



**FLORIDA ASSOCIATION FOR
VOLUNTEER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

FAVRM Innovative Program Award

Purpose: The FAVRM Innovative Program Award was established to honor the outstanding achievements of a local volunteer program in their creation and implementation of a program/service, which utilizes volunteers to creatively serve both their agency and their community. *Nominations should be submitted by FAVRM members. Nominees can be members or non-members.* The winner of the award will receive a plaque and a complimentary membership into FAVRM for the coming year. The award will be given at the FAVRM November Forum.

Eligibility: The program/service must be part of a formally established volunteer management organization. The program/service must focus on a specific issue of the agency/community. The program/service should help educate and/or reinforce the importance of volunteer programs in Florida. The nominee need not be a FAVRM member.

Award Criteria

The following criteria will be utilized in reviewing and judging the nomination:

- **Community needs** – The program/service must address an unmet need of the agency/community.
- **Innovation** – Activities should reflect an innovative or unique approach to volunteer engagement.
- **Mobilization** – The nominated program/service should result in or present opportunities for utilizing volunteers in other local Florida volunteer activities.
- **Achievement** – The nomination must reflect actual accomplishments achieved through the program/service.
- **Replication** – The nominated program should be easily replicable.

Nomination Information: A narrative statement of not more than 500 words that describes the nominee, and a head shot photo is required. Applicants should refer to the award criteria when completing the nomination. Supplementary material may be added to the nomination. These materials may include letters, testimonials, action photos, news clippings, pamphlets, videos etc. Submitted materials become the property of FAVRM. Each nomination should be submitted by e-mail as a single .pdf document and should include the FAVRM Awards cover page.



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Nominee Information

Innovative Program Name:	Program Contact/Title:
Contact E-mail:	Contact Phone:
Organization:	Website:
Address:	City:
State:	Zip:

Nominator Information

Nominator Name:	Title:
Organization:	Phone:
E-mail:	Relationship to Nominee:

Attach narrative statement and supplementary information to this cover page. Return in a single .pdf file to kaypeltwalker@gmail.com **no later than 5 p.m. on October 7**. Awards will be presented at the FAVRM State Conference, November 4, 2016, Holiday Inn Tampa Westshore, Tampa, FL.