

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD CRITERIA

This award will be presented annually to an individual (or couple) whose volunteerism and outstanding service and dedication have made a significant contribution to the community. Qualities looked for are as follows:

- A person who continually volunteers his or her time, dedication and talents to the town and the citizens of the town to make Morrison a great place to live, work, play and learn.
- A person who has made a positive difference to the lives of fellow citizens.
- Someone who is dedicated to Morrison and concerned for others. They may serve on service, school, church, or community committees.
- A person who has shown a willingness to work with other Morrison residents, who is
 enthusiastic about the town and its citizens, and who works continually towards the betterment of
 the community.
- A person with the qualities of honesty and integrity.

In choosing the recipient, regard will be given to the nominee's achievements in the year immediately prior to receiving the award, as well as their past achievements and ongoing contributions to the community. The individual recognized does not have to be a member of the Morrison Chamber of Commerce or the business community. A nominee need only be nominated once to be considered. The number of nominations received per nominee will bear no weight in their selection.

HOW TO NOMINATE

If you have a friend, neighbor or relative you feel has given unselfishly to help others, or who meets any of the above criteria, please fill out the back side of this form. Additional applications for nomination may be picked up at the Morrison Chamber of Commerce office, Morrison City Hall or Odell Public Library.

To download a nomination form, visit www.morrisonchamber.com/citizen. Completed nomination forms shall be returned **no later than January 17**th, **2020** to:

US Mail and in person: Morrison Chamber of Commerce, 221 W. Main Street, Morrison, IL 61270 **E-mail to:** morrisonchamber@morrisonil.org.

Nominees will be invited to the Morrison Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting on Thursday, February 6th, 2020, and the identity of the final award winner will be made known during this meeting. Nomination information may be used for publicity purposes.

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR NOMINATION FORM Deadline: January 17th, 2020

Please complete the form below, providing as much detail as possible to assist the Award Committee.

I place in nomination the name of the following individual for consideration to receive the 2019 Citizen of the Year Award:

Name (please print):
Position/Title (if applicable):
Company Name/Organization (if applicable):
Address of Nominee:
Phone Number of Nominee:
This nomination for the 2019 Citizen of the Year Award is based on the following. Use separate paper for your response if necessary, and please be specific (include significant achievements, recognition or honors, community activities, greatest strengths, special qualities, etc.)
Nominated by (please print):
Phone Number of person submitting application:

Please return to: Morrison Chamber of Commerce, 221 W. Main Street, Morrison, IL 61270 or email to: morrisonchamber@morrisonil.org on or before January 17, 2020.