















Peter Chortek

LEADERSHIP AWARD

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

DEADLINE:Sunday, January 4, 2026
by 11:59 pm PST

Do you know someone who demonstrates excellence in community service, leadership, and philanthropy?

The **Peter Chortek Leadership Award** recognizes Jewish high school students in San Diego who are making a difference in our community by taking *tikkun olam* to the next level through their innovative leadership and passion. Competitive applicants for this award have dedicated significant time and intention to:

- creating a new project or program to improve his/her community, or;
- enhancing an existing project or program through innovation and community building, or;
- inspiring large numbers of their peers to get involved in service projects or social justice programs.

Award Recipients Receive:

- \$9.000*
- \$540 to establish a Donor Advised Fund at the Jewish Community Foundation
- Professional video about their project

Please visit our website for full eligibility and application instructions: **www.jcfsandiego.org/pcla**.

For more information contact **Sarah Schatz** at **sarah@jcfsandiego.org** or call **(858) 279-2740**.

*Award recipients may select to receive an individual achievement grant, which may be taxable income, or a scholarship grant, which may be designated to an educational institution. Applicants should consult with their tax professional for advice.

IN COOPERATION WITH



Diller Teen Tikkun Olam Award

Each year, the Helen Diller Family Foundation awards **\$36,000** to each of 15 Jewish U.S. teens for exceptional leadership and engagement in service projects to make the world a better place.

To apply or nominate a teen, visit **DillerTeenAwards.org**. All Jewish teen volunteers who are 13 to 19 years old at the time of nomination are eligible. For questions, contact dillerteenaward@sfjcf.org or call (415) 512-6432.