

**Philanthropy Day**  
**Presented By Western Montana Fundraisers Association**  
**Thursday, August 29, 2019**

Philanthropy Day is our opportunity to celebrate the people, groups, and professionals who add special value to our community through generosity, hard work, and a commitment to being part of something bigger than themselves. WMFRA presents awards to those nominated by our members and community to recognize outstanding achievements by individual, foundation and corporate philanthropists, fundraising volunteers, and professional fundraisers.

Listed below are the Awards and Criteria for Nomination. **Completed nomination forms may be sent to WMFRA, c/o Jessica Allred at WMFRA, PO Box 3155, Missoula, MT 59806 or email Jessica Allred at [jessica@missoulafoodbank.org](mailto:jessica@missoulafoodbank.org). Nomination deadline is August 5, 2019.**

*Nominations may be given in any of the following categories.*

**PHILANTHROPIST OF THE YEAR**

This award is presented to an individual or family with a proven record of exceptional generosity who, through direct financial support has demonstrated outstanding civic and charitable responsibility, and whose generosity encourages others to take leadership roles toward philanthropy and community involvement.

**OUTSTANDING FOUNDATION**

To qualify for this award, a foundation must demonstrate outstanding commitment through financial support, encouragement and motivation of others to take leadership roles toward philanthropy and community involvement.

**OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER FUNDRAISER**

The individual eligible for this nomination must have demonstrated exceptional leadership skills in coordinating groups of volunteers of one or more major fund-raising project(s). The recipient should demonstrate exceptional skills in coordinating and motivating groups of volunteers for fund-raising projects for the benefit of charitable institutions and a commitment to the advancement of philanthropy. List specific achievement for the past year or several years.

**OUTSTANDING CORPORATION**

To qualify for this award, a corporation must demonstrate outstanding commitment to community through financial support and through encouragement and motivation of others to take leadership roles toward philanthropy and community involvement.

**OUTSTANDING FUNDRAISING DIRECTOR**

This award is designed for an outstanding individual fund-raising executive who practices his/her profession in an exemplary manner.

**OUTSTANDING EVERYDAY FUNDRAISER**

This award honors the day-in-day-out work of a professional or volunteer fundraiser who is not in a director role. Nominees should have a history of support in such roles as development coordinators, event professionals, or marketing team members that play a particularly important role at an organization. Please list specific accomplishments.

**OUTSTANDING YOUNG PHILANTHROPIST AWARD**

This award is designed to recognize the accomplishments of a young person or a group of young people (age 21 or younger) who have demonstrated a commitment to community through philanthropic projects or services.

**WMFRA Philanthropy Day Nomination Form**

Please submit a brief, but complete, statement highlighting specific points for the award nomination. Letters of support and other documentation may be attached and submitted with this form. If you have any questions, or need further information, please contact Jessica at [jessica@missoulafoodbank.org](mailto:jessica@missoulafoodbank.org).

Nomination Category: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Associated with (Name of Org. or Firm.): \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Nomination Statement (please use additional page):