



**LAKE WALES AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
& ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL**  
**2017 *Citizen of the Year* AWARD NOMINATION FORM**

Please use this form to submit your nomination for the 2017 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD. Nominee should be a person residing within the greater Lake Wales area, whose service to the community over the past year – whether civic or otherwise – has been outstanding. (List of Past Citizens of the Year is attached.) Selection Committee includes Past Citizens of the Year and Chamber Chairmen. Award will be presented May 11th at annual Awards Gala.

NAME OF NOMINEE \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/ST/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION & EMPLOYER \_\_\_\_\_

NOMINATED BY \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

Please LIST below examples of how nominee's SERVICE to Lake Wales during the past year was OUTSTANDING.  
You may attach additional documentation, but please list or summarize service on this form.

**DEADLINE: 4:00 p.m. FRIDAY, April 7, 2017.**

Envelopes addressed to the “COY Committee” may be brought to the Lake Wales Area Chamber of Commerce,  
340 W. Central Avenue, mailed to P.O. Box 191, Lake Wales, FL 33859,  
or emailed to: [charlotte@lakewaleschamber.com](mailto:charlotte@lakewaleschamber.com).

Citizen of the Year  
Lake Wales Area Chamber of Commerce  
& Economic Development Council

1959	Dr. R. T. Nelson	1991	W. Sidney Porter
1960	Margaret Smith	1992	Fran Updike
1961	O. A. Brice	1993	Martha Carter
1962	Lee Draper	1994	Lee & Nancy Turnquist
1963	George Williamson	1995	Steve Sorensen
1964	F. S. McLaughlin	1996	Ellis Hunt
1965	Mrs. Pallas Gum	1997	Edwin Friedlander
1966	John Updike	1998	Violeta Salud
1967	Tom Bishop	1999	Dr. W. E. Manry, Jr.
1968	Robert W. Murray	2000	Gregory Moss
1969	Mrs. V. A. Sims	2001	Bob Weikert
1970	Frank Hunt	2002	Barney & Dorothy Moore
1971	Mrs. F. M. Campbell	2003	Clay Terry
1972	J. Pitt Tomlinson, Jr.	2004	Cliff Tonjes
1973	Charles Tillman	2005	Rob Quam
1974	Robin Gibson	2006	Clinton Horne
1975	Hugh B. Alexander	2007	Laura Hunt
1976	Morris C. Jones	2008	C. Deming Cowles
1977	Mimi Hardman	2009	David & Miriam Rockness
1978	Tom Nelson	2010	Lee A. (Alex) Wheeler, III
1979	Rufus Pooser	2011	Cindy Alexander
1980	Robert E. Lasiter, Jr.	2012	Gerald (Jerry) Miller
1981	Walter W. Woolfolk	2013	Howard Kay
1982	Edith Clarke	2014	Robbie Shields
1983	R. E. "Red" Pilsbury	2015	Mike Morrow
1984	Leroy Polston	2016	Vic Story
1985	R. Hudson Burr, Jr.		
1986	W. E. Hurlbut		
1987	Michael W. Crews		
1988	Dr. Joseph A. Wiltshire		
1989	Lawrence Updike		
1990	Nancy Denton		