



# Tribute! AWARDS

# 2024 NOMINATION FORM

**NOMINATION DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 16, 2024**

**EVENT DATE: NOVEMBER 7, 2024**

WOMEN'S RESOURCE CENTER OF NORTHERN MICHIGAN, INC.

## NOMINEE INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Company/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (C) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## PLEASE RETURN FORMS TO:

WRCNM  
Attn: Tribute  
423 PORTER ST,  
PETOSKEY, MI 49770

EMAIL: [events@wrcnm.org](mailto:events@wrcnm.org)

**Category:** Please select only one category for your nominee (see descriptions). The Selection Committee reserves the right to make final category determination.

Advocacy                       Business/Professions                       Community Service

Pinnacle                       Man of Action                       Youth

## NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (H) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (C) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this opportunity? \_\_\_\_\_

## NOMINATION NARRATIVE

**Please describe the following in a narrative no longer than two pages and be as complete as possible in your responses. Please do not assume the Selection Committee is familiar with the nominee's achievements. See "Nomination Guidelines" for further instructions and categories. Self-nominations are not accepted.**

- DEMONSTRATED LEADERSHIP:** Please give specific examples of your nominee's leadership. How has this person effectively influenced those around them to move in a certain direction? What direction was this and why is this important?
- COMMUNITY IMPACT:** Describe the positive impact your nominee's actions/activities have had in their community and/or in the lives of others. Describe your nominee's achievements, influence and visibility in our community. How has this made a difference and why is it important?
- REFLECTION OF WRCNM VALUES:** WRCNM is *committed to equality, justice and the well-being of women*. Please describe how your nominee has demonstrated these values and the resulting impact.
- YOUTH NOMINEES ONLY:** Summarize your nominee's school/community contributions and achievements. How has she succeeded in these areas? What are your nominee's future plans? How will this recognition aid her in achieving them?
- ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** Please include any additional information you feel is relevant, especially as it relates to their nomination category. How is the nominee special? Has this person overcome any extraordinary situations or challenges? Please **DO NOT** disclose any personal details your nominee may not be comfortable with the general public knowing.

Thank you for your interest in nominating a TRIBUTE Honoree. The Selection Committee deeply appreciates the effort and time it takes to prepare a TRIBUTE nomination. ***Self-nominations are not accepted.***

## CATEGORIES

### ADVOCACY

*Presented to a woman whose bold advocacy for a population or cause has resulted in increased community awareness and action on issues of social concern.*

### BUSINESS/PROFESSION

*Presented to a woman who has exhibited superior ability and accomplishment in a company, business, organization or association.*

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

*Presented to a woman who has shown outstanding achievement as a volunteer, contributing to the betterment of the community.*

### PINNACLE

*Presented to a woman who has dedicated a lifetime of service, providing meaningful contributions that have influenced and made a difference in her community.*

### MAN OF ACTION

*Presented to a man whose service and actions have demonstrated his commitment toward the well-being of women. Sponsored by the 100 Men Campaign.*

### YOUTH

*Presented to a woman 21 or younger who has demonstrated exceptional character and accomplishments to the betterment of herself and her community.*

\*'Woman' refers to any person who identifies as a woman, female, or is non-binary. 'Man' refers to any person who identifies as a man, male, or is non-binary. WRCNM deeply values diversity, equity, and inclusion.

## GENERAL GUIDELINES

- Please answer the questions on the nomination form thoughtfully and completely. Assume the Selection Committee has no familiarity with your nominee.
- Write from personal experience. You know that your nominee deserves special recognition — tell us why!
- Please keep your narrative concise and no longer than two pages. Kindly use no smaller than a 12-point font.
- The efforts of your candidate must reflect WRCNM's values and mission. Evaluate your nominee on how well she/he/they reflects these. WRCNM values/mission can be found on our website: [www.wrcnm.org/get-informed/who-we-are/](http://www.wrcnm.org/get-informed/who-we-are/)
- Do not simply list achievements or activities. Be sure to explain WHY those achievements or activities are important. How have they moved our community forward and improved life for others?
- Your role as nominator cannot be overemphasized. TRIBUTE honorees are chosen based on the quality of the nomination submitted. The Selection Committee urges nominators to remember that the selection process is always within a unique context. Selection Committee members change each year the event is held as does the slate of nominees.

**Questions? Call (231) 347-0067 or  
email [events@wrcnm.org](mailto:events@wrcnm.org)**

Please provide any additional information regarding your nominee that you believe is relevant. Please **do not** disclose personal details your nominee may not be comfortable with the general public knowing.