2020 Public Service Awards

The Nominating Committee of the House of Delegates of the Nebraska State Bar Association is seeking nominees for the Public Service Awards to be presented at the 2020 Annual Meeting in October. Nominations should be made on the following form and returned to the committee on or before May 25, 2020.

George H. Turner Award
The George H. Turner award originated in 1964 and was established to recognize a member of the bar demonstrating unusual effort in furthering public understanding of the legal system, the administration of justice, and confidence in the legal profession.

Award of Appreciation
The Award of Appreciation is awarded to an individual or organization in recognition of outstanding public service creating a better public understanding of the legal profession and the administration of justice.

Award of Special Merit
The Award of Special Merit originated in 1973 and was established to recognize an individual or organization for services advancing the legal profession, the administration of justice and the public interest.

Diversity Award
The NSBA Diversity Award was established in 2010 to recognize outstanding efforts made by firms, organizations or individual attorneys in promoting diversity in the legal profession in the State of Nebraska.

Nomination Form
Please check the award for which you are providing a nomination.

☐ George H. Turner Award  ☐ Award of Appreciation  ☐ Award of Special Merit  ☐ Diversity Award

Name of Nominee(s):______________________________________________________________

Address:______________________________________________________________

Briefly describe the activities and contributions which qualify this candidate as a nominee for the Award:

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Please include any other information you believe would be helpful to the committee:

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Your name and address:

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Please return this form by May 25, 2020 to:

NSBA House of Delegates Nominating Committee, 635 S 14th St. #200, Lincoln, NE 68508
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2019 S. Scott and Wendy Moore Family
2018 William J. Lindsay, Jr.
2017 Lorraine Boyd
2016 Frank C. Heinisch
2015 Congressman Brad Ashford
2014 Senator Steven M. Lathrop
Governor Charles Thone
2013 Hon. Vernon Daniels
Arturo Perez
2012 Hon. Jeffre Cheuvront
2011 Hon. Gerald E. Moran
2010 Daphne Hyun-Jin Aronson
Kenneth M. Wentz III
Sherman P. Willis
2008 Deanna Lubken
2007 The Woods Charitable Fund
2006 Riko E. Bishop
Mark J. Young
2005 First National Bank
2004 Lawrence Raful
2003 Ronald R. Volkmer
John M. Gradwohl
2002 Lane Foundation
2001 Nebraska Mock Trial Project
2000 Lancaster County Juvenile Court Judges
1999 Alan H. Frank
1998 Linda L. Willard
1997 Eileen Reilly–Buzzello
James E. Reisinger
1996 The Omaha World Herald
1995 Jung Nguyen
1994 Nebraska Bankers Association
1993 Dave Thompson (posthumously)
Omaha World Herald
1992 Nebraska Association of Trial Attorneys
Nebraska Highway Safety Program
1991 Reta Johnson,
Nebraska State Library
1989 Ted Larson, Lincoln
Southeast High School
National Bicentennial Competition
1988 Eleanor Propp, Nebraska Commission for the Hearing Impaired
1987 Kathryn E. Haugstatter,
Lincoln Star
1986 Scottsbluff Star Herald
1985 Thomas R. Walsh,
Nebraska Department of Education
1984 KFAB Radio, Tom Johnson
1983 Volunteers Intervening for Equity
1982 KETV Television,
Gary Nielson
1981 Kearney State College,
Brendan McDonald

President’s Professionalism Award
1980 Gary Kerr,
WOWT Television
1979 Nebraska Educational Television,
John M. Lewis
1978 Nebraska Commission on Aging,
David M. Howard
1977 Ceilia McNamara,
Omaha Bar Association
1975 Lincoln Journal,
Bill Kreifel
1974 Omaha World Herald,
John Taylor
1973 Junior League of Omaha,
Omaha Law Wives
1972 Donna Belle Weyers,
Secretary of State’s Office
1971 KETV Television,
Kenneth James
1970 Maurice H. Sigler,
Nebraska Dept. of Corrections
1969 Benjamin Goble,
Lincoln Police Department
1968 Nebraska Association of Broadcasters, Paul Jensen
1966 Junior League of Omaha,
Mrs. Tyler Gaines
1965 KMTV Television,
Owen Saddler
1964 Lincoln Journal News Staff,
Gil Savery

