



Call for Nominations

Ocean City, NJ's

2021 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Community Service Award

Presented on January 18, 2021 at the annual

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service

To be held virtually this year.

“Everybody can be great, because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love”

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Ocean City annually honors a resident of Ocean City with the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Services Award. This award is given to someone who exemplifies the philosophy and ideas of the late Dr. King who worked to advance civil rights, equal education, labor rights, voter rights and who fought racial inequality through non violence and civil disobedience.

The award particularly emphasizes volunteer activity and service to the people and Ocean City community by a person outside of a work setting for a minimum of two years. Ocean City is now seeking nominations for the 2021 award. A committee appointed by the Department of Community Services will select the award recipient and finalists from the nominations.

The nominee and nominator will be notified by December 30, 2020 and honored on January 18, 2021 in the annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day of Service Ceremony.

Nomination Form

2021 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award

Name of Nominee: _____

Mailing Address of Nominee: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

On no more than two single sided pages, 12 point font, please explain how the nominee has exemplified the ideals and teaching of Dr. King by answering the following three questions. Remember that the award recognizes volunteer activity and community service to the people and the city of Ocean City outside of a work setting.

1. What volunteer activities and services has the nominee engaged in and how has it benefited the residents and City of Ocean City?
2. How has Dr. King's ideals impacted the nominee's personal and community service achievements?
3. How does the nominee exemplify the ideas of Dr. King and his commitment to positive relationships between different racial, ethnic and cultural communities?

You may add other comments demonstrating how the nominee fits the award criteria within the two page limit. Use this page as a cover page for the nomination.

Submit the nomination by 12/23/20 to: Department of Community Services
861 Asbury Ave.
Room 214
Ocean City, NJ 08226

Nomination submitted by:

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____