



A Home for Everyone Award

Recognizing excellence in providing fair housing opportunities

Sponsored by the Ames Human Relations Commission

The Home for Everyone Award recognizes and honors an individual or organization that has made an exemplary commitment to providing safe, quality, and equitable housing opportunities that enhance the quality of life of members of disadvantaged populations. The selected individual or organization will be recognized during Fair Housing Month. To be eligible to receive the award, the nominee must provide housing in the City of Ames.

To nominate an individual or organization, please complete the following form and answer the questions describing why this person or organization is deserving of the award. The completed nomination form must be submitted to the Ames City Manager's Office through one of the following ways:

Email: bphillips@city.ames.ia.us

Mail: Attn: Human Relations Commission; 515 Clark Avenue; Ames, Iowa 50010

In person: City Manager's Office, City Hall, 515 Clark Avenue, Ames, Iowa

Nomination forms must be completed in full and received ***no later than Noon on the third Wednesday of March.***

Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address (if known): _____

Individual making the nomination:

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Date: _____

Please complete the following questions to explain why you feel this nominee should receive the Home for Everyone Award.

(1-5) On the scale provided, rate the nominee's efforts in each category:

1. Demonstrates a willingness to address existing barriers to mobility and opportunity in housing

1	2	3	4	5
Minimal Effort		Some Effort		Significant Effort

2. Promotes a safe living environment by actively participating in the Crime Free Housing program

1	2	3	4	5
Minimal Effort		Some Effort		Significant Effort

3. Empowers residents by providing or promoting supportive services

1	2	3	4	5
Minimal Effort		Some Effort		Significant Effort

4. Extends efforts to provide and maintain the affordability of some or all of their housing units

1	2	3	4	5
Minimal Effort		Some Effort		Significant Effort

5. Reduces barriers and increases access to housing and services to persons with limited English proficiency and/or disabilities

1	2	3	4	5
Minimal Effort		Some Effort		Significant Effort

6. Consistently provides housing units to people regardless of source of income.

1	2	3	4	5
Minimal Effort		Some Effort		Significant Effort

7. In the space below, please provide a detailed narrative as to why you feel this individual/organization is deserving of this award: