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On June 6, 2007, Stephen M. Harnik was awarded a gold decoration of honor for his services to the Republic of Austria (Goldenes Ehrenzeichen für Verdienste um die Republik Österreich).

On the 16th Austrian-American Day, September 16, 2013, the Austrian-American Council awarded Stephen Harnik its Volunteer Community Service Award.

On February 18, 2016, Stephen M. Harnik was honored by the City of Vienna with a silver statuette of the armored knight who stands atop Vienna's City Hall (the Rathausmann Award). On the same occasion, the Austrian Consul General in NY Dr. Georg Heindl commemorated Mr. Harnik's 20 years as Austria's designated attorney for the Republic in New York.

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