

# *Guide* for the MACPS Hall of Fame Nomination

The following are the criteria for nominating an individual for the MACPS Hall of Fame. There are three sections to the nomination. The narrative should answer the questions that are specifically asked in each criterion.

## Criteria 1 (40%)

*Made significant and enduring contributions to the field of CPS*

These contributions must be exemplary.

The response in narrative should show the nominee's significant and enduring contribution in the field of child passenger safety. The response should answer the following questions.

What difference did the nominee make that would make future generations think his or her achievement was outstanding?

Are these contributions normal for an individual in their field or well beyond normal?

Were these achievements extraordinary within the context of the time in which it occurred?

Will these accomplishments stand the test of time? Will this nominee represent a significant and enduring accomplishment 50 years from now?

If yes, nominate them. Verify facts concerning the candidate. Do not make assumptions. (40%)

## Criteria 2 (40%)

*Elevated the status of CPS and helped open new frontiers for other individuals*

The narrative should show how the nominee elevated the status of CPS and helped open new frontiers for others:

Highlight how individuals were positively impacted by this nominee's accomplishments.

How did the nominee enhance society's view of CPS? What changed because of this nominee's actions?

What did he/she accomplish that changed the future for CPS? (40%)

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## Criteria 3 (20%)

### *Inspired others in CPS by their example*

The narrative should show how the nominee inspired others in CPS by their example:

Highlight this nominee's impact on others. Describe the characteristics that make the nominee a role model for others. Explore the depth of that impact by talking with others (peers, colleagues, historical groups).

(Find out) What positive and lasting changes occurred based on the nominee's achievements locally, statewide, nationally, or internationally which serve as the basis for the inspiration. (20%)

## Additional Guidelines

- The nomination application MUST be filled out completely with as much detail about the nominee as possible.
- A list of bullet points/dates of service, accomplishments, etc. is required as part of the application process.
- Another field asks for a description of "why you feel this person should be a Hall of Fame Member"
- Please detail the nominees' contributions in the field of CPS and highlight their outreach or role in the CPS world and how they made a difference, locally, regionally or nationally.
- All contact information for the author and candidate must be completed in the application. Including name, phone number and email address.
- Additional letters of recommendation for the nominee are acceptable and MUST be forwarded to the MACPS via Email: [manufacturersalliancecps@gmail.com](mailto:manufacturersalliancecps@gmail.com) with the following in the subject field: *MACPS HOF Nomination*. (The additional letters do not need to be submitted on the online form. But the original online nomination MUST be completed to be considered)
- The Committee reserves the right to deny the nomination if guidelines are not followed.
- All nomination and supporting materials must be received by close of business on Jan 31<sup>st</sup> otherwise it will be considered for the following year.