

# THE LEGACY AWARD 2024

BAXLEY – APPLING COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

*"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has." Margaret Mead*

The Baxley-Appling County Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize an outstanding citizen that has made a tangible positive impact on our community by presenting them with the "Legacy" award in 2023. Qualifications for nomination: Nominee must be a resident of Appling County and have resided in the county for a period of at least five (5) years and must have shown significant meritorious service to his/her community. Previous Citizen of the Year award winners are not eligible.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_ Years as county resident: \_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Status (circle one): Employed Full Time      Part Time      Self Employed      Retired

Employer (if retired, from where?): \_\_\_\_\_

How many years has (did) the nominee worked for the above? \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach as many pages as necessary to answer the following questions in a narrative format. The selection committee will review nominees based on these 5 considerations.

## **1. Brief Personal Sketch** (include family life, history, etc)

## **2. Civic Involvement**

Please list all civic organization you have been a part of (past or present):

Please explain civic involvement over the last 10 years:

## **3. Community & Cultural Involvement**

Community involvement is an important factor in the determination of the Legacy Award. Please include all community and cultural activities the nominee has been involved with in the last 10 years.

## **4. Business & Professional Accomplishments:**

Please explain the nominee's professional history and impact on local business environment.

## **5. Other Community Contributions (not mentioned above):**

Other contributions the review committee needs to take into consideration.

Deadline for nominations is **February 16, 2024**. An out-of-town selection committee will review the accomplishments of each applicant (*name not displayed*) and determine which will be their Legacy Award recipient.

The recipient of the "Legacy" Award will be announced during the Annual Chamber Banquet at **April 11, 2024**. The award recipient and nominator will each receive one (1) complimentary ticket to attend the event. Additional tickets can be purchased through the Baxley-Appling County Chamber of Commerce.

**Please return nominations to: Legacy Award, 305 West Parker Street, Baxley, GA 31513**