

Call for Nominations

2007 Loleta Fyan Rural Libraries Conference Awards

Do you know someone at a rural library who is a leader in our profession? How about someone who goes the extra mile when working with children and teens? Maybe a trustee or Friend who always comes through for the library, no matter what?

Then why not make sure they get the credit they deserve? It's time again to nominate directors, librarians, employees, trustees, and friends of rural libraries for a Loleta Fyan Rural Libraries Conference Award.

Nominations sought for:

Patron Services Award

Recognizes a librarian from a small or rural library who has made significant contributions to and a positive impact on library service to patrons through outstanding program(s) or services (e.g. children, teens, seniors, parents)

Access & Collections Award

Recognizes a small or rural library/librarian whose collection development and access services practices show responsiveness to community needs and a demonstrated impact on the library & community.

Trustee/Friend Award

Given to a trustee or Friend of the library for distinguished service to rural library development on the local, state, regional or national level.

Collaboration & Partnerships Award

Recognizes a small or rural library/librarian who has developed successful partnerships outside their institution.

Outstanding Small/Rural Librarian Award

Recognizes a librarian who is an outstanding leader in the profession. The Librarian of the Conference has made a significant contribution to his/her library and has invested him/herself in efforts to bring about positive change in the small/rural library community. This award goes to an individual currently employed in a Michigan library.

Nomination deadline EXTENDED to Friday, February 16, 2007.

Please note that Library Cooperative staff and conference planning committee chairs are not eligible for conference awards.