

2019 OUTSTANDING SENIOR NOMINATION FORM

Each year, Otsego County Office for the Aging seeks nominations from community members in an effort to recognize outstanding Otsego County residents, age 60 and greater, who have made a difference in their community. Nominees can be an individual or couple who you believe deserves special recognition for their efforts to give back to their communities and neighbors through volunteer efforts. Such activities may include helping other seniors stay active, involved and living independently in the community, helping organizations with their missions, mentoring young people, or any activity that makes the community a better place to live. If nominating a couple, please be sure to include activities for each individual.

Questions? Contact Tamie MacDonald at 607-547-4232 or macdonaldt@otsegocounty.com

Deadline for submission – February 15, 2018



NOMINEE (Individual or Couple)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

of Children: _____ **# of Grandchildren:** _____ **# of Great-Grandchildren:** _____

Years of Volunteer Service: _____

Previous or Current Profession: _____

Military Brach (if any): _____

Names of Organizations for which the Nominee volunteers or has volunteered:

SPONSOR (Individual or Group)

Name & Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

INSTRUCTIONS

Using the following topic areas, please explain why your nominee deserves to be considered for special recognition. The more detailed and precise information you provide, the BETTER! You may provide the information about your nominee in narrative format on a separate sheet of paper. Both formal volunteer activities (with established organizations) and informal volunteer activities such as for friends, neighbors and other community members are considered. The Review Committee also looks at:

- Total scope of activities
- Diversity of accomplishments
- Variety of services performed
- Amount of service
- Geographic area covered

- 1) Please provide a brief biography of the nominee such as where they were born/raised, where they currently live, are they a native New Yorker, description of past/present career, family details, hobbies/interests, or other interesting information about the person.
- 2) Please provide details about how the nominee has made a difference in your community through civic engagement. Exactly what is that they provide, who benefits and how is the community a better place because of their efforts?
- 3) What advice does the nominee have for others about volunteering?

Send completed forms to:

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140 County Hwy 33W, Cooperstown NY 13326

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