



## Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Commission “LIVING THE DREAM” Award 2019 Nomination Form

The Howard County Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Commission is seeking nominations for the Commission’s 2018-2019 “Living the Dream” Award. This annual Award recognizes both an individual and organization (community, civic, or religious) for promoting the teachings and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. through community involvement. The award will be presented at the Commission’s Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration on Sunday, January 20, 2019 at Howard High School; 8700 Old Annapolis Road, Ellicott City, MD 21043. Reception will begin at 2:00 pm followed by the program at 3:00 pm. The theme of this year’s Celebration is ***“Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter.”***

### **Award Criteria for both Individual and Organizational Nominations:**

- Nominees may live or work in Howard County, but their volunteer services must be performed in Howard County.
- Nominees must demonstrate teachings, work ethics, and legacy of Dr. King by promoting community involvement among all ethnic groups, regardless of social, economic or religious background, and be committed to no-violence and humanitarian services.

### **Each nomination must be submitted separately:**

Describe in 500 words why this individual or organization deserves to win the 2018-2019 “Living the Dream” Award by answering the following questions in your narrative:

1. Describe the nominee’s involvement and type of community participation.
2. What impact has the nominee had on the community?
3. How has the nominee’s involvement improved or made the community better?
4. Describe the nominee’s measureable contributions and achievements.

### **Nomination Form Deadline:**

Forms must be postmarked, hand-delivered, faxed or email by 5:00 pm on Friday, December 21, 2018.

Please mail to: Howard County Office of Human Rights, ATTN: MLK 2018 “Living the Dream” Award, 9820 Patuxent Woods Drive, Suite 237; Columbia, MD 21046, Fax to: 410-313-6468 or email: [SubmissionsMLK@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:SubmissionsMLK@howardcountymd.gov).

The winner will be notified by Friday, January 11, 2019. For additional questions, contact the Office of Human Rights at 410-313-6467 or [fsheik@howardcountymd.gov](mailto:fsheik@howardcountymd.gov).

**"Living the Dream" Award – Patricia L. Thorne, Chair**

**NOMINATION INFORMATION**

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination Narrative**

*(500 words - If more space is needed use back)*