



Monday, June 12, 2017 | Sheraton Framingham Hotel

2017 Massachusetts Service and Volunteerism Awards

I. Award Category

Choose only one category.

Getting Things Done Award

This award recognizes the exemplary achievement of an individual in one of two subcategories:

- Category #1A: A **current** AmeriCorps*, Commonwealth Corps, or Senior Corps** member who has demonstrated outstanding commitment and service over and above the requirements of their routine service assignments, or
- Category #1B: An AmeriCorps*, Commonwealth Corps or Senior Corps** **alumnus/alumna** who served in Massachusetts and whose commitment to embody service beyond their term of service continues to bring about positive community change.

**AmeriCorps includes: AmeriCorps VISTA, AmeriCorps State/National, AmeriCorps National Civilian Community Corps (NCCC)*

***Senior Corps includes: Foster Grandparent, RSVP, Senior Companion volunteers*

Working Together Award: An Outstanding Collaboration in Service & Volunteerism

This award recognizes an exceptional collaboration between two or more nonprofits (501c3), private or public entity, or education institution (K-12 or Higher Ed) in Massachusetts. Nominees must demonstrate why their collaboration was significant in addressing a specific need.

Making A Difference Award: An Outstanding Impact in Service & Volunteerism

This award recognizes a demonstrated and significant impact within a pressing community need through the mobilization of Corps members or volunteers by a nonprofit (501c3), private or public entity, or education institution (K-12 or Higher Ed).

II. Nominee Information

Nominees will not be contacted. Nominators are notified after judging is complete.

Name of individual or group/organization: _____

If an individual, name of individual's organization: _____

Title (if applicable): _____

Mailing address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Email address: _____

Phone: _____

III. Nominator Information

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Mailing address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip code: _____

Email address: _____

Phone: _____

Relationship to nominee: _____

Years nominator has known nominee: _____

IV. Narrative

In 500 words or less, tell us why you are nominating this person, organization or business.

Consider addressing any or all of the following questions: What is the impact of the nominee on the community? How did the nominee engage other partners? How did the nominee build a broad base of support or further the field of service and volunteerism in Massachusetts? How has the nominee elevated service and volunteerism in Massachusetts?

V. Attachments

Provide photos, newspaper clippings and/or other supporting documentation, and use no more than two 8 ½ x 11 sheets of paper, front side only.

Do not submit audio or video files or tapes, display materials, film or scrapbooks – they will not be considered. Materials become property of MSA and will not be returned.

VI. Nomination Form Checklist

- I have read all the awards program guidelines and requirements.
- I am sending the completed nomination form, narrative questions, and optional attachments.
- All information is correct to the best of my knowledge.
- I understand my nomination may be disqualified if instructions are not followed.
- Volunteer service was completed in Massachusetts.

VII. Submission

- Complete nomination packets by Friday, March 3, 2017 by 5:00pm.
- Email completed nomination form and attachments to Colin McLaughlin at cmclaughlin@mass-service.org

Thank you for your nomination! 😊