



## National Lieutenant Governors Association

### 1 NLGA Consensus Resolution Establishing the NLGA Government Innovators Award

2 **WHEREAS**, the National Lieutenant Governors Association (NLGA) has the mission to improve the  
3 efficiency and effectiveness of state and territorial government through interstate cooperation and  
4 the exchange of ideas and innovations, and

5 **WHEREAS**, NLGA Members, as the nation's lieutenant governors and seconds-in-command in the  
6 states and territories, oversee and execute initiatives to increase governmental efficiencies,  
7 incorporate innovations, ensure the best use of taxpayer dollars, and improve the delivery of  
8 government services and administration, and

9 **WHEREAS**, Sourcewell is a governmental organization created to help other governments increase  
10 their efficiencies with administrative services, research and planning, community services, shared  
11 time programs, fiscal services and risk management, technology planning and training, health and  
12 safety programming, and cooperative purchasing, and

13 **WHEREAS**, Sourcewell is long-time partner of the NLGA through its public-private sector program,  
14 and has committed to support and present an award to Members for a minimum of three years as  
15 an NLGA Partner.

16 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the National Lieutenant Governors Association  
17 authorizes its Executive Director, under the direction annually of the Chair, to work with Sourcewell  
18 to present a NLGA Government Innovators Award to an NLGA Member recognizing their  
19 contributions to innovations, efficiencies, and transparency in state and territorial government,  
20 understanding that same will create no negative fiscal impact to NLGA.

21 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the award will first be presented at the 2026 Spring Business  
22 Meeting in April 2026, and continued thereafter at an NLGA Meeting in the Spring, pending  
23 continued agreement between NLGA and Sourcewell.

24 **ADOPTED**, this day, the 17<sup>th</sup> of July 2025.

25 Co-Sponsors: *TBD following approval.*

26 *Proposed for the docket by: Sourcewell, NLGA Partner*

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