## **Sample Golden Hoosier Award Nomination Form**

| Nominee Name  | Jane Doe  |
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| Nominee Date of Birth   | Jan. 1, 1943  |
| Nominee Physical Address  |   |
| Address Line 1  | 2468 Quayle St.   |
| Address Line 2  | Apt. A  |
| City  | Pawnee  |
| State   | Indiana   |
| Zip   | 44444   |
| Nominee Email Address   | jane1943@yahoo.com  |
| Nominee Phone Number  | 317-555-5555  |
| Nominee Contact Information Comments  | Her daughter-in-law can be reached at 317-123-4567.   |
| Nominee Ethnicity   | Hispanic  |
| Volunteer Services  |   |
| Identify previous acknowledgments and/or achievements of nominee, as awarded by service organizations, community groups, etc., if any | Jane was presented with the Volunteer of the Year for Community Services Award in 2014.   |
| What qualities make this nominee a good candidate to be the recipient of the Golden Hoosier Award?                                    | Jane is always on the go. She's driven to help those in need throughout her community. She is dependable, kind-hearted and truly cares about those around her. When given praise or recognition, her instinct is to give the credit to others. She's a prime example of aging gracefully, with vibrancy and resilience. |
| Organization Name 1   | Wamapoke County Senior Center   |
| Organization Address  |   |
| Address Line 1  | 11146 Collins Ave.  |
| Address Line 2  | Suite C   |
|   | Pawnee  |

| State  | Indiana  |
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| Zip  | 44444  |
| Years of service with this organization  | 5  |
| Average weekly volunteer hours   | 10 hours monthly.  |
| Was this ever a paid position?   | No   |
| What are the responsibilities and activities of the nominee? Please be specific                                | Jane volunteers at the senior center in many different ways. She assists with the packaging of food items for visitors and for homebound delivery. She oversees the distribution of holiday gift baskets to seniors and disabled individuals who live in isolation. Jane also helps with crafts, snacks and social interaction with people living with dementia. |
| What impact has the nominee's volun-<br>teer service had? Was it on a local, re-<br>gional or statewide level? | Regional   |
| Additional Comments  | Jane is the go-to person at the senior center, always willing to answer questions with patience and a smile.   |
| Organization Name 2  | Eagleton Volunteer Fire Department   |
| Organization Address   |  |
| Address Line 1   | 605 Allen Gowers Road  |
| Address Line 2   |  |
| City   | Eagleton   |
| State  | Indiana  |
| Zip  | 44445  |
| Years of service with this organization  | 20   |
| Average weekly volunteer hours   | At the annual fundraiser, she shares 10 hours of her time.   |
| Was this ever a paid position?   | No   |
| What are the responsibilities and activities of the nominee? Please be specific                                | For 20 years, Jane has volunteered her time at the yearly Volunteer Fire Department benefit, helping to set up the booths and serve food to attendees.   |

| What impact has the nominee's volun-<br>teer service had? Was it on a local, re-<br>gional or statewide level?  | Local   |
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| Additional Comments   | Jane is indispensible to making this event go smoothly each year.   |
| Organization Name 3   | Knudson Memorial Elementary School  |
| Organization Address  |   |
| Address Line 1  | 10160 McBride Street  |
| Address Line 2  |   |
| City  | Pawnee  |
| State   | Indiana   |
| Zip   | 44444   |
| Years of service with this organization   | 6 years   |
| Average weekly volunteer hours  | 14  |
| Was this ever a paid position?  | No  |
| What are the responsibilities and activities of the nominee? Please be specific   | Twice a week, Jane assists with school activities, makes copies, assembles learning packets and reads to the students.  |
| What impact has the nominee's volun-<br>teer service had? Was it on a local, re-<br>gional or statewide level?  | Local   |
| Additional Comments   | Jane's affection for the children always shines through. The kids all love "Miss Jane"!   |
| Please list any of the nominee's other volunteer activities or achievements or additional qualities that you think would make this nominee a worthy recipient of the Golden Hoosier Award | For more than 20 years, Jane has also volunteered her time at the St. Sebastian Parish festival. She often brings stray animals to the veterinary clinic to get vaccinated and be spayed or neutered. Jane's drive to assist others benefits her community, friends and family. She has impacted countless people during her 50-plus years of serving in Wamapoke County. |