



RECOGNITION AWARDS



NOMINATION FORM

Submit to Sue Olafson, olafson_s@cityofelgin.org

Nominee: _____

Nominated By: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Please review page 2 for award rules. You will be notified by mid-September if your nominee has been selected.

1. A nominee must have a tie to Elgin. Please identify your nominee's connection. (Check all that apply)

- Born and raised in Elgin and made a significant local contribution.
- Born and raised in Elgin and made a significant contribution elsewhere.
- Born and raised outside of Elgin but made a significant local contribution.

2. Nominee made a significant contribution to (Check all that apply): *Note: for details on each category, please see page 2.*

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| Architecture | Communications | Education | The Arts |
| Science/Medicine | Military/Government/Public Service | Volunteerism | Business |

3. Please write a brief summary (no more than 300 words) as to why your nominee should be considered for this award.





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AWARD RULES

- **All awards will be posthumous.** Individuals must be deceased at least one year before consideration.

- **Individuals should have made significant contributions in the following categories:**

Professional Architecture *The category will honor an architect who has created an exceptional building or public space.*

Communications *This category will recognize any person who has made an impact within the communications field – authors, broadcast journalists, filmmakers, print journalists or the like.*

Education *This category will honor an individual who has made a significant impact as a teacher, principal or administrator or has succeeded in providing greater access to education for all.*

The Arts *This category will recognize an individual who has made a significant impact in the performing or visual arts.*

Science/Medicine *This category will recognize an individual who has had a significant impact within the field of science or medicine.*

Military/Government/Public Service *This category will honor an individual who has made a significant impact as a member of the military, or as Council or staff person within the City of Elgin government or as a representative or senator in state or federal government.*

Volunteerism *This category will recognize an individual who has donated an extraordinary amount of time and effort to help promote a worthy cause inside or outside of Elgin.*

Business *This category will honor an individual who has established a positive commercial or industrial entity inside or outside of Elgin.*

- **An applicant must have an obvious tie to the City of Elgin. Individuals must have been:**

Born and raised in Elgin and made a significant local contribution.

Born and raised in Elgin and made a significant contribution elsewhere.

Born or raised outside of Elgin but made a significant local contribution.

- **Applications will be accepted from June 1-August 27 with awards presented in late September or early October.**

Recognition and awards will be given to individuals not foundations or other not-for-profit groups.

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