



## The Award Recipients from our 2003 Conference are shown below.



Sgt. Darrell Hibbens of the Madera County, California, Sheriff's office receives the *North Star, C.O.P. Coordinator of the Year* award for 2003.



Mr. Bill Weldon of the Chelsea, Alabama, Citizen Observer Patrol, receives the *2003 Citizen Patrol Volunteer of the Year* award.



Pictured to the Left in the center, Mr. Roy Mayhall, Citizen Patrol Volunteer with the Madera County Sheriff's receives the *Above and Beyond* award for 2003 for continuing his volunteer efforts while enduring a severe illness when most others would stop.

Not pictured is Deputy Jackie Lane of the Riverside County, California, Sheriff's Department who received the *Coordinator's Above and Beyond* award for her similar efforts after a serious car accident. Congratulations to both of you!!

Sheriff Lee Baca along with NACOP President Art Femister and Vice President Mike McAleavy, pictured in the rear, with the 2003 *Citizen Action Award* recipients for their efforts which lead to the safe return of young Elizabeth Smart after being kidnapped for over 9 months. Pictured below are the Nancy Montoya and Anita Dickerson along with their families. Congratulations from all of us for your outstanding efforts! **Special thanks to Mr. John Walsh of America's Most Wanted for his video taped presentation!**



**Pictured below are the speakers and presenters who helped make the conference a great success. We Thank Each and Everyone One of You!**



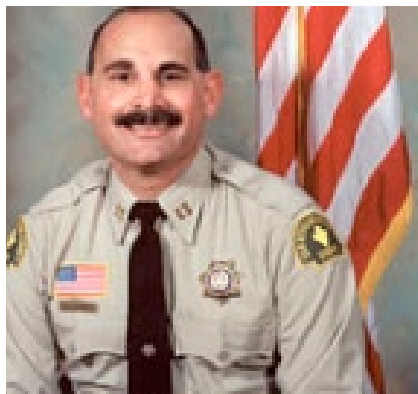
Mr. Jim Burch, U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance, Washington, DC



Sheriff Lee Baca, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department



Sheriff John Anderson, Madera County Sheriff's Department



Captain Paul Cappitelli, Chief of Police Services, City of Chino Hills, CA



Deputy Chief Keith Bushey, San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department



Officer Jimmy Fagta, Santa Paula Police with his K-9 partner entertained the group with a live demonstration in the afternoon.

**Special Thanks to all the Law Enforcement, Public Safety, and Community Organizations who participated in our afternoon educational fair for those attending, which include:** Bureau of ATF Special Agents, Quan Vuong, Catherine McKibben and Howard Sanders, FBI Special Agent Randy Ochoa, MADD representative Richard Laffin, NCMEC representatives Estella Avina and Becky Castillo, San Bernardino County Adult Protective Services representatives Kristin Violett and Rachel Escobar, San Bernardino County Child Protective Services representative Michael Simpson, Bell Gardens Police Gang Task Force Detective Efrin Agguire, San Bernardino County Fire HazMat representative Brian Otter, House of Ruth Battered Women Shelter representative Leslie Stone and Co-Founder of 4 R Kids Sake, Never Leave a Child In a Car Alone, Laura Petersen.