



**Greater Somersworth Chamber of Commerce
2017 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD**

The Chamber's Citizen of the Year Award honors a citizen who has demonstrated superior commitment to the region and who has made substantial contributions to the betterment of the Greater Somersworth Area that includes Somersworth, Rollinsford, and the Berwick's of Maine. The award winner is publicly announced in advance of the Award presentation at the Chamber's Annual Dinner on May 12, 2017.

NOMINATION CRITERIA

- Any person living/working in the Greater Somersworth/Berwick and Rollinsford area is eligible.
- This person contributed to the general benefit of the community as a whole.
- Someone who has demonstrated involvement in the community. For example, in civic affairs, church, PTA, youth sports/activities, or any other non-profit involvement that affects the community.
- Some activities performed should exceed the normal duties of one's paid or salaried position; activities performed in the course of one's normal duties are also considered.
- Services and activities need not be confined to a single year but should be recent enough to have current significance.
- Previous nominees must re-submit nomination documents. Winners of the award within the past 5 years are ineligible.



2017 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR NOMINATION FORM

Deadline April 7th

Citizen's Name: _____
 Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____
 Phone: _____

***Please describe the nominee's activities.**

Community Service/Involvement: _____

 Personal Ethics: _____

 Leadership within the Community: _____

 Awards/honors/other recognition: _____

*Use additional sheets as necessary. Submit any attachments that may be relevant to the nominee's achievements. All nominees may not be known to all Awards Committee members. Please provide details that adequately describe the nominee's achievements.

Individual or Organization submitting this nomination:

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____
 Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____
 Signature: _____ Date: _____

PAST RECIPIENTS

2016 - Jessica Paradis	2011 - Maureen Jackman	2007 - Bob Crichton	2003 - Rev. Mark Rideout
2015 - Rene Philpott	2010 - Sherie Dinger	2006 - George Poulin	2002 - Marty Perreault
2014 - Rev. Thomas Clark, III	2009 - Steve Goff	2005 - Nancie Cameron	2001 - Michael Watman
2013 - Jeanette Gagne	2008 - Anna Houde	2004 - Eric Mommsen	2000 - David Roberge
2012 - Mike Hill			1999 - George Bald

Nominations must be received by the Chamber by 5:00 p.m., April 7, 2017.

Return this form and other supporting documents to:
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