



2020

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award

An integral part of the University of Central Missouri's annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration held each year in January is the presentation of the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award and the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., High School Community Service Award.

These awards are presented jointly by the Greater Warrensburg Area Chamber of Commerce and the UCM Student Experience and Engagement Office at the monthly Chamber luncheon in January. The 2020 awards will be presented **Wednesday, Jan. 15, 2020**, at the luncheon at Taqueria Habana, 121 East Pine Street in Warrensburg.

Nominations for the **2020 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award** are being sought by the awards committee. Nominees for the Community Service Award may be **any person or organization** from throughout the Warrensburg area, including community members, UCM students, faculty and staff. Previous recipients of the MLK awards may not be nominated a second time.

Nominees should possess one or all of the qualities listed in the nomination criteria below to be nominated for the award.

Humanitarianism: Exhibiting the ethic of kindness, benevolence and sympathy extended impartially to all human beings by improving the quality of life of individuals or groups through actions that promote ethical standards for social reform and a demonstrated commitment to humanitarian activities and philanthropic endeavors.

Leadership: Evidence of actions that have led ethnically diverse groups toward a common goal that promotes positive change in the community and creates a sense of unity in a diverse community or organization.

Service: Selfless involvement in activities that provide a necessary service to a community or group of individuals.

Recipients of the award will be selected at the discretion of the awards selection committee, based upon information provided with the submitted nomination. Recipients will be notified and be the guests of the Chamber of Commerce and UCM at the luncheon. **It is important to determine that nominees will be able to attend the luncheon if selected to receive the award.** Media coverage of the event will be provided.

Nominations must be made using the attached form. Please submit all nominations by **Dec. 13, 2019** to the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration Community Service Awards Committee, UCM, Administration 214, Warrensburg, MO 64093; by email to wirthwein@ucmo.edu; or by fax to 660-543-8114.

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Nomination

Nominated individual or organization _____

Nominee's address or location _____

Name of nominator _____

Street address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Please include below or attach a statement with the qualifications of the individual or organization being nominated. **Cite any or all of the above criteria as they apply to your nomination. Please be specific regarding actions by the nominee that qualify that individual or organization for nomination.** Attach additional pages if needed.

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