# VOICE FOR JUSTICE AWARD

# **2018 CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

4th Annual Voices for Justice Reception | February 1, 2018 | Portland, Oregon Submission Deadline: Wednesday, November 1, 2017

The National Crime Victim Law Institute (NCVLI) invites you to nominate an individual and/or organization to receive the **2018 Voice for Justice Award**. The award recognizes an individual and/or organization that has worked to ensure that Oregon crime victims' voices are a part of our justice system. NCVLI will present the award at its annual Voices for Justice Reception, which will be held on February 1, 2018 in Portland, Oregon.

### PURPOSE OF THE AWARD

Each crime victim has unique needs. This award recognizes attorneys, advocates, allied professionals and organizations that have made outstanding contributions to ensure that our justice system honors victims' voices.

#### NOMINATION SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- 1. You may nominate an individual, an organization, or a team of individuals or organizations.
- 2. The description of why the nominee should be honored should not exceed 500 words and should make clear the significance of the achievement and the nominee's specific role in that achievement.
- 3. We encourage you to submit supporting materials, such as a biography or resumé that summarizes the nominee's background and experience. If the nominee is an organization, describe its mission and objectives and provide a brief history of the organization.
- 4. Please complete a separate nomination form for each individual, organization, or team nominated.

# ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

- 1. The award recipient must be an attorney, advocate, allied professional, or organization that has demonstrated dedication, leadership, and outstanding achievement in securing a place for victims' voices within our justice system, and working as a catalyst for positive change in the justice system.
- 2. Persons nominated but not selected in previous years are eligible for re-nomination. Previous award winners are not eligible. For information on past recipients visit the Reception webpage at www.ncvli.org.

#### SELECTION PROCESS

NCVLI's award committee reviews the nominations, selects and notifies the award recipient in November.

# TERMS OF THE AWARD

Acceptance of an award authorizes NCVLI to publish the honoree's name, photo, and/or profile on its website and in its promotional materials.

Mail or email completed nomination form to:

National Crime Victim Law Institute Attn: Awards 1130 SW Morrison Street., Suite 200, Portland, OR 97205 <u>ncvli@lclark.edu</u>

NOMINATO	R INFORMATION

Name: Title or Position: Organization: Mailing Address: City: Telephone #:	State: Email:	Zip Code:	
NOMINEE INFORMATION			
Who are you nominating?: (check only one) Individual Organization Team of Individual(s) and Organization(s)			
Name:			
Title or Position:			
Organization:			
Mailing Address:			
City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Telephone #:	Email		
Email:			

If you are nominating an organization, please provide the name(s) of the individual(s) who would accept the award on behalf of the organization or program.

Nominee's Full Name:

#### SERVICE/ACCOMPLISHMENTS ------

In 500 words or less, summarize the nominee's accomplishments and your reason for nominating this individual, organization, or team. You may include this on a separate sheet of paper.