



H.P. Heckendorf Community Service Award

24th Annual Award Ceremony

ABOUT OUR AWARD

N.E.W. Credit Union's H.P. Heckendorf Community Service Award was created to honor the memory and the impact Harold P. Heckendorf made in the communities we serve. Heckendorf served on N.E.W. Credit Union's Board of Directors for 20 years, most of which as our chairman. In addition to his community service through the credit union, Heckendorf was a dedicated member of his church and an active participant in our Oconto Falls community.

Harold P. Heckendorf embodied the mission and vision of N.E.W. Credit Union. At N.E.W. Credit Union, we proudly serve our communities and work to provide all of our members with opportunities to succeed. We hope (through this award) to honor Heckendorf's impact and highlight others who want to do the same.

NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS

N.E.W. Credit Union's H.P. Heckendorf Community Service Award is open to anyone (*regardless of age*) who has displayed exemplary acts of community service and/or volunteerism in our communities. The recipient of this award will receive a commemorative plaque, a monetary award of \$250, and a check for matching funds to the charity of their choice. The award will be presented on **March 12th, 2026**, at our 64th Annual Membership Meeting.

Nomination applications must be submitted to the credit union on or before **February 13th, 2026**. Applications submitted after this deadline will not be accepted.

Applications can be submitted by mail or in person at our corporate location (301 Jackson St, Oconto Falls, WI 54154), or through email at asknew@newcu.org.

Staff members and N.E.W. Credit Union Board Members are not eligible for nomination.

HOW TO NOMINATE

If there is someone you would like to nominate for this award, please complete the following steps:

1. Complete the "Required Information" section on the back of this sheet so we have their contact information.
2. Submit a 300-word essay (*Times New Roman font, double-spaced, 12-point font*) explaining why you are nominating them and how they have made an impact on our communities.

Once you have completed and gathered this information, please submit all documentation by mail, in person, or through email to asknew@newcu.org.



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REQUIRED INFORMATION

Nominator Information *(person submitting the application):*

Nominator Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Nominee Information *(person you're nominating):*

Nominee's Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Address: _____

If nominee is a minor, please complete the following information:

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Address: _____

List the nominee's community service/volunteerism accomplishments (for more space, attach an additional page):

N.E.W Credit Union will inform the selected recipient directly and will communicate with them before the award ceremony. Recipients will receive their commemorative plaque, monetary award, and matching charity check at the ceremony. The award ceremony will take place during N.E.W. Credit Union's Annual Membership Meeting on March 12th, 2026. If you have any questions/concerns, please email us at asknew@newcu.org.