

F12 - Best Use of Radio

Gold

The Moment: A Jingle to Get You to the Polls Early

Almos Chartonias 9 Mas

Alper Strategies & Media

Silver

Alaska Doesn't Need to be Las Vegas

Optima Public Relations

Bronze

Frontlines

Platform Communications

Radio - Miscellaneous

F13 - Best Use of Internet Radio

Bronze

Vanessa Hudgens Turnout Audio Ads

Lockwood Strategy

Fundraising

G01 - Best Use of Direct Mail

Gold

Bolivar

HSP Direct

Silver

John James Opposition Research

HSP Direct

Bronze

Paint

Camelot Consulting

G02 - Best Use of Email

Gold

Tom Winter - Candidate Tinder Profile

BattleAxe Digital

Silver

Lindsev Graham for Senate

Campaign Solutions

Bronze

Hicks - Q4 Memo

FOGLAMP

G03 - Best Use of Social Media

Gold

Black Lives Matter

Arsenal Media Group

Silvo

Leveraging Celebrity Influencers to Multiply Money Online

Rising Tide Interactive

G04 - Best Use of Website/Donation Page

Silver

"Team Troy"

The Strategy Group Co.

G05 - Best Use of a Landing Page for Digital Fundraising

Silver

Moving Target: Heroes and Villains

Mothership Strategies

G07 - Best Use of Phones

Bronze

Last Call for Governor Abbott

CampaignHQ

G08 - For PAC

Gold

The Home Depot PAC Annual Report

Sagac Public Affairs

Bronze

Elect Black Women Pre-Funk Party

Opportunity PAC

G09 - Best Use of Independent Committee and Super PACS

Bronze

Lift Every Voice - Make Your Voice Heard. VOTE

Lift Every Voice Victory Fund

G10 - Best Use of 501(c)(4)

Gold

Bolivar

HSP Direct

Bronze

United We Dream Action Immigrant Youth

Make History in 2020 Election

Authentic

G11 - For Use of Trade Association Fundraising

Gold

Natl. Assoc of Convenience of Stores PAC (NACS PAC) Fundraising Campaign

Sagac Public Affairs

Silve

American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP) - NEMPAC PAC During COVID

Sagac Public Affairs

Bronze

ACEP - Who is the National Association of Emergency Medicine PAC (NEMPAC)

Sagac Public Affairs

G12 - Fundraising Gift With Donation Gold

Say it with your Mask: When Women Vote, Women Win

New Blue Interactive

Silve

VoteVets Campaign to Support the USPS

Authentic

G13 - Fundraising Event

Silve

2020 Silver Elephant Dinner

First Tuesday Strategies

G14 - Virtual Fundraising Event

Silver

ACEP NEMPAC - Raising the Curtain: A Tribute to NEMPAC Heroes

Sagac Public Affairs

Bronze

WisDems Presents The Princess Bride Reunion

Brandlive

Newspaper

H01 - Full Page

Gold

Hell Freezes Over

Hackney & Hackney

Silver

Who's Really F***ing California?

Berman and Company

Bronze

Loteria Ad

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

H02 - Less Than a Full Page

Silve

Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, "Our Votes Have Power"

RALLY

Bronze

Clout

Hackney & Hackney

Collateral

101 - Billboard/Large Signage

Gold

It's Yours

The NOW Group

Silve

French Senatorial Campaign - Ardèche 2020

Le Cab' Politique - Candidata

Bronze

Standing Tall

BuzzMaker

102 - Door Hanger

Gold

AFP CO Bank Vault

The Lukens Company

Silver

"Ready to Serve"

Ampersand Strategies

Silver

Melgar Bilingual Doorhanger (Chinese)

Whitehurst Mosher Campaign Strategy and Media

Bronze

Lenola Cola

Napolitano Consulting

103 - Logo & Branding

Gold

Pittsburgh Works

ColdSpark

Silver

"Maria for Judge"

MAP Political Communication

Bronze

No Puppy Mills!

