



## 2018 Howard County Green Community Leadership Award Application

The Green Community Leadership Award recognizes a community group or organization that demonstrates efforts, projects or programs that help protect Howard County's natural environment and preserve its resources. Nominations are assessed by the Howard County Department of Public Works. Awards will be presented at the Howard County GreenFest on April 21, 2018.

### Eligibility

This award is open to Howard County based community groups and organizations that have demonstrated successful green business practices and sustainability initiatives. This may be in the form of projects, programs or other documented efforts.

### Submittal Instructions

Self-nominations are welcome. Submit completed applications to:

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Columbia, MD 21046  
[gevans@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:gevans@howardcountymd.gov)  
(410) 313-6490 fax

A completed nomination form should be submitted no later than **February 28, 2018**.

### Nominee Information:

Organization name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization contact person: \_\_\_\_\_

Website and/or Social Media: \_\_\_\_\_

The Organization is a:

Corporate/For-Profit

School

Non-Profit

Columbia Association Village

Government Agency

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Nominated by:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

**Narrative:**

1. Describe the accomplishments of the initiative, including: green principles and/or sustainability efforts addressed, significant or measurable achievements, and any innovations. What makes the initiative sustainable within the organization? How is the program/initiative unique? *Maximum 500 words.*
2. Provide a description of the following additional features, where applicable. *Maximum 200 words per item.*
  - a. Does the project/initiative address recycling, waste reduction, energy efficiency, and/or renewable energy?
  - b. Does the project/initiative elevate the community's understanding of issues addressed?
  - c. Do the actions of the initiative contribute to the community? Did the organization partner with any other groups?
  - d. What extra effort, unique contribution, or other attribute makes the program/initiative a good candidate for this award?

**Additional Supporting Material**

Include additional relevant supporting materials such as copies of outreach materials, press releases etc. Please do not send original documents as submitted materials will not be returned.

*Thank you for your time and commitment to our sustainable community.*