



2009 Co-Citizens of the Year Nominee

Lloyd and Doris Thomas

Lloyd and Doris Thomas walk quietly among us preferring to remain in the background. Let's take a quick look at what they've done in 2009 to help Westminster live up to the title "All American City".

Owners, Editors and Publishers of the Westminster Herald established in 1946, Lloyd and Doris were advocates for the Farm at Westminster High School which was threatened with downsizing. The battle continues and they stand at the forefront to save this educational program.

Lloyd is no stranger to battle. A World War II Veteran, he was recognized in 2009 as the only remaining Charter Member of VFW Post 9756 founded in 1947.

Doris and Lloyd participate in Kiwanis Club of Westminster which Lloyd co-founded in 1997. Doris recently completed a year as Vice President and they are found at Concerts in the Park, Founder's Day Booth, Tree Lighting, and Pancake Breakfast fund raising events. Girl Scouts, Boys & Girls Club of Westminster, La Quinta High School Kiwins, Friends of the Library, and other youth and senior groups all benefited in 2009 from their efforts.

Though they qualify as "Senior Citizens" they are "Young in Spirit" as they add "hands on effort" and support to the "Power of the Press". Kiwanis Club of Greater Westminster proudly nominate Lloyd and Doris Thomas as 2009 "Citizen of the Year".

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