Emerging Leader Award Criteria

In an effort to recognize leadership in the field of housing and community development, the Michigan Chapter of NAHRO will annually recognize an emerging leader in the field. Leadership has a wide and broad spectrum of definitions, from silently leading by example to being vocal and easily identifiable. The Emerging Leaders are a diverse group of professionals who are not only interested in advancement in the housing and community development field, but also involved in advancing housing and community development. Emerging Leaders gain knowledge and integrate themselves into the industry through mentors, trainings, and conferences. An Emerging Leader demonstrates leadership and is willing to contribute and share knowledge/ideas with others.

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Therefore, you may not nominate yourself, you must be nominated by an individual or group of your peers as an Emerging Leader.

Application deadline for the 2019 MI NAHRO Emerging Leader Award is **August 1, 2019**.

Furthermore, it is the intention of the MI NAHRO Chapter to submit for nomination the 2019 Michigan Emerging Leader Award winner for consideration as the 2020 NAHRO Emerging Leader Award Winner.

The review committee will base its recommendations on the following:

- The nominee has a combined total of five years at the national, regional and /or chapter levels.
- The nominee’s participation, if any, on a national board or committee, legislative network, conference sessions, roundtable discussions, programs/projects, advocacy efforts, is a NAHRO Associate, etc.
- The nominee’s participation, if any, on a regional board or committee, legislative network conference sessions, roundtable discussions, programs/projects, etc.
- The nominee’s participation, if any, on a chapter board or committee, legislative network, conference sessions, roundtable discussion, programs/projects, etc.
- Activities the nominee has participated in, if any, at the local level within their agency or within the community.

When scoring the application, the review committee will keep in mind the following:

- The nominees’ accomplishments that define him/her as an Emerging Leader.
- Any boards or committees the nominee participated on that assisted in his/her leadership development, whether they be NAHRO boards and committees or other similar organizations
- Any training opportunities the nominee participated in to promote his/her growth or that of his/her peers. (Training attended or conducted for others.)
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**Nominee Details:**

Name of Nominee: ________________________________________________________________

Title: _________________________________________________________________________

Organization: ___________________________________________________________________

Street Address: __________________________________________________________________

City: ___________________________________ State: ____  ZIP Code: ______________________

Phone: _________________________________ Email: ___________________________________

1. Separately, at the National, Regional, State/Chapter levels, please describe the nominee’s participation as it pertains to their accomplishments and leadership growth. Please list any boards or committees the nominee participated on within and outside of NAHRO, any conference sessions, roundtable discussion or training opportunities that promoted their growth or that of their peers (training attended or conducted for others), any programs or projects they worked on at the national levels, any advocacy efforts, is the person a NAHRO Associate, etc.

2. Please list any efforts at the local government level that have distinguished them from other Emerging Leaders.

3. Please list any additional comments that distinguish this nominee as an Emerging Leader.

**Nominator’s Details:**

Name of Nominator: _______________________________________________________________

Title: ________________________________________ NAHRO Region: _____________________

Organization: _____________________________________________________________________

Street Address: ___________________________________________________________________

City: ___________________________________ State: ____  ZIP Code: ______________________

Phone: _________________________________ Email: ___________________________________