



## CRITERIA FOR THE NMOA DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD



*This award is sponsored by the New Mexico Officials Association and selected through the Hall of Fame Committee.*

The NMOA Hall of Fame Committee considers for the Distinguished Service Award individuals who have made significant contributions to interscholastic officiating in our state. The criteria utilized in determining candidates for this award are different from those utilized in determining the Hall of Fame inductees.

### THE NOMINEE MUST:

- A. Have contributed significantly toward the good of the organization in one form or another, over a period of at least ten years.
- B. Subscribe to and be a practitioner of the interscholastic objective.
- C. Demonstrate support of the philosophy and purpose of the NMOA.
- D. Have performed a unique service and/or provided significant support financially to the organization, and/or have accomplished in other areas other than those normally considered for induction into the Hall of Fame but are viewed as important in their service to the NMOA and other areas which may be considered by the committee.

### NOMINATION PROCESS:

- A. To nominate an individual, obtain and utilize the form as provided through the NMOA. Information which is important, in addition to those items required in that document, should reflect those significant accomplishments to the organization, contributions (financial or otherwise), devotion to officiating as exhibited in one form or another, etc.
- B. Additional information, including recommendations, may be provided, as well as a resume.
- C. Nomination forms and supplemental information may be submitted to the NMOA at any time, but must be received by June 1<sup>st</sup> for consideration in the current year.



**NEW MEXICO OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION**



**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD FOR INTERSCHOLASTIC OFFICIALS**

**NOMINATION/APPLICATION FORM**

**Deadline – June 1<sup>st</sup>**

The NMOA Hall of Fame Committee seeks nominations/applications on behalf of individuals who have made contributions to interscholastic officiating through their leadership. Officials who have a minimum of ten years of New Mexico service officiating athletics may be nominated, or apply directly, by completing the information on this form. (This program complements the Hall of Fame induction program, which requires a minimum of 15 years of service.) A plaque commemorating this award will be presented at the Annual Meeting and Hall of Fame induction held at the NMOA State Clinic each year.

**ELIGIBILITY/CRITERIA:**

- A minimum of ten years' service in one form or another. The number of awards each year is limited to two, and nominees may be resubmitted after three years if no award has been given to that individual.
- Statements/documentation of support for NMOA philosophy and objectives.
- Demonstrated leadership, as well as support, for NMOA rules, regulations and exemplary service to officiating.
- Other contributions which may be considered by the Committee, including program additions, financial assistance to the NMOA (individually or school), specific endeavors which reflect well upon a school and/or the NMOA and its objectives, among other areas.

**Nominee/Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please complete reverse side.*

**Summary of Accomplishments/Service in Interscholastic Officiating**

**Include officiating achievements and accomplishments, including leadership positions held and any unique contributions to interscholastic officiating.**

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Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***\*May be submitted at any time of the year, but must be in the NMOA office prior to June 1<sup>st</sup> to be considered for the award at the Annual Meeting in that year.***

If submitted by someone other than the applicant, please provide the following information:

**Nominator:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City, State, Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_