

City of Orlando

Mayor Buddy Dyer's

Neighborhood Champion Award

Do you know a neighbor or friend that works hard to keep their neighborhood a great place to live?

How about recognizing neighborhood volunteers that are involved in a Mayor's Matching Grant project, always picking up litter, coordinating neighborhood clean ups or beautification projects, helping other neighbors and doing other things that makes a positive impact on the neighborhood and with the neighbors.

Mayor Dyer's Neighborhood Champion Award is a great way to thank these volunteers that are making a difference in their neighborhood.



The City of Orlando values the contributions that neighborhood volunteers make to the quality of our neighborhoods. In recognition of the many unsung heroes and neighborhood leaders that work hard to keep their neighborhood a great place to live, Mayor Buddy Dyer has created the Neighborhood Champion Award.

Mayor Dyer will present the Neighborhood Champion Award at his annual Neighborhood and Community Summit held in the spring of each year. This award will be presented for the first time at the 2011 Neighborhood and Community Summit.

ELIGIBILITY

Any City of Orlando resident who has consistently had a positive impact in their neighborhoods through their volunteer efforts. Neighborhood organizations, Citizen for Neighborhood Watch (CNW) groups and individuals are encouraged to nominate outstanding volunteers. Individuals or organizations may nominate more than one volunteer or self nominate.

CRITERIA

The neighborhood volunteer(s) chosen for this award must demonstrate exemplary dedication and commitment to neighborhood improvement and sustainability. Each nominee is judged based on the nominee's:

1. contribution to the quality of life in the neighborhood from February 1, 2010 to February 1, 2011;
2. impact on the quality of life in the neighborhood; and
3. degree of initiative taken to make a difference.

NOMINATION DEADLINE - FEBRUARY 28 OF EACH YEAR

The nominee's efforts need to occur between February 1, 2010 to February 1, 2011. Nominations may be submitted throughout the year by completing the online nomination form. Nominations will close on February 28, 2011 to allow time for judging and award process. The City of Orlando will contact the nominator and the nominee after the selection process held in March of 2011.

Please call the Office of Communications & Neighborhood Relations at 407.246.2169, if you have questions.

Thank you for taking the time to recognize someone for their efforts!



"I appreciate every city resident who has donated their time, talent and resources to improving our quality of life. Through hard work, unprecedented partnerships and a shared vision we've set our city on course for a better tomorrow for everyone who lives here, works here, or chooses to raise a family in Orlando." - Mayor Buddy Dyer

MAYOR DYER'S NEIGHBORHOOD CHAMPION AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Name of Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Day Phone: _____

Email: _____

Live in which neighborhood or subdivision? _____

Nominated by: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Day Phone: _____

Email: _____

Live in which neighborhood or subdivision? _____

Your relationship to the nominee: _____

About the Nominee: *(Please limit each response to 200 words or less.)* _____

What City Commission District does the nominee live in? (circle one) District 1 2 3 4 5 6

What was the nominee's contribution to the neighborhood from February 1, 2010 to February 1, 2011?

What was the impact or result of the nominee's efforts on the neighborhood?

Is the nominee affiliated with a condominium, neighborhood or homeowners' organization?

No Yes (list name of organization) _____

Provide another neighbor that is able to verify the nominee's impact on the neighborhood.

Name _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Supporting documents related to your nomination such as photos, flyers, etc. may be emailed to neighborhoods@cityoforlando.net with the complete nomination form or mail to the: Office of Communications & Neighborhood Relations
Re: Neighborhood Champion Award Nomination
P.O. Box 4990, Orlando, FL 32802-4990