



Friend of the Family Award -Texas Guidelines

Established in 1984, the AAFCS Friend of the Family Award is presented to an individual or organization that has affected policies for families.

Eligibility for the Texas Friend of the Family Award

An individual or organization involved at the **local or state level** in the policy-making process whose work over time has made significant contributions that affect the well-being of Texas families.

Current AAFCS members and staff are not eligible for nomination.

Nomination Process for Texas Affiliate Nominees

A nomination must be made by a sanctioned entity of the Association (such as an affiliate, community, committee, or unit) and is to be submitted by the president or chair of the nominating group.

Nominators must complete the nomination form and submit it with all supporting documentation to the Vice-President, Member Relations, Texas Affiliate, by **November 1**.

The nominee shall not be notified of the nomination.

At the end of the nomination process, the Texas Friend of the Family Honoree will be notified by the Vice-President, Member Relations, and will be honored at the BEST of TAFCS Awards Banquet, to be held during the AAFCS-Texas Affiliate Annual Meeting.



Friend of the Family Award - Texas Honoree

Please complete and submit to the Vice-President, Member Relations, Texas Affiliate, by **November 1**.

I. NOMINEE CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Professional Title (President, Executive Director, etc.):

Mailing address: _____

Name of group, organization, or company: _____

Address line 1: _____

Address line 2: _____

City, State, and Zip: _____

Daytime telephone: _____

Fax (if known): _____

E-mail address (if known): _____

II. Please provide brief answers to the following questions.

- A. Describe the nominee's work in addressing **local or state policy** that has significantly and positively affected Texas families.
- B. How long the nominee has been involved in this effort.
- C. Describe the impact of the nominee's work in affecting public policy for Texas families.

III. Nominator contact information

Name of nominating group: _____

Name of president or chair of nominating group: _____

Title or office held by contact person: __President __Chair

Mailing address: _____

Address Line 1: _____

Address Line 2: _____

City, State, and Zip: _____

Daytime telephone: _____

Fax (if applicable): _____

E-mail address: _____

IV. Supporting documentation

- A. Letter of transmittal from the nominating group
- B. Supporting materials (may include biographical information, references to newspaper or magazine articles, and other relevant supporting documentation).

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