



# HIGHLANDS RANCH MANSION

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## Highlands Ranch Mansion celebrates spirit of volunteerism

The staff of the Highlands Ranch Mansion presented Karen Dangberg with the Volunteer of the Year award in recognition of her dedication and 296 volunteer hours in the past year.

Dangberg and more than 50 other volunteers were honored for their hard work and commitment during a volunteer appreciation dinner March 7 at the Mansion, 9950 E. Gateway Drive.

“It’s an absolute pleasure to work with people who are willing to give so much of themselves to this beautiful building, to our staff and to each other,” said Susie Appleby, volunteer coordinator and administrative assistant. She said the volunteers are integral to the success of the Mansion.

Appleby described Dangberg as thoughtful and an invaluable part of the team. Dangberg has volunteered at the Mansion since 2015, and also donates her time to the Lakewood Cultural Center where she is a performance assistant and to the Highlands Ranch Metro District where she is a senior outreach ambassador.

The other top volunteers were Teri Burget, Paul Chamberlin, Sandy Chamberlin, Todd Noreen and Sharon Swiderski, who all completed more than 150 hours of service. From February 2017 to January 2018, volunteers worked a record 3,129 hours conducting tours and welcoming visitors during weekly open hours and community events throughout the year.

For information about how to volunteer or visit the Mansion, please visit [highlandsranchmansion.com](http://highlandsranchmansion.com) or call 303-791-0177.

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*The Highlands Ranch Mansion is a Highlands Ranch Metro District property. It is the namesake of the community of Highlands Ranch. The Mansion opened to the public in June 2012 for community and private events, conferences and open hours. The Mansion is a focal point in the community where residents can gather, celebrate and experience the lifestyle of years gone by at this elegant western estate. Learn more about the Mansion at [www.highlandsranchmansion.com](http://www.highlandsranchmansion.com).*