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## Advocacy Awards Nomination Form

Nomination Deadline – 5PM, Monday, January 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

Please provide your contact information:

Name:	Company:
Job Title:	Phone Number:
Email Address:	Fax Number:

*Advocacy Awards – Presented to individuals who have demonstrated an unselfish commitment to the development of MBEs.*

**Advocacy Award Nominee:** (Please use multiple forms as needed)

Name:	Company:
Nominated for: <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Robert L. Ryan Award</b> – For an individual from a corporate member organization <input type="checkbox"/> <b>John A. Gilmore Award</b> – For an individual from a minority business enterprise (MBE) <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Phyllis Gutierrez Kenney Award</b> – For an individual from a public agency member organization	

*The Awards Committee will evaluate each nomination on the basis of the information provided, awarding points for responses to the questions below. Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge or ability. Missing information will not automatically disqualify your nominee. You may respond in the spaces below or on separate sheets of paper. Maximum of five (5) pages per nomination.*

**Questions about Your Nominee:**

<b>Does the nominee serve on any committees of the Northwest Mountain MSDC?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure
<b>Does the nominee attend Northwest Mountain MSDC functions and events?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure
<b>Does the nominee's firm/organization conduct business with Northwest Mountain MSDC MBEs?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure
<b>How is the nominee an advocate for the minority business community through mentorship, referrals, business engagement, networking and general community support?</b>
<b>How is the nominee involved in creating opportunity for minority businesses through networking, events and community involvement?</b>
<b>How has the nominee been influential in minority business development through activities of the Northwest Mountain MSDC?</b>

Please submit nomination form to Mayra Rivera at [mrivera@nwmtnmsdc.org](mailto:mrivera@nwmtnmsdc.org) or fax to (253) 243-6961 by 5:00 PM, Monday, January 22, 2018.