Alabama State Conference (ASC) of the NAACP 2022 Awards

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**CRITERIA:** Please provide a one page or less narrative of why the individual, organization, or committee should receive the award you are submitting them for. You may also submit attachments such as newspaper and magazine articles as supporting documents. These articles and supporting documents will **NOT** count as your one page. Please include a photo of the person. On a separate sheet of paper include your name, your telephone number, and if possible, your email address, this page must be enclosed with the award nomination packet. You will only be contacted if the Award Committee have questions or need more information. Awardees will **ONLY** be notified by the Alabama State Conference (ASC). Notifications will go out on Friday, September 9, 2022, by email, phone, and USPS.

The award package must be post marked or emailed by Thursday, September 01, 2022

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1. **LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR** (State legislator)
   - This award is given to the legislator who has supported the NAACP in its efforts to further the cause of civil rights for the citizens of Alabama.
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2. **COMMUNITY PARTNER OF THE YEAR** (government, non-profit, etc.)
   - This award is given to the community organization who has fulfilled a commitment to partner with the NAACP and who has provided the most support to the NAACP in terms of the partnership with the organization. The partnership does not have to be related to just financial support.
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3. **ATTORNEY OF THE YEAR**
   - This award is given to the attorney who has volunteered their efforts and time to assisting the NAACP in the accomplishing the NAACP mission on the state level. The attorney may have also provided support in furthering the cause of civil rights throughout the state of Alabama.
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4. **MINORITY OWNED BUSINESS OF THE YEAR**
   - This award is given to a minority owned business that has made a significant impact in their community. This support is not limited to financial support.
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5. **BRANCH OF THE YEAR** (nominee must be good standing with state and national NAACP)
   - This award is given to the Branch in the state of Alabama who has been a model branch by submitting reports on time, attending Quarterly Meetings, State and the Regional Conference and the NAACP National Convention. Must have an active Youth Council and the Youth Council must be in good standing with the State NAACP and the National NAACP. Youth Council must also have shown an increase in membership or have had membership drives to increase membership.
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6. **BRANCH PRESIDENT OF THE YEAR** (nominee must be in good standing)
   - This award is given to a Branch President in the state of Alabama who has demonstrated strong leadership in furthering the Civil Rights. Must have attended weekly ASC and local meetings, conventions, mandatory training and in good standing.
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7. **STATE CONFERENCE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER OF THE YEAR** (nominee must be in good standing)
   - This award is given to an Executive Committee Member who has accomplished the most in leading their committee to accomplishing their committee’s mission in the NAACP. This member must have been instrumental in ensuring that reports were/are provided at all Quarterly Meetings and must have attended all mandatory trainings.
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8. **PRESIDENT’S AWARD** (nominee must be in good standing)
   - This award is selected by the Alabama State Conference President ONLY.

9. **STATE CONFERENCE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE YEAR**
   - This award is given to the state standing committee who has provided monthly and quarterly reports. This committee must have attended all or the majority of Quarterly Meetings and demonstrates a sense of unity with the members of the community, secretary, and the president.
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10. **LEGACY AWARD** (nominee must be in good standing)
   - This award is given to a person who is an active member of the NAACP and not just in attendance but participate in NAACP events (75%). Must be nominated by a branch, unit, or member of the NAACP. Must tell how they have impacted the past and the future of the NAACP. Must have attended all or the majority of Quarterly Meetings and demonstrates a sense of unity with the members of the community, secretary, and the president.

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