

Accounting firm, Watsonville market selected as county's best businesses

SANTA CRUZ — Certified public accountant Stan Dowling and Lambert's Market of Watsonville are the winners of the Best Business Contest conducted by the Santa Cruz Consumer Affairs Office.

The winners were presented proclamations at a recent Board of Supervisors meeting.

Dowling and his staff supervisor, Anne Mitchell, accepted his award...

His clients had nominated him, pointing out his firm's courtesy, professional ability and advice.

Accepting the award for Lambert's was Mrs. Carl Lambert and her son, Carl Lee.

In nominating the market, Lambert's customers said the store "serves the community with a real personal touch." They said the store maintained a local grocery store feeling, while it is the size of many chain stores.

Customers also cited Lambert's friendliness and courtesy.

The winners were selected from nominations by their patrons. Some 84 businesses were nominated. Selecting the winners were Dick Little of KSCO Radio and Guy Lasnier of the Watsonville Register-Pajaronian.

The contest was conducted as part of National Consumers Week, April 24-30.