
**WSRA Award Nomination Form**

*Due by 5:00 PM on Friday, March 26, 2021*

 **Part 1 of 4 - Nominee Information
*(Note: It is perfectly acceptable and appropriate to nominate one’s own organization or oneself)***Nominee Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
Nominees company or entity: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: (For Notification If Awarded) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Is the Nominee a WSRA Member? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Unsure\_\_\_

 **Part 2 of 4- Your Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
Company/Entity: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you willing to champion this nominee if they receive an award? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

 **Part 3 of 4 - WSRA Award Criteria**

The WSRA awards committee selects recipients based on criteria including environmental benefit, commitment, economic benefit and transferability. Please check the category or categories that apply to your nominee. The committee may use other categories as appropriate.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Individual:** An individual whose actions have significantly furthered recycling and waste prevention beyond the normal scope of their responsibilities.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Nucor Steel Recycling Business:** A recycling company or organization whose work and/or innovation have furthered and improved recycling in Washington.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Business Generator:** A company whose primary business is not recycling that demonstrates outstanding accomplishments in recycling and waste prevention.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Public Agency:** A public agency that creates programs that effectively increase recycling and waste prevention.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Higher Education:** An institution of higher education (college, university, secondary school or school district) that demonstrates outstanding accomplishments in recycling.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Non-profit:** A non-profit agency that demonstrates significant accomplishments in recycling and waste prevention.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Institution:** An institution that demonstrates significant accomplishments in recycling and waste prevention

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Public Education:** Outstanding accomplishments in educating the general public about recycling and waste prevention.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Youth Education:** Outstanding success in promoting youth involvement in recycling and waste prevention.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year - Innovation:** Exceptional creativity in promoting waste prevention and recycling.

**\_\_ Recycling Hall of Fame:** An individual who has made outstanding long-term (15-20 year) contributions to recycling in Washington.

**\_\_ Recycler of the Year – Other:** A category not listed above that best suits the nominee’s accomplishments in promoting waste prevention and recycling.

 **Part 4 of 4 - Additional Questions and Materials**:
Please attach a document that addresses the questions below in an interesting, engaging narrative format. Include a minimum of 10 anecdotal, photo and/or graphic illustrations with the text and also in a separate file. Instructions for submitting video, pictures and logos are provided on the last page of this form.

**1.** What is noteworthy, unique, or particularly successful about this individual or organization’s contribution to recycling and environmental protection? (Include specific examples and illustrations.)

**2.** What has been accomplished and how was success demonstrated? (Both anecdotal and numerical evidence encouraged.)

**3.** Describe and illustrate specific relevant details, including: dates of project, target audience, people and organizations involved, quantity and types (tons or percentages) of materials recycled or reused, waste prevented, toxins reduced, procurement strategies to buy used and/or recycled content items, innovative aspects, risks/barriers overcome in meeting the needs of users or end markets, and outreach strategies.
 **4.** Describe inspirational and/or amusing anecdotes about your nominee, project or program.

**Instructions for submitting videos, pictures, illustrations and logos:**

• E-mail: Send supporting materials to recycle@wsra.net with “(Nominee Name) Award Nomination” in the subject line.

• If your files are too large to e-mail, please email me for Dropbox link.

• Mail: You may also save the file to a flash drive and mail it to: WSRA, P.O. Box 2299 – Port Orchard, WA 98366

**All nominations must reach WSRA by March 26, 2021!** If you would like assistance in preparing your awards application, please call the WSRA office at 206-622-8425.