

Budget Award Presentation Script

Good Evening. My name is _____, the _____ from the City of _____.

As an active member of the Florida Government Finance Officers Association, and on behalf of the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada, I'm pleased to present to the City of _____ this Distinguished Budget Presentation Award.

The City of _____ has received this award for _____ consecutive years. The GFOA established the Distinguished Budget Presentation Awards Program in 1984 to encourage and assist state and local governments to prepare budget documents of the very highest quality. The City of _____ finance and budget staff, including _____ are to be commended for their work in meeting these guidelines.

The budget award shows a commitment to excellence and transparency. Users of these winning budget documents, such as credit rating agencies, government officials, and taxpayers have access to a high quality report with information important to decision making.

The City of _____ is one of only 141 governmental agencies in Florida to achieve this distinguished award.

Congratulations on your good work.