

# NEW AWARD

## The Association of Fundraising Professionals Washington DC Metro Area Chapter

### NATIONAL CAPITAL PHILANTHROPY DAY DIVERSITY AWARD CRITERIA

*Diversity – seeking and achieving of a broad representation of experiences, perspectives, opinions, and cultures.*

The Association of Fundraising Professionals Washington DC Metro Area Chapter (AFP/DC) is proud to announce the inauguration of the National Capital Philanthropy Day (NCPD) Diversity Award.

On National Capital Philanthropy Day 2008, we will celebrate diversity because it enriches us all and embodies the highest aspiration of philanthropy – love of ALL human kind. **The Diversity Award provides our community the opportunity to honor a philanthropist, volunteer, corporation, foundation, or fundraising professional who is making an outstanding contribution to advancing inclusion, diversity, and cultural competency in the Greater Washington Metropolitan region.**

AFP/DC is deeply committed to building cultures of inclusion and achieving diversity and cultural competency throughout all its constituencies. Creating and investing in a diverse workforce and membership by celebrating myriad cultures, experiences, and ideas is fundamental to success in achieving our goals. **Those goals include building relationships and enhancing the quality and value of our work as fundraising professionals within the nonprofit sector.**

AFP/DC invites nominations of one or more individuals, organizations, corporations, and/or foundations for the AFP/DC's Diversity Award 2008. **The Diversity Award will be presented at the Awards Luncheon on November 17, 2008 at the Mayflower Hotel in Washington, DC.**

**Please complete the Diversity Award Nomination Form and provide a 1-2 page summary describing the nominee's qualifications for the Diversity Award. Supporting information such as resumes, curricula vitae, or letters of support are welcome but not required.**

**Nominations for Diversity Leader are welcome in all categories (philanthropist, volunteer, corporation, foundation, or fundraising professional). Please attach no more than 2 pages describing the nominee's qualifications to receive this award.**

**Nominations should address:**

- Direct significant financial support raised for your agency that advance diversity initiatives
- Support of other not-for-profit organizations in the area of diversity
- Specific achievements, such as new programs, made possible by the Diversity Leader's involvement and or/contributions
- Examples of encouraging and motivating others to take leadership roles in philanthropy and in promoting diversity and inclusivity in the sector

# Nomination Form for Outstanding Diversity Leader 2008 (See Award Criteria)

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**Nominee Name** (as it should appear on the certificate)

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Title

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Organization

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Address

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City

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Zip

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Telephone

Fax

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**Nominated By** (as it should appear on the program)

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Title

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**This cover page MUST accompany each nomination.**

Supporting materials such as resumes and letters of recommendation also may be attached but are not required. Completed forms MUST be received by June 20, 2008 to be considered. Electronic forms are available at [www.afpdc.org](http://www.afpdc.org). All forms may be sent by mail, fax, or e-mail to:

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