Dovetail Partners / Naumann Consulting

104 - Most Original/Innovative Collateral Material

Gold

Don't Break Our Hearts VA

Berman and Company

Silva

VoteriaAZ Voter Registration

The Colibri Collective

Bronze

J.D. Scholten Baseball Card

Wildfire Mail

105 - Yard/Outdoor Sign

Gold

Thank You to That Woman in Michigan

Change Media Group

Silver

Myrna Melgar

Whitehurst Mosher Campaign Strategy and

Media

Bronze Question 1 - Connecting Mesa

HighGround, Inc.

Field

J01 - Paid Field Program

Gold

Washington State Senate Field and Ballot Rehab Program

C3 Public Strategies

Silve

120,000 Doors + 200,000 Calls = Victory

Mobilize the Message LLC

Bronze

Everything is Bigger in Texas

Texas Petition Strategies

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J02 - Field Program - Federal

Gold

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Mobilize the Message LLC

Silver

NC Republicans Hold the Line

NC GOP & Stampede Consulting LLC

J03 - Field Program - Ballot Initiative

Silve

Everything is Bigger in Texas

Texas Petition Strategies

J04 - GOTV - Federal

Gold

2020 GA Runoff ExUrbs Paid Canvass Turnout

Program At Scale

J06 - Ballot Access - Petition Collection

Gold

First Campaign on the Ballot Through Digital

Signatures in a COVID-19 Lockdown

McShane LLC

Silver

Board of Elections Blitz and Campout

Meridian Strategies

Bronze

Amendment 77

Blitz Canvassing

J07 - Grassroots Program - Public Affairs/

Issue Advocacy

Gold

Mobile Van Ballot Drop-off

Cornerstone Solutions

Silver

National Association of REALTORS®:

Opportunity Race Program

The Lukens Company

J08 - Absentee/Early Voting Program

Silver

Press the Button By Mail

Murphy Nasica & Associates

J09 - Voter Registration Program

Bronze

Turn Out Texas

Sisneros Strategies

J10 - Voter ID Program

Gold

The Slugger in the Suburbs: How We Won

Outside the Twin Cities

Young Americans for Liberty

Silver

Biden for President: Using AI to Identify

Hundreds of Thousands of Unreachable Voters

Authentic

Bronze

Counting on Cason: How Our Voter ID
Program Elected a Firebrand in a Swing Seat

Young Americans for Liberty

J12 - Best Use of Analytics

Gold

Optimized Field Targeting in a Challenging Environment

WPA Intelligence & Vanguard Field Strategies

Gold

Science-Driven Strategies for High-Difficulty Ethnoreligious Targeting

WPA Intelligence

Silve

Defying the Odds in Minnesota

Grassroots Targeting

Student

K01 - Best Campaign Plan

Bronze

Justice for Leonard Peltier

Calvert Street Group

Shoulda, Woulda, Coulda

L01 - Best Use of Direct Mail

Gold

Poder NC Action

Solidarity Strategies, LLC

Silver

Dad Jokes

Bergmann Zwerdling Direct

Bronze

MAGA Hat

Superior Blue Strategies

L02 - Best Use of Television

Gold

"If I Were President"

Nuestro PAC

Silver

Cristine Lewis for Metro

Ridgelark Strategies

Bronze

South Fork Wind

Metropolitan Public Strategies Inc.

L03 - Best Use of Digital

Gold

Bless Tess Church - Bob Steinburg

Innovative Politics

Silver

Arkansas Voters First

Trilogy Interactive

Bronze

How to Turn a 60% YES Vote into a 80% NO

Vote

Effct.org

L08 - Best Use of Collateral

Bronze

Arizona has a Koch Problem

HighGround, Inc.

Technology

M01 - Best Ad Technology Innovation

Gold

Bridging the TV-Texting Divide: Enhanced Multimedia Texting

RumbleUp

Silver

PODD™ (Personal Outreach Data Delivery™)

Converging Media, Inc.

