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## Newton-Azrak Awards

### *Lazaro Alvarez*

Border Patrol Agent  
Rio Grande City Station  
*McAllen Sector*

### *John K. Crowther*

Border Patrol Agent  
Del Rio Station  
*Del Rio Sector*

### *Michael J. Deshaies*

Border Patrol Agent  
Mobile Station  
*New Orleans Sector*

# Annual Awards Ceremony

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This award is named in honor of Theodore L. Newton, Jr., and George P. Azrak, two young Border Patrol officers who were kidnapped by smugglers during an investigation and later murdered. This award is presented for contributions, service or accomplishments reflecting unusual courage or bravery in the line of duty and/or for a heroic or humane act during times of extreme stress or in an emergency.