

2025 TRPA Ethnic Minority Interest Section Award Application DONALD H. STANTON AWARD

Applications must be submitted by Midnight CDT, Sunday, July 27, 2025 via <u>https://form.jotform.com/242187215782157</u>

Donald Stanton was one of Nashville's inner city community center directors. He became involved in TRPA and started the Ethnic Minority Interest Section.

This award is presented to the Community Center Staff determined to have planned, developed and implemented the best overall State-wide program.

Agencies can nominate one award in this category - *For more information on this award, please contact Blake Golden* 615-862-8469 <u>Blake.golden@nashville.gov</u>

SUBMISSION FORMAT: Application packet must include the following for consideration:

Narrative:

- Nominees must be a current TRPA member in good standing.
- Nominations must be submitted based upon programs or projects initiated and conducted during the current award year (past 12 months).
- Selection will be based on the program's innovation and the extent to which it helped better service its constituency.
 - Focus on the employee's contribution to the agency/department; the program or community impact and the professional attributes of the employee (i.e. job performance, leadership, public relations, accountability).

Narratives must be a maximum of four (4) pages using the following formatting requirements:

- Double spaced
- Margins on narrow setting (.50 on all sides)
- Font size is Times New Roman, size 12
- Ink color is black
- All narratives much include a header and footer with the following:
 - Header use three column format with the agency name on the left, project title in the center and 2025 on the right.
 - Footer use center format with the page number.
- Include a headshot in jpg format.

Description: Provide a 50 word description of your project/program