NSBA Diversity Award
2019 Yvonne Sosa
2018 Jamie C. Cooper
2017 Charlie Wright
2016 UNO Goodrich Scholarship Program
2015 Linda R. Crump
2014 Rita L. Melgares
2013 Frederick Franklin
Fredericks Peebles & Morgan, LLP
2012 Baird Holm LLP
2011 Fraser Stryker PC LLO
Hon. Vernon Daniels
2010 Kutak Rock LLP
Baird Holm LLP

Outstanding Contributor to Women in the Law Award
2019 Megan Belcher
2018 Hon. Mary Gilbride
2017 Hon. Riko Bishop
2016 Linda R. Crump
2015 Kathleen Neary
2014 Glenda J. Pierce
2013 Hon. Karen B. Flowers
2012 Marsha E. Fangmeyer
2011 Dean Susan Poser
Dean Marianne Culhane
2010 Deborah R. Gilg
2009 Susan Ann Koenig
2008 Marilyn B. Hutchinson
2007 Roberta Stick
2006 Eleanor Hutchinson
2005 Hon. Laurie Smith Camp
2004 Hon. Janice L. Gradwohl

Outstanding Young Lawyer Award
2019 Christin Lovegrove
2018 Patrick M. Lee
2017 Laura Essay
2016 Breanna Anderson
2015 Jaclyn N. Daake
2014 Sara VanBrandwijk
2013 Ross R. Pesek
2012 Heidi M. Hayes
2011 Bradley A. Sipp
2010 Karine E. Sokpoh
2009 Brian Davis
Visionary Award
2020 Ann Mangiameli
Paul W. Snyder
Karine Sokpoh
2019 Molly Brummond
Terry Grennan
Todd Richardson
2018 Ryan Sullivan
Jennifer Kearney
Brouillette, Dugan & Troshynski
2017 Stacy C. Bach
Marsha E. Fangmeyer
Steven H. Howard
Muirne Heaney
2016 Karisa D. Johnson
Omaha Bar Association
2015 Senator Danielle M. Conrad
Michael F. Kinney
2014 Fitzgerald Vetter & Temple
Michelle M. Mitchell
Mark Jacobs
2013 Michael T. Brogan
Kim M. Seacrest
Margaret M. Zarbano
2012 James E. Schneider
Jackson Lewis, LLP
2011 Kutak Rock, LLP
Larry W. Beucke
Robert M. Spire Pro Bono Award
2020 Hon. Teresa Luther
2019 Harold Rock (posthumously)
2018 James A. Cada
2017 Jane Schoenike (posthumously)
2016 Hon. Stephen M. Swartz, ret.
2015 Avis Andrews
2014 James H. Truell
2013 Adam R. Tripp
2012 Tara L. Gardner
2011 James A. Cada
2010 Susan M. Koenig
2009 Alan D. Martin
2008 Diane B. Metz
2007 Paul M. Conley
2006 Charles R. Maser
2005 Catherine Mahern
2004 Ralph E. Peppard
2003 John V. Morgan
2002 D. C. “Woody” Bradford
2001 Charles A. Nye
2000 Mary L. Wilson
1999 Mark R. Widell
1998 Martin J. Kushner (posthumously)
1997 Gail S. Perry
1996 Connie Kearney
1995 Paul W. Rea
1994 The Marks & Clare Firm
1993 Michael D. Matejka
1992 J. Marvin Weems
1991 Earl D. Ahlschwede
1990 Clark J. Grant
1989 James W. Crampton
1988 James R. Nisley
1987 Paul W. Korslund
1986 David Perlman
1985 John W. Ballew Jr.