

# **The 200 Club of Middlesex County**

## **VALOR AWARDS**

Each year, the 200 Club of Middlesex County recognizes a police officer(s), fire fighters, EMS personnel or private citizen(s) who have distinguished themselves by an action of extraordinary heroism or service to the community.

The 200 Club established the Valor Awards Program in 1974 to recognize New Jersey police officers, EMS Personnel, and private citizens who have demonstrated exceptional heroism and have shown a genuine commitment to their profession, their agency and the public at large.

## **AWARD PROCEDURES**

### **Valor Award Eligibility**

All sworn law enforcement officers, fire fighters, EMS or volunteer personnel of local, county, state, and federal law enforcement agencies, are eligible as well as private citizens.

### **Nomination Format**

Nominations for these awards shall be made by the Chief of Police, Fire Chief, Rescue Squad Chief or Senior Officer of the nominating agency. While an official 200 Club Award Nomination Form must accompany each nomination, there is no specified format required for nominations. However, it is suggested that nominations include a statement of the specific circumstances and facts of the incident(s) underlying the nomination, which must be supplemented by supporting documents, such as official reports, departmental citations, letters of commendation, newspaper clippings, etc. A black and white photograph of the nominated officer should accompany the nomination. Please note that photographs and nomination materials will not be returned. All nominates must be submitted with a letter from the Senior Officer on letterhead with attached form.

***Only service performed that occurred in the calendar year immediately preceding the deadline shall be considered.***

## **MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARDS PROGRAM**

### **Eligibility**

Is awarded to members of law enforcement, fire fighters, EMS or volunteers who distinguish themselves by outstanding meritorious achievement or service to their community. An official 200 Club Award Nomination Form must accompany each nomination, there is no specified for format required for nominations. However, it is suggested that nominations include a statement of the specific circumstances and facts of the incident(s) underlying the nomination, which must be supplemented by supporting documents, such as police reports, departmental citations, letters of commendation, newspaper clippings, etc. A black and white photograph of the nominated officer should accompany the nomination. Please note that photographs and nomination materials will not be returned. All nominee's must be submitted with a letter from the C.O.P., SLEO, EMS Chief or Fire Chief on letterhead with attached form.

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## **COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD PROCEDURES**

### **Eligibility**

Any private citizen resident in the Middlesex County, New Jersey or act that was performed in Middlesex County is eligible for receipt of the award. This award is for a non - paid job performed by one person or a group of people for the benefit of the community or its institutions through devotion of personal time and effort for the betterment of the community.

### **Method and Timing of Delivery of Nominations**

Nominations must be delivered by mail to the 200 Club of Middlesex County Office P.O. Box 387 Woodbridge, NJ 07095 no later than March 15 (or the closest regular business day thereafter). Only service performed that occurred in the calendar year immediately preceding the deadline shall be considered.

**200 CLUB OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY AWARDS PROGRAM**  
**NOMINATION FORM**

**CONTACT INFORMATION FOR PERSON SUBMITTING NOMINATION FORM:**

Name:

Department/Agency/Organization:

Address:

City/State/Zip:

Phone:

Email:

Relationship to Nominee:

**NOMINEE INFORMATION:**

Name:

Title/Rank:

Department:

Address:

City/State/Zip:

Date(s) of Exceptional Act(s):

## **WHY BE CONSIDERED:**

Please give a brief biography of the nominee.

Describe the event or circumstances for which you feel the nominee displayed unparalleled courage, valor or community service and is deserving of the 200 Club Award.

Describe in detail why you feel the nominee went above and beyond the call of duty during this event.

## **IMPORTANT DETAILS:**

- Answers to questions 1-3 should be typed on separate 8 ½ x 11 pages and attached to the nomination form.
- The incident/meritorious act described in this nomination form must have occurred between January 1<sup>st</sup> and December 31<sup>st</sup>.
- The award is open to all law enforcement officers, fire fighters, EMS personnel, or citizens in the state, regardless of rank.
- The recipient of the award may be living or deceased.
- The recipient will receive an award at the 200 Club Awards Banquet.
- Nomination forms will be published in the 200 Club Program and on the website.
- Incomplete nomination forms will not be considered.
- Forms must be received by March 15, 2023 for consideration.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Deadline nominations should be mailed to:

**The 200 Club of Middlesex County**

**PO Box 387, Woodbridge, NJ 07095**

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## **Notification**

Winners will be notified by April 1, 2023.