



# NOMINATION FORM

*Handwritten submissions are discouraged.*

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## NOMINEE INFORMATION

Nominee Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

- Category:
- ☐ Humanitarian
  - ☐ Entertainment
  - ☐ Civic/Pioneer
  - ☐ Architect/Artist/Designer
  - ☐ Athlete
  - ☐ Military
  - ☐ Literary

- If Applicable:
- ☐ Posthumous
  - ☐ Duo or Group

## SPONSOR CONTACT INFORMATION

Self-nominations are **not accepted**. The sponsor must be someone other than the nominee.

Sponsor Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Organization, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_



## NOMINEE QUALIFICATIONS & CONTRIBUTIONS

*Use additional pages if more space is needed. The complete nomination summary may not exceed five pages.*

### Community Contribution & Civic Participation

Describe the nominee's contributions to the community, including relevant civic involvement, service, leadership, or impact.

### Contributions to Palm Springs

Describe how the nominee has contributed to the prominence, character, culture, or community of Palm Springs.

### Qualifications for Walk of the Stars Recognition

Explain how the nominee meets the approved criteria for the selected category and why they should be considered for recognition.



## NOMINATION TERMS

*Prior to finalizing this form, it is crucial to carefully review the following instructions.*

- 1.** Upon approval, it is understood that the sponsor of nominee(s) for the Palm Springs Walk of the Stars assumes the responsibility of arranging payment to the City of Palm Springs for the installation cost of \$15,000. The dedication ceremony follows a pre-set package program, and any additional aspects beyond the predefined scope are the sponsor's sole responsibility.
- 2.** Furthermore, it is imperative to note that nominations for living nominees require the explicit consent of the nominee(s). A signed Letter of Acceptance from honoree(s) or their management must be submitted within 30-days of the nomination approval.
- 3.** Moreover, in the event that the aforementioned nominee(s) is selected for placement in the Walk of the Stars, the nominee(s) guarantees their presence at the dedication ceremonies, scheduled on a date and time mutually agreed upon with the Palm Springs Walk of the Stars. An induction ceremony must be scheduled within two years from the selection date; otherwise, the nomination must be resubmitted.
- 4.** It is essential to acknowledge that induction ceremonies are public events, and as such, honorees recognize that footage and photographs of the event will be available to the public. Therefore, honorees and speakers are expected to sign a release granting the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce permission to utilize the ceremony footage for promotional purposes related to the Palm Springs Walk of the Stars.
- 5.** First-time nominations that are not selected will automatically be carried over to the following year for consideration. If the nomination is not selected during the subsequent attempt, it must be resubmitted with updated materials.
- 6.** Please be aware that "Palm Springs Walk of the Stars" and all associated symbols are registered trademarks of the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce and may not be utilized without obtaining prior permission. Any proposed promotional activities in conjunction with the Palm Springs Walk of the Stars ceremonies must receive explicit approval in advance from the Palm Springs Chamber of Commerce.
- 7.** Lastly, it is strictly prohibited to engage in any form of fundraising activities for a nominee's dedication ceremony before the nomination has been approved by the Walk of the Stars Selection Committee. Violation of this guideline may result in disqualification from the selection process.

**Sponsor Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



## SPONSOR WAIVER

### 1. Walk of the Stars Palm Springs Program

Palm Springs, a corporation (herein "City") and Palm Springs Walk of the Stars (herein "WOTSPS") have agreed that the contractor shall install solid sandblasted granite blocks (the stars) in the public right of way to honor prominent personalities associated with Palm Springs. However, Palm Springs is concerned with liability to pedestrians and must retain the right to require removal and/or relocation of the stars if necessary, without incurring liability to the donors. Therefore, Palm Springs' approval of the stars has been based on receiving: (a) An irrevocable offer to dedicate to Palm Springs as a gift all stars installed in the public right of way, and (b) The written waiver and release of any and all donors or contributors any rights, title or interest in the stars. It should be expressly understood, however, that the stars are the property of PSWOTS and not the City until the offer to dedicate is accepted.

### 2. Waiver with Respect to Modifications or Removal

The Donor, its agents, heirs, successors and assigns hereby waive any and all rights, title, causes of action or interest in the star towards which the contribution was made. Donor understands that PSWOTS and/or City have the right to alter, relocate or remove the star at any time, and Donor waives any and all causes of action, damages, rights to receive any notice and/or compensation, or to object to the alteration, relocation, removal or destruction of the star.

### 3. Indemnification of Donor

PSWOTS agrees to indemnify the donor, its agents, heirs, successors and assigns against, and will hold and save them and each of them harmless from, any and all actions, suits, claims, damages to persons or property, losses, costs, penalties, obligations, errors, omission or liabilities, including paying any legal costs, attorney fees, or paying any judgment (herein "claims or liabilities") that may be asserted or claimed by any person, firm or entity arising out of the or in connection with the negligent acts or omissions of PSWOTS hereunder.

### 4. Waiver of Right to Sue

Donor, its heirs, successors and assigns hereby waive any right to sue PSWOTS or Palm Springs for breach of any written or oral representation with respect to the PSWOTS including, but not limited to, the revocable license and maintenance agreement, except that donor shall not waive any right to enforce the indemnification covenant of PSWOTS contained in Section 3 above.

Sponsor Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_