

Urban & Community Forestry Awards of Excellence

Awards are sponsored by the Tennessee Urban Forestry Council and the Tennessee Department of Agriculture, Division of Forestry.

Awards are presented for outstanding leadership, education efforts or activities that have made a significant contribution to establishing and maintaining viable community forests in Tennessee.

- For award winners from previous years, visit <http://www.tufc.com/awards.html>
- Previous winners are eligible for nomination.

AWARD CATEGORIES

See reverse for a description of the awards

Please check one

- Builder/Developer
- Government Employee
- Private Professional
- Citizen Activist
- Tree Board
- Green Industry
- Media

NOMINEE: _____

TITLE: _____

AGENCY OR BUSINESS: _____

CONTACT: TELEPHONE (____) _____ FAX (____) _____

EMAIL: _____

NOMINATED BY: _____

CONTACT: TELEPHONE (____) _____ FAX (____) _____

EMAIL: _____

Please attach a detailed description of the nominee's contributions to Urban Forestry during the last five years (maximum 2 pages). Attachments of supplemental information are limited to 5 additional pages.

Deadline for nominations is May 31st

No Exceptions

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1. **Private Professional Award** – The Private Professional Award is given to an individual who works for a company whose business is related to urban forestry (arboriculture, horticulture, nursery, grounds manager, etc.). The award recognizes an individual who has made outstanding contributions to the urban forestry effort at the local, regional or state level.
2. **Green Industry Award** – The Green Industry Award is given to a company or organization that shows leadership and dedication in advancing urban forestry efforts at the local, regional or state level.
3. **Media Award** – The Media Award is given to an electronic or prints media entity that had made a significant contribution to trees and/or urban forestry in its area.
4. **Builder/Developer Award** – The Builder/Developer award is given to the company or corporation that has done an outstanding job of protecting and maintaining trees during the project construction process.
5. **Council Member Award** – (Discontinued) The Council Member Award went to an individual who was a member of the TUFC who, through perseverance and perspiration, has accomplished major goals of the Council and thereby furthered and enhanced its efforts.
6. **Government Employee Award** – The Government Employee Award recognizes an individual working for a government agency that has made outstanding contributions to the urban forestry effort at the local, regional or state level.
7. **Tree Board Award** - The Tree Board Award is given to the local board or committee that has made outstanding accomplishments in completing urban forestry projects, provided exemplary leadership, and made significant progress in meeting the goals of their local urban forestry program.
8. **Citizen Activist Award** – The Citizen Activist Award is given to an individual person not employed in a related Green Industry area who, through dedication, has made significant and outstanding contributions to urban forestry at the local, regional or state level.

Please submit all nominations by May 31st (no exceptions) to:

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