Bronze

Protect Their Future: Joe Biden for President

Causal IQ

M02 - Best Innovation for Voter Targeting

Gold

Leveraging ACR Audience Intelligence in MI-10

AdVictory

Silver

From H Mart to the Polls

Pacific Campaign House

Bronze

Votar Es Poder Virtual Art Gallery

PODER LATINX & UNIQUE SHIFT CREATIVE

M03 - Best Fundraising Technology

Gold

Raiser Tool

NGP VAN

Silver

FundHero

FundHero

Bronze

Every Donor Counts

Mothership Strategies

M04 - Best Use of Mobile Technology

Gold

Calendar Invite GOTV
Chism Strategies/McIntosh Consulting

611

Direct to Device Delivery

coefficient

Bronze

Never Been Easier

Big Dog Strategies

M05 - Best Use of Data Analytics/
Machine Learning in Online Fundraising

Gold

Advantage AI: Artificial Intelligence, Real

Results

Anne Lewis Strategies

M06 - Best Use of New Field Technology

E-Signatures to Qualify for the Ballot Trilogy Interactive

Silver SwipeRed Buzz360, LLC Bronze

VPB Connect: Getting Out the Native Vote from Standing Rock to Georgia EveryAction

M07 - Best Use of Data Analytics/ Machine Learning (Non-Fundraising) Gold

Avalanche Insights Deep Listening Avalanche Insights Silver

Building VoteVets' Conversational Al-Driven Custom Voter File Authentic

Bronze

NextGen America: The Most Tested Youth Vote Program in History Bully Pulpit Interactive

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Regional - Miscellaneous

N01 - Best Use of Direct Mail - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Gold

Texas First Coalition - Don't Gamble with Texas Students Mayes Media Group

N02 - Best Use of Television - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC North

Gold

"What's a Wuliger?"
The Strategy Group Co.

N03 - Best Use of Digital - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC North

Gold

Voting By Mail in 2020 The Beytin Agency

N04 - Best Use of Phones/Text - Small Budget Campaign (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Gold

47 Years

Game Changer Strategies

Regional - Candidate Division

N12 - Direct Mail - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC South

Gold

Al Cannon Has Done Time In His Jail Superior Blue

N17 - Direct Mail - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For State Legislature

AAPC North

Gold

Pain Scale BerlinRosen

N22 - Television - For State Legislature

AAPC South

Gold

Ann Johnson for State Rep "Last Day" AL Media

N23 - Television - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Gold

Hugh Finkelstein for Judge Cook Consulting

N24 - Television - For Local/Municipal/ Mayoral

AAPC West

Gold

Herb Wesson for LA County Supervisor "Searching for Doug"

Putnam Partners, LLC

N27 - Television - Independent Expenditure Campaign - For State Legislature

AAPC North

Gold

Wisconsin Alliance for Reform - Milking Taxpayers

FP1 Strategies

N31 - Internet Advertising -For Statewide (Non-Federal/Non-Gubernatorial)

AAPC Central

Gold

We Have the Power
Pacific Campaign House

N32 - Internet Advertising - For State Legislature

AAPC South

Gold

"Knock Knock" SBDigital

N33 - Internet Advertising - For Local/ Municipal/Mayoral - Small Budget (<\$1 million)

AAPC Central

Gold

Public Defender BerlinRosen

N42 - Digital Independent Expenditure - For State Legislature

AAPC North

Gold

DiSanto's Day Spa Ampersand Strategies

N45 - Radio Advertisement (Non-Federal)

AAPC Central

Gold

Hugh Finkelstein for Judge Cook Consulting

N46 - Field Program (Non-Federal)

AAPC South

Gold

The Whirling Dervishes Scott Stone & Company

N47 - Field - GOTV (Non-Federal)

AAPC North

Gold

Flipping New Hampshire Young Americans for Liberty

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