Human Rights Awards

Build Strong, Resilient, and Inclusive Communities

Annually, the Human Rights Commission gives awards to candidates chosen from all over the county, to honor their outstanding contributions that have promoted the equality for all people in Prince William County. This is demonstrated by a candidate’s leadership and excellence in any field, in either a paid or unpaid capacity, whose effectiveness and courage has advanced the cause of equality for all people, of all ages.

Nominees should be those who have fought for, and encouraged, equality in significant and substantial ways that have enriched our community, and we look forward to receiving nominations from all communities and people in Prince William County.

Reasons for Nomination:
They may have identified needs for change and found innovative solutions in sectors relating to all people; lobbied for groups and services; initiated public education and information activities; or through their lives, they’ve made outstanding and creative achievements or otherwise advanced equality for all people.

Candidates Being Nominated:

- Must be a Prince William County Resident
- May be submitted for consideration as individuals, schools, community groups, business groups, a youth from the community, etc.

Nomination forms and the complete Awards eligibility criteria are available on our website and by phoning our office for more information.
Nomination Form

It is important to provide all of the information asked below and include the achievements the candidate has undertaken with respect to improving equality for all people in Prince William County. Please remember that they must be an individual, group, or youth that lives within Prince William County in order to be an eligible candidate. Forms should be emailed or post-marked no later than December 3, addressed to the Human Rights Commission’s Office.

Award Category Candidate Fits In (Check One):

☐ Individual  ☐ Group

Candidate’s Full Name:
________________________________________________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________________________________________

City/Town: ________________________      State: ___________________ Zip Code: _________________

Tel. Home: _____________________ Work: ______________________ Cell: _____________________

Email Address: ___________________________________________________________________________

Sponsored By (Full Name of the individual and/or organization—if applicable):
________________________________________________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________________________________________

City/Town: ________________________      State: ___________________ Zip Code: _________________

Tel. Home: _____________________ Work: ______________________ Cell: _____________________

Email Address: ___________________________________________________________________________

Attach, in approximately 250 words, the reasons to consider the Nominee. Again, as stated above, this statement should include a description of activities the candidate has undertaken with respect to promoting the equality of all people. The statement should contain descriptions of volunteer or paid work with the names of organizations. Describe the level of the candidate’s responsibilities within these organizations or the community.