



**Mayor's One City Community Service Award
(MOCCSA)
*Nominee Application***

DUE: Monday, October 24, 2011 by 5:00pm



Mayor's One City Community Service Award Nominee Eligibility & Categories

The Mayor's One City Community Service Awards are intended to recognize, reward and encourage activities that make or have a significant impact on meeting the needs of District of Columbia communities.

Individual nominees must be District residents and must have volunteered in the District within the past year. The selection of a nominee is based on the extent to which the nomination statement clearly demonstrates how the nominee has met or is meeting the following criteria:

- Nominee demonstrates an outstanding commitment to service and/or volunteerism
- Nominee's positive influence meets or addresses a community need or enhances quality of life in the District
- Nominee demonstrates exemplary acts of generosity and kindness
- Nominee embraces community service as an ongoing commitment

*A DC resident is defined as residing in the District of Columbia outside of a dormitory for at least one (1) year.

Categories:

_____ *National Service Award*

Individuals nominated must be District residents who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to volunteerism and service within a national service capacity or program, i.e. AmeriCorps and its affiliates.

_____ *Emergency Preparedness and Public Safety Award*

Individuals nominated must be District residents who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to emergency preparedness and/or public safety through volunteerism and service.

_____ *Education Service Award*

Individuals nominated must be District residents who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to supporting education through volunteerism and service.

_____ *Youth Volunteer Service Award*

Individuals nominated must be District residents, age 24 or younger, who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to volunteerism and service.

_____ *The Advocate Award: HIV/AIDS*

Individuals nominated must be District residents, who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to HIV/AIDS education and prevention through volunteerism and service.

_____ *The Community Service Award*

Individuals nominated must be District residents, who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to their neighborhood and/or Ward through volunteerism and service.

Mayor's One City Community Service Award Nominee Information Form

Nominee Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____ Suite/Apt/House #: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Title (if applicable): _____ Organization (if applicable): _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

MOCCSA category: _____ Service area/s: _____

Nominator Information

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Address: _____ Suite/Apt/House #: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Title (if applicable): _____ Organization (if applicable): _____

Phone #: _____ Email: _____

Nominator's Signature: _____

Date: _____

Anonymous Nomination Statement

Please provide a statement describing the nominee's service and volunteer achievements and any other outstanding characteristics related to this award. Please pay careful attention to the nomination category criteria and submit with the completed application. Statements should be 250 words maximum.

Please do not use the nominee's name in the statement.

Nominator's Full Name (Print): _____

Nominator's Initials: _____

Nominations are due by 5:00pm on Monday, October 24, 2011.

Nominations must be emailed, mailed or faxed to:

**Mayor's One City Community Service Award Nomination
c/o Serve DC – The Mayor's Office on Volunteerism
Frank D. Reeves Municipal Center
2000 14th Street, NW, Suite 101
Washington, DC 20009**

Phone: (202) 727-7925

Fax: (202) 727-9942

Email: Carly.Skidmore@dc.gov

For questions regarding the Mayor's One City Community Service Award, please contact:

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About Serve DC

Serve DC – The Mayor's Office on Volunteerism envisions a District of Columbia where residents meet the needs of their community through a dedicated and sustained spirit of service and volunteerism. Serve DC supports communities across the District through federal grant funds and promotes the District's spirit of service by engaging residents in meaningful volunteer opportunities and facilitating public, private and government partnerships.

Serve DC engages District communities and residents through the following program areas:

National Service

Serving DC through a Lifestyle of Volunteerism

Serve DC is the DC Commission on National and Community Service, one of more than 50 State Service Commissions that administer federal Corporation for National and Community Service funds and coordinate national service initiatives in the District. Serve DC's National Service Team manages two national service programs, AmeriCorps State and Learn and Serve America, which provide ongoing service opportunities and address community needs in the District. The National Service Team also oversees the Program Development and Training Initiative and the Disability Inclusion Initiative to ensure all national service programs have the training, tools and resources necessary to be effective and inclusive.

Emergency Preparedness

Serving DC by Training & Mobilizing Volunteers

The Serve DC Emergency Preparedness Team works to ensure all District communities are prepared for any emergency. Within the first 72 hours of an emergency or disaster, Serve DC provides critical volunteer support – including managing the coordination of volunteers, volunteer services and donations – to the District's emergency response effort. Serve DC recruits and engages District residents to respond and assist in the event of an emergency and provides free training opportunities to ensure residents play a leading role in making their communities safer, stronger and better prepared to address threats of terrorism, crime and disasters.

Communications & Special Initiatives

Serving DC through Outreach & Engagement

Serve DC's Communications & Special Initiatives Team promotes the District's spirit of service through strategic marketing and messaging and community outreach and engagement. Serve DC manages a portfolio of episodic service days, connects residents with meaningful volunteer opportunities, and establishes partnerships and collaboration among community- and faith-based organizations, the private sector and local and federal government.

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