



**National Liquor Law Enforcement Association**  
**Chartered 1988**  
**2025 Award Nomination Form**

Recognizing excellence in alcohol law enforcement is essential to highlighting the incredible work being done to promote public safety and uphold alcohol regulations. We encourage all members to take this opportunity to nominate outstanding individuals and programs for our prestigious awards: *Alcohol Law Enforcement Agency of the Year*, *Alcohol Law Enforcement Agent of the Year*, *Innovative Alcohol Law Enforcement Program of the Year*, and the *John W. Britt Community Service Award*. These awards celebrate the dedication, innovation, and community impact that define our field. By nominating your agency, agents, programs, or colleagues, you not only honor their hard work and achievements but also inspire others to strive for excellence. Submit your nominations today and help us showcase the remarkable efforts shaping the future of alcohol law enforcement!

The NLLEA Awards recognize leaders and outstanding programs in the field of alcohol law enforcement. Annual awards are given in the following four categories:

1. **Alcohol Law Enforcement Agency of the Year Award** recognizes outstanding achievement and excellence in enforcing alcohol laws and regulations. This prestigious honor highlights agencies that demonstrate exceptional effectiveness in their operations, implement innovative programs to address alcohol-related challenges, and gain recognition from the community or media for their impactful work. Award recipients showcase leadership through model training programs that set benchmarks for industry standards and execute exemplary practices, such as securing grants for special programs or establishing specialized task forces. These agencies serve as role models, advancing the field of alcohol law enforcement while fostering safer and healthier communities.
2. **Alcohol Law Enforcement Agent of the Year Award** honors an individual who has exemplified excellence, dedication, and outstanding contributions to the field of alcohol law enforcement. This award recognizes agents who have demonstrated acts of heroism or bravery in the line of duty, earned the respect and recognition of peers, the local community, and media for their impactful work, and exhibited creativity through innovative ideas or program development. Additionally, the award celebrates agents whose actions or accomplishments enhance the image of their agency and law enforcement as a whole, showcasing their commitment to public safety and the betterment of their communities.
3. **Innovative Alcohol Law Enforcement Program of the Year Award** honors a program that exemplifies creativity, efficiency, and effectiveness in addressing alcohol-related issues. This award recognizes programs that have demonstrated measurable success in achieving their goals, gained recognition from outside sources such as other law enforcement agencies, the local community, or media, and serve as a model for others to follow. Factors such as operational efficiency, fiscal savings, and the ability to create a resonating campaign to highlight the program's broad impact and lasting influence. This award celebrates innovation that drives meaningful change in alcohol law enforcement.



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4. **John W. Britt Community Service Award** honors the legacy of John Britt, a Charter Member and Past President of the NLLEA and former Deputy Director for Operations for the North Carolina Alcohol Law Enforcement Division, who passed away unexpectedly in 1995. This award recognizes a non-enforcement organization or agency that has made a significant contribution to advancing liquor and/or tobacco law enforcement efforts. It celebrates innovative and effective programs or services that address the challenges of tobacco or liquor regulation and enforcement. Additionally, the award acknowledges exceptional support provided to the NLLEA or an Alcohol Beverage Control (ABC) agency, which has enhanced liquor enforcement initiatives and fostered stronger partnerships in the field. This recognition stands as a testament to the impactful collaboration between enforcement and community stakeholders.

**You may self-nominate, or you may nominate someone in your agency or another agency.** If you nominate a different person or agency, please notify the agency or person of your nomination, and confirm their acceptance of your nomination by signing below or by emailing [carrie.christofes@nllea.org](mailto:carrie.christofes@nllea.org).

**Instructions:** Please fill out the form below for the appropriate category in which you wish to nominate yourself, your agency, another agent, or another agency. The deadline for receiving nominations is **June 30, 2025**.



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Please email this document along with any supporting documentation to [carrie.christofes@nllea.org](mailto:carrie.christofes@nllea.org) You should receive an email confirmation of your submission within 48 hours. If you do not receive an email receipt confirmation, please call 724-762-5939 to confirm receipt of the nomination.

**AWARD CATEGORY SUBMISSION:**

- Alcohol Law Enforcement Agency of the Year Award**
- Alcohol Law Enforcement Agent of the Year Award**
- Innovative Alcohol Law Enforcement Program of the Year Award**
- John W. Britt Community Service Award**

**NOMINATOR INFORMATION:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINEE INFORMATION:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Agency:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note:** The director of the agency/officer nominated must approve all nominations, either via signature on this form or via an email to [carrie.christofes@nllea.org](mailto:carrie.christofes@nllea.org) approving the above nomination. Nominations that are submitted without the approval of the director will not be reviewed.

I approve of the nomination of this agency/officer for the **NLLEA Awards**.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_



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**Instructions for Submitting an Award Nomination**

To nominate an individual, agency, or program for an award, please follow the steps below to ensure your submission is complete and meets all requirements. Incomplete or late submissions may not be considered.

**Step 1: Review the Award Criteria**

Carefully review the criteria for the award you are nominating for (e.g., demonstrated effectiveness, innovation, community recognition). Ensure your nominee meets the outlined qualifications and achievements.

**Step 2: Prepare Your Submission Materials**

Gather all necessary information and documentation to support your nomination. This may include:

Nominee Information: Name, title, organization, and contact details.

Summary of Achievements: A detailed description of how the nominee meets the award criteria (e.g., acts of heroism, program effectiveness, innovation).

Supporting Evidence: Letters of support, media coverage, program outcomes, or other documentation demonstrating the nominee's impact.

Photos or Media (Optional): Relevant images, campaign materials, or media showcasing the nominee's work.

**Step 3: Complete the Nomination**

Submit your nomination in a Word document. Be concise but thorough, clearly identify the award category and address each criterion for the award.

**Step 4: Submit Your Nomination**

Submit your completed nomination in a Word document and supporting materials by the deadline (**June 30, 2025**). Send all documents via email to [carrie.christofes@nllea.org](mailto:carrie.christofes@nllea.org)

**Step 5: Confirmation of Submission**

Once submitted, you will receive a confirmation email acknowledging receipt of your nomination. If you do not receive confirmation, contact [carrie.christofes@nllea.org](mailto:carrie.christofes@nllea.org) for assistance.

Thank you for recognizing excellence in alcohol law enforcement!