**NAHRO Professional Development Partner of the Year**

Professional Development is an integral part of NAHRO from the State level through the Regions and at the National level. This award was created to highlight the importance of Professional Development in the Housing and Development Industry.

The award recognizes individuals that have made significant contributions to NAHRO Professional Development at the State, Regional and/or the National level. The recipient will have demonstrated commitment to Professional Development in the field of Housing and Community Development over a sustained period of time and possess a strong knowledge base of the industry.

**Qualifications**

The NAHRO Professional Development Achievement Award recognizes an individual who has been involved in NAHRO at the national, regional and/or chapter levels for at least five years.

A nominee must have direct affiliation with the housing and community development industry and have made an outstanding contribution in providing, promoting or developing innovative and creative Professional Development in the housing and community development field.

The NAHRO Member must have demonstrated commitment to Professional Development in the field of housing and community development at the state, regional or national level with greater consideration for service at all three levels. Commitment shall include influencing the nature of Professional Development training and promoting such training and development and contributing to the advancement of Professional Development at the State, Regional and/or National Level.

The NAHRO Member should have demonstrated service in the field of housing and community development over an extended period of time as a public official, provider or advocate. Consideration should be given to a candidate’s participation and leadership on state, regional and national boards and committees as related to the field. Applications should include the offices that the candidate has held related to Professional Development such as Chair of a Professional Development Committee or Vice President of Professional Development.

The candidate must have demonstrated achievement related to Professional Development in the field of housing and community development over an extended period of time. Through achievement, the individual would be recognized as an expert and leader in Professional Development as it relates to the field of housing and community development. Achievement would include success in conducting Professional Development Events, running Conferences at which Professional Development training is conducted and contributing to the success of Professional Development events at the State, Regional and/or National level.

The candidate must demonstrate and abide by the highest legal and ethical standards.

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1. Nominee Information including name, title, address and contact information.

2. Person making the nomination, including title, address and contact information.

2. Nominees activities and achievements related to Professional Development within the last twelve-month period.

3. A concise statement of the nominee’s achievements related to Professional Development in the field of housing and community development Over their career.

4. A statement of the nominee’s activities and service related to Professional Development in the field of housing and community development including service on committees, leadership of committees or associations and other groups, actions and projects over their career.

5. A list of the nominee’s professional affiliations.

Please use as much space as needed. Extra pages may be included.