

2003 NOMINATION FORM

Russell G. Mawby

Award for Philanthropy

*Honoring a lifelong commitment to encouraging
private action for public good through philanthropy*

Governor George Romney
Lifetime Achievement

Award for Volunteerism

*Honoring a lifelong commitment to community
involvement and volunteer service*

The Russell G. Mawby Award for Philanthropy

Background

The Russell G. Mawby Award for Philanthropy was established in 1995 upon the retirement of Dr. Mawby from the Chairmanship and Chief Executive Officer position of the W.K. Kellogg Foundation. This award honors the work and philosophy of Dr. Mawby in encouraging private action for the public good through philanthropy. Dr. Mawby is a founder of both the Council of Michigan Foundations and the Michigan Nonprofit Association. He has served as the Chair of both organizations and continues to provide active leadership as Chairman of the Michigan Community Service Commission.

Selection & Recognition

A volunteer peer review panel will review all nominations and select the award winner. The nominators will be notified of the status of their nomination by Friday, April 18, 2003. The 2003 recipient will be honored at the 2003 Grantmakers/Grantseekers Seminar in Lansing, May 20, 2003.

Nomination Process/Guidelines

✓Nominations will be accepted for individuals or couples donating their private resources for the betterment of society. To be considered for the Mawby Award, the individual(s) must have at least five years grantmaking experience; demonstrate commitment, leadership, impact, and creativity; and participate in advocacy and collaborative efforts.

✓Attach to the Nomination Form no more than three pages of narrative that describe:

- Commitment:** Information about each individual's grantmaking experience.
- Leadership:** The nominee's promotion of new and exciting activities in philanthropy.
- Impact:** Three to five ways in which the nominee has made a difference in his/her community or region, or statewide, in strengthening the nonprofit sector through organized giving.
- Creativity:** The nominee's introduction of new ideas in the nonprofit and public sectors.
- Advocacy:** The nominee's leadership activities in philanthropy.
- Collaboration:** Ways in which the nominee works with grantees or other grantmakers to support common goals.

✓Please submit the enclosed Nomination Form, including contact information for two individuals who can serve as references for the nominee. The references should have a comprehensive knowledge of the individual and or couple's background, accomplishments, and community impact. References will be contacted for final candidates only.

✓The nomination narrative of up to three typed pages should be in a 12-point font or larger with one-inch margins.

✓Public officials, organizations and staff of philanthropic organizations are not eligible for nomination.

✓The nomination form must be arranged in the following order:

1. Nomination Cover Sheet
2. Nomination Narrative

✓Facsimiles and electronic submissions will not be accepted.

The Governor George Romney Lifetime Achievement Award for Volunteerism

Background

The Governor George Romney Lifetime Achievement Award for Volunteerism is given in honor of the late Governor George Romney, beloved state and national leader for service and volunteerism. This award recognizes an individual who has demonstrated a lifelong commitment to community involvement and volunteer service. Those deserving of the Romney Award have made service a way of life.

Selection & Recognition

A volunteer peer review panel will review all nominations and select the award winner. The nominators will be notified of the status of their nomination by Friday, April 18, 2003. The 2003 recipient will be honored at the 2003 Grantmakers/Grantseekers Seminar in Lansing, May 20, 2003.

Nomination Process/Guidelines

- ✓The individual's volunteer service must benefit Michigan citizens. An individual who has previously received a Governor George Romney Lifetime Achievement Award for Volunteerism may not be re-nominated.
- ✓Attach to the Nomination Form no more than three pages of narrative that describe:

Activity:	The nominee's lifelong commitment to volunteerism. Please include the organizations served, types of projects s/he have been involved in, number of hours/years served, etc.
Accomplishment:	What were the benefits of the nominee's efforts? How has the community improved as a result of the nominee's service?
Affect:	Every volunteer is worthy of recognition. What makes the accomplishments of this nominee more significant than others?

- ✓Please submit the enclosed Nomination Form, including contact information for two individuals who can serve as references for the nominee. The references should have a comprehensive knowledge of the individual's background, accomplishments, and community impact. References will be contacted for final candidates only.
- ✓The nomination narrative of up to three typed pages should be in a 12-point font or larger with one-inch margins.
- ✓**Supporting Materials**—In addition to the Nomination Narrative, nominators may submit no more than three (3), double-sided, 8½ x 11 pages of supporting materials with the nomination packet. This could include letters of support, newspaper articles, photographs, etc. Audio and video tapes, display materials, scrapbooks, etc. will not be accepted. All supporting documentation must accompany the nomination form. Supporting documentation received separately from the nomination packet will not be considered. Supporting materials will not be returned.
- ✓The nomination form and supporting materials must be arranged in the following order:
 1. Nomination Cover Sheet
 2. Nomination Narrative
 3. Supporting Materials (no more than three, double-sided, 8½ x 11 pages)
- ✓Facsimiles and electronic submissions will not be accepted.

Deadline:

Submissions must be postmarked
Friday, March 21, 2003

Nomination Form

Please check the category of your choice: *(A nominee may be nominated for only one category.)*

- Russell G. Mawby Award for Philanthropy**
- Gov. George Romney Lifetime Achievement Award for Volunteerism**

Nominee Information

Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____

Business/Organization Name: _____

Title/Position: _____

Business Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Business Phone: _____ Email: _____

Age of the Nominee (check one): ___ 18 or under ___ 19-39 ___ 40-60 ___ over 60

Please indicate the nominee's United States and Michigan Senators and Representatives. If you need assistance, call Constituent Services at 517/335-7858.

Name	District Number
U.S. Senator _____	-none-
U.S. Representative _____	_____
State Senator _____	_____
State Representative _____	_____

Nominator Information

Name: _____

Contact Address: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Email: _____

References:

Please provide two references that are familiar with and can verify the scope and extent of the nominee's activities. These people may not be the nominator, nominee, or a relative of a nominee. Please make these individuals aware that they may be contacted.

Name	Day-time Phone	Email
1) _____	_____	_____
2) _____	_____	_____

Please attach the nomination narrative.

Nomination Form

**Return Nomination Form with attached narrative
postmarked Friday, March 21, 2003 to:**

Jeri Fischer
Special Projects Director
Council of Michigan Foundations
Award Nominations
P.O. Box 599
Grand Haven, MI 49417

Questions?: Call Jeri Fischer at 616/842-7080.

About the Sponsors

Council of Michigan Foundations

The Council of Michigan Foundations (CMF) is an association of Michigan grantmakers, including independent, family, and community foundations; corporate foundations and giving programs. The Council's mission is to enhance, improve and increase philanthropy in the State of Michigan.

Michigan Nonprofit Association

The Michigan Nonprofit Association (MNA) is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to promote the awareness and effectiveness of Michigan's nonprofit sector and to promote the causes of volunteerism and philanthropy in the state.

Michigan Community Service Commission

The Michigan Community Service Commission (MCSC) funds and supports programs that encourage all Michigan residents to volunteer. The MCSC is a governmental agency that grants both federal and state funds.