

### 2021 Nomination Guidelines & Form

## **Nomination Guidelines**

#### • Eligibility

- o Nominee must be 70 years old by May 15, 2021.
- Self-nominations are accepted.
- o Family members may nominate other family members.
- o Nominee must live or work/have worked in Guilford County, North Carolina.
- o Awards will not be given posthumously.
- o Nominations must include the nominees' name, address, telephone number, and email address.
- The person submitting a nomination must include their name, address, telephone number, and email address.
- Nominees cannot be past award recipients.
- Current employees of the News & Record/Lee Enterprises and Senior Resources of Guilford County are not eligible.

#### Entry

- Entries are accepted starting 12:01 AM Eastern Standard Time (EST) on May 2, 2021 and ends on 11:59 PM (EST) on May 31, 2021.
- Submitting entries:
  - "Required" sections must be completed.
  - You may submit a nomination in one of the following ways:
    - **Preferred Method:** Complete the online form at greensboro.com/7overSeventy.
    - Download a PDF application from the News & Record website
      (greensboro.com/7overSeventy.) and mail completed form to: News & Record,
      C/O 7 over Seventy Nominations, 3001 S. Elm-Eugene St, Greensboro, NC 27406
      . You may also scan and email the completed form to
      LeaAnne.Lamb@greensboro.com.
  - All mailed nominations must be post-marked by May 31, 2021.
  - All emailed applications must be emailed by May 31, 2021 at 11:59 p.m.
  - All online applications must be received by **May 31, 2021 at 11:59 p.m**.
    - The nomination period may be extended due to COVID-19. Please check our website for updates.
- O Supporting documentation such as photographs, news articles, etc. will not be accepted; award selection will be based solely on information provided on nomination forms.
- Limit three entries per person. All entries become the property of the News & Record and will not be returned.

- The News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County are not responsible for any lost, late, delayed, illegible, incomplete, mutilated, postage due or misdirected entries or mail. The News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County assume no responsibility for any theft or destruction, unauthorized access to, or alteration of entries. News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County assume no responsibility for any error, omission, interruption, deletion, defect, delay in operation or transmission, communications line failure, theft or destruction, unauthorized access to, or alteration of entries. News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County are not responsible for any problem or technical malfunctions of any telephone network or lines, computer online systems, servers or provider, computer equipment, software, failure of any entry to be received by News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County on account of technical problems or delays, including any injury or damage to participant's or any other person's computer related to or resulting from participation or downloading any materials in this contest.
- Your entry will be disqualified if you (i) provide information that is incomplete, inaccurate or fraudulent; or (ii) fail to comply with or circumvent the terms and conditions of these Official Nomination Guidelines.
- The News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County reserves the right, in its sole discretion; to cancel, modify, or suspend any portion of these awards should any causes beyond the control of The News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County corrupt the administration, security or proper contest participation or entry submission.

#### • Criteria & Award Selection

- o 7 over Seventy seeks to recognize the contributions of older adults who have greatly impacted Guilford County through their community service, civic and social engagement, and/or career. Award selections are based on community involvement and contribution to the betterment of their fellow citizens in Guilford County. Awards will be given to those who have dedicated a significant amount of time (volunteer or career) to help enhance the lives of others in Guilford County, including but not limited to the building of social capital.
- o 7 over Seventy Award honorees may exemplify the following attributes and/or accomplishments:
  - Trail-blazing accomplishments
  - Making a tangible difference in the lives of others
  - Inspirational leadership
  - Acts of generosity
  - Entrepreneurship
  - Mentorship (at work or in the community)
  - Public policy innovation and/or development
- The honoree will be chosen by a committee comprised of community members of various organizations, including but not limited to, at least one News & Record and Senior Resources of Guilford County staff members.
- o Odds of being selected depend on number of qualified entries received.
- The potential honorees will be contacted by phone and must agree to accept the award, and may be required to sign an affidavit of eligibility/compliance with the rules and a publicity/liability release which must be returned, properly executed, within 3 days of notification attempt.
- Honorees are required to be available for interviews and photography during the dates of **June 10**, **2021 and July 23**, **2021**. Honorees grant the News & Record permission to use name, photograph or likeness for advertising and publicity purposes without additional compensation, except where prohibited by law.



 For the name of the award recipients, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to: News & Record, 3001 S Elm-Eugene St, Greensboro, NC 27406..

# 7 over Seventy - 2021 Nomination Form

\* denotes a required response

# **Nominee Contact Information\***

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	Volunteer Activities
List the top the	hree (3) volunteer activities and benefits to the community/organization
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Activity/responsibility:	
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Benefits to the community:	
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	Service Awards
List outstanding acc	complishments, awards, or honors s/he has received and when (100 word limit)

# **Community Memberships**

Tell us about community organizations or committees s/he belongs to. Be sure to list any positions or offices held by the nominee within these organizations and their length of membership (100 word limit)

Background Information*
Answer the following questions to the best of your ability using the criteria above (250 word limit)
Answer the following questions to the best of your ability using the criteria above (250 word mint)
1. Why do you think this nominee deserves the 7 over Seventy Award?
2. What does this nominee do, now or in the past, that makes him/her stand out as an "outstanding
community member?
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