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## **National Philanthropy Day®**

### **Association of Fundraising Professionals**

#### **AWARDS NOMINATION FORM**

Recognition of your organization's benefactors and key volunteers is a vital stewardship role, and the Fort Worth Metro Chapter of AFP offers several ways you can utilize the National Philanthropy Day celebration to fulfill this responsibility.

- Nominate your benefactors and key volunteers for an award.
- Any individual or organization may nominate a candidate and this form provides the framework.
- Nominations close Monday, June 3, 2019. Winners will be announced at the time of the committee's decision.

#### **AWARD CATEGORIES**

##### **Distinguished Philanthropist**

Presented to an individual, couple or family who has demonstrated exceptional generosity in the art of giving both financial and leadership support to charitable nonprofit organizations. Nominees must have played a vital role in our community assisting nonprofit organizations to achieve their goals and fulfill their missions.

##### **Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser**

Presented to an individual, couple or family who has impacted our community with exceptional leadership in major fundraising campaigns and projects benefiting a charitable organization. Nominees demonstrate leadership and organizational ability as well as value the importance of motivating others to join philanthropic causes.

##### **Lone Star Outstanding Advisor presented by the Lone Star Council of Charitable Gift Planners**

Professional advisors and gift planners play a key role in connecting individuals to community needs by helping them meet their personal charitable giving goals. Candidates should support philanthropy in their work by facilitating significant gifts to local charities as well as personally by giving time, talent, charitable contributions and leadership among fellow professionals. Eligibility is limited to candidates representing high professional standards in one of the following fields: accounting, banking, financial planning, insurance, investment services, law or gift planning for nonprofits.

##### **Outstanding Professional Fundraising Executive: The Ben Franklin Award**

Presented to a fundraising professional in the Greater Fort Worth Metro area. The Ben Franklin Award is the award of distinction for fundraising professionals. Nominees demonstrate excellence in their knowledge and leadership skills in their organizations and the community in general.

##### **Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy**

This award recognizes service by an individual (age 5-23) who has demonstrated outstanding commitment to the community through direct financial support, development of charitable programs, volunteerism or leadership in philanthropy.

##### **Outstanding Philanthropic Organization, Foundation/Trust, or Corporation**

Presented to a Foundation, Trust, Corporation, Civic or Service organization that is committed to financially supporting charitable nonprofit organizations and charitable projects in our community affecting positively the lives or quality of life for area residents. They frequently motivate others to join them.

*\*This category will have up to three winners.*

##### **Submit NPD Award Nominations to:**

**AFP Fort Worth Metro Chapter**

**P.O. Box 211**

**Fort Worth, TX 76101-0211**

**Email: [afpw@yahoo.com](mailto:afpw@yahoo.com)**

## NOMINEE INFORMATION

### AWARD CATEGORY *(Check one)*

- Distinguished Philanthropist
- Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser
- Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy
- Outstanding Professional Fundraising Executive:  
The Ben Franklin Award
- Outstanding Philanthropic Organization,  
Foundation/Trust, or Corporation
- Lone Star Outstanding Advisor

NAME OF NOMINEE \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY \_\_\_\_\_ ORGANIZATION \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON *(If other than nominator)* \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

### Current and past affiliation(s) with non-profit organizations:

*(Please note participation level, dates of service, contact person. Use additional paper if necessary.)*

**Why are you nominating this person/organization/group for this award?**

**How has this nominee inspired and motivated the community in the practice and philosophy of philanthropy? How has this effort enhanced the quality of life in our community?**

Nominations must be postmarked or electronically received  
by **June 7, 2019** for consideration.

*Additional information and attachments are encouraged. All submissions will be reviewed and selected by a committee. Please be sure your nominee would be open to your nomination. If your nominee is selected for the award, you will be contacted for additional information. Please be prepared to furnish all of the needed information and additional pictures and/or video footage of your organization and this nominee working there.*