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Norwich official getting humanitarian award

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Human Services Director Beverly Goulet is scheduled to receive the Carol Croteau Humanitarian Award early next year.

Croteau is the founder of Bethsaida Community Inc., a shelter and human services organization for abused and homeless women. Norwich-based Bethsaida plans to honor Goulet, a city government employee, Feb. 6 at its second Biannual Gala at the Norwich Holiday Inn.

In a prepared statement, Bethsaida noted, "for over 23 years Bev Goulet has supported Bethsaida's ef-

forts and ... worked tirelessly to help children, families, adults, and senior citizens lead safe and healthy lives. Her leadership has enabled over 5,000 Norwich residents per year to receive various supports and services."

Goulet also was called an "outstanding citizen in our community" by the group in its press release.

Attempts to reach Goulet for comment Tuesday were unsuccessful.

The event is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$75 if purchased before Dec. 31 and \$80 after that.

For more information, call 860-886-7511 or visit www.bethsaidaCT.org.