

# EXCELLENCE IN PHILANTHROPY AWARDS



Do you know someone who should be honored for their philanthropy?  
Nominate them for one of these awards!

There are **three awards** – **Individual, Business or Organization** (this includes nonprofits and groups) and **Youth** (individual or group).

- **Excellence in Philanthropy: Outstanding Individual Award: \$1000 grant** to a charity of the recipient's choice and an engraved plaque.
- **Excellence in Philanthropy: Business or Organization Award: \$1000 grant** to charity of the recipient's choice and an engraved plaque.
- **Excellence in Philanthropy: Youth Award: \$1000 grant** to charity of the recipient's choice and an engraved plaque.

We are looking to honor people who demonstrate outstanding generosity through direct philanthropic support, community service on behalf of charitable causes, or other philanthropic initiatives to improve the lives of people in the community, and people who encourage others to take leadership roles in philanthropy (i.e. challenge gifts, matching gifts, volunteering, etc.).

Forms are at: <http://www.oprfcf.org/library>

Please submit one application *per award*. The nomination should include all of the information listed in the nomination form and include your original signature.. No more than one award is presented in each category. Those selected to receive awards are asked to be present at our "Community Foundation Honors" event to be held on **February 7, 2017**. If your nominee is selected for an award, we will notify both you and the awardee in advance.



**Deadline for the submission of nominations is December 8, 2016.**

E-mail submissions are strongly encouraged. Please send to [hkranz@oprfcf.org](mailto:hkranz@oprfcf.org)

You may also fax nominations to: 708-848-1531.

Or mail them to:

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