



# The Whitney M. Young Jr. Service Award

## Nomination Form

The purpose of the Whitney M. Young Jr. Service Award is to recognize outstanding services by an adult individual or an organization for demonstrated involvement in the development and implementation of Scouting opportunities for youth from rural or low-income urban backgrounds – this is in fulfillment of Dr. Young’s dream of justice and equality for all.

### BEFORE OCTOBER 1<sup>st</sup>, SEND TO:

#### Council Awards Committee

Capitol Area Council, Boy Scouts of America  
12500 North IH-35  
Austin, TX 787253

(512) 926-6363

(512) 927-2310 (fax)

*This nomination form is to be filled out as completely as possible. Please fill in each field, print the completed form, sign it, and mail it to the Awards Committee or drop it off at the Council Service Center. The number of recommendations per nominee is not important. Providing as much information as possible is important. Thank you for your nomination.*

I take pleasure in submitting this nomination for the award of the Whitney M. Young Jr. Service Award for distinguished service to youth in the Capitol Area Council. I nominate:

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Give full name and title(s) of the Scouter to be honored exactly as you will want the certificate lettered if the award is granted)*

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ WORK PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee is registered in Scouting as \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ district and holds a registration certificate expiring \_\_\_\_\_.

(If Scouter is now unit connected, give Unit type and number \_\_\_\_\_)

### Respectfully submitted by:

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

District \_\_\_\_\_

Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATION DEADLINE:  
OCTOBER 1<sup>st</sup> EACH YEAR**



# NOMINATION FOR THE SERVICE AWARD

Submitted by the Capitol Area Council Council No. 564  
Name of council

Boy Scouts of America, Austin Texas 78753  
City State Zip code

We hereby nominate

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Scouting affiliation \_\_\_\_\_

Local council committee approval

On \_\_\_\_\_ the Capitol Area Council Awards committee  
Date

approved the nominee as worthy of this award.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Committee Chair

\_\_\_\_\_  
Scout Executive

NOTE: **Allow two months** for national volunteer committee consideration, approval, and delivery of award.

## NATIONAL OFFICE USE

Approved by the Whitney M. Young Jr. Service Award  
Committee:

Date \_\_\_\_\_ By \_\_\_\_\_  
Committee Chair

\_\_\_\_\_  
Staff Advisor

### Respectfully submitted by:

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Unit \_\_\_\_\_

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

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Scouting position: \_\_\_\_\_

# REASONS FOR RECOMMENDING NOMINEE

## GUIDELINES FOR THE COMMITTEE SUBMITTING THE NOMINATION

The following are examples of the criteria, a combination of which might make a possible candidate for this recognition. They suggest what the nominating committee should be looking for. This list is not definitive, as there are many ways in which an outstanding contribution can be made to youth from rural or low-income urban backgrounds.

Give facts, dates, and offices held that show specific accomplishments of the nominee in contributing to Scouting for youth from **low-income** backgrounds. You may also include other services (activities in business, civic, religious, educational, service, other fields) that indirectly assisted in extending an opportunity to such youth.

NOTE: *Accomplishments* (quantitative and qualitative), as opposed to number of years of involvement, should be the more important criteria for receiving this award. For each criterion, please be specific as to how the candidate has influenced youth from low-income backgrounds and their communities. (A biography will not be accepted as a substitute for a completed application.)

## CRITERIA

The nominee has made a significant contribution while acting as an advocate for rural or low-income urban people, encouraging outreach to improve their conditions, and sensitizing Scouting's and America's leadership to those conditions. The nominee

1. Actively served on the following committees or boards that promoted activities and services for low-income communities (urban or rural):
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. Extended Scouting opportunities to youth of low-income communities (urban or rural) in the following ways:
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. Assisted the local council executive board and district committee(s) in the recruitment of key leadership as follows:



8. Gave leadership in promoting Scouting for all youth regardless of race, religion, economic background, or creed. Helped others understand how to make Scouting operations meaningful to people in rural or low-income urban areas, including outreach and organization methods. Describe.

9. Provided, through achievements and deeds, a civic and charitable role model for Scouts, Venturers, and Scouters. Describe.

10. Gave leadership to funding, training, methods development, and/or other administrative support necessary to make Scouting effective in low-income communities (urban or rural). Explain.

11. Describe other involvement.

(If more space is needed, please add extra sheets.)