



## **2023 GOOD NEIGHBOR AWARD GUIDELINES**

1. Nominees must be a REALTOR® member of NRIBR in good standing and have either a Primary or Secondary Membership.
2. Our Good Neighbor Award recognizes a NRIBR REALTOR® who has made an extraordinary impact on their community, or on the national or world stage, through volunteer work. Activities are not limited to real estate or housing issues.
3. Nominees should have made a significant voluntary contribution of personal time, but contributions of money, materials, or other resources will be considered by the judges as well.
4. Nominees will be judged on level of personal contribution, impact of personal contribution, broadness of impact, and the project's suitability as a role model for other REALTORS®.
5. The award is intended to recognize individual contributions, not association- or company-wide efforts. However, if an individual can be singled out as instrumental to the success of a group effort, he or she is eligible. If the achievements of two people (such as a married couple or co-founders of an organization) absolutely cannot be separated, they can enter as a pair and their entry will be considered as one.
6. Some portion of the nominee's voluntary community work must have taken place between during the time period indicated, (January 2022 - February 2023) but judges will also consider ongoing efforts outside that time frame that demonstrate a depth of commitment.
7. Nominees should be able to document the results of their individual involvement through published reports and/or testimonials from the organization they served or the people they helped.
8. Nominations must be accompanied by a thoroughly completed entry form to be considered.
9. Winner must be willing to be interviewed, photographed, filmed, and featured in NRIBR marketing efforts.
10. NRIBR and its ROTY-Awards Task Force is not responsible for lost, stolen, or misdirected entries.
11. Winner will be notified by phone.
12. Winner is only eligible for award once in a 3-year period.
13. REALTORS® may nominate themselves or may be nominated by someone else, such as another NAR member, a state or local association, or the community organization they served.
14. Grant award is **\$1,000** and will only be issued to a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization.

Application must be received at our office by the deadline of February 28, 2023.

Winner will be announced by March 31, 2023.

Questions? Please call (401) 333-6343 or email [ssilva@nrirealtors.org](mailto:ssilva@nrirealtors.org)



NORTHERN RHODE ISLAND  
BOARD OF REALTORS®

## 2023 Good Neighbor Award Nomination

*Must be received at our office by the deadline of February 28, 2023.*

**We want to hear if a NRIBR REALTOR® is doing great work serving the community.**

1. Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_ Your phone #: \_\_\_\_\_
4. List the primary organization the nominee serves: *\*This organization will receive the grant money if applicant is selected as NRIBR's 2023 Good Neighbor Award winner. It must be a 501(c)3 nonprofit.*  
Primary Organization: \_\_\_\_\_
5. How do you help this charity?  Volunteer  Fundraising  Leadership  Other
6. Primary Organization Address: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Primary Organization Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Contact Person for Organization/ Title: \_\_\_\_\_
9. Contact Person email: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Is this organization a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit?  Yes  No
11. EIN (Employer Identification Number): \_\_\_\_\_
12. What is the mission of the Primary Organization:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
13. How long has the nominee been volunteering with this organization? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Briefly describe the results of the nominee's volunteer work:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Contribution**

*(Nominees should have made a significant contribution of personal time, but contributions of money, materials, or other resources will be considered by the judges.)*

**Important Note: This information is required.** Although you may not keep exact records of your contribution, we must have your best estimate to evaluate the entry.

15. Unpaid hours the nominee personally contributed to this organization from January 2022 February 2023 to present (approx. **14 months**): \_\_\_\_\_

16. Volunteer hours the nominee personally recruited from others to work for this organization from January 2022 to February 2023 (approx. **14 months**): \_\_\_\_\_

17. Dollars, materials, or resources other than time the nominee personally contributed to this organization from January 2022 to February 2023 (approx. **14 months**): \_\_\_\_\_

18. Dollars the nominee personally raised for this organization from January 2022 to February 2023 (approx. **14 months**): \_\_\_\_\_

19. Does the nominee perform voluntary community service as part of his/her duties as an employee or corporate officer of a real estate company? *If yes, please explain.*

Yes  No

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20. Would you like NRIBR to notify the National Association of REALTORS® if you are selected as our Good Neighbor Award Winner?  Yes  No

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**21. \*\*\*Explanation of Contribution (Required)**

In a short paragraph, describe how the nominee’s efforts have made the community a better place to live. *(Use separate page.)*

**22. Verification of Involvement (Required)**

Please attach any reports to document the nominee’s activities with primary organization such as: published reports: articles, social media posts, videos, photos or testimonials from the organization or individuals served.

These documents should attest to the individual involvement of the nominee. Please highlight the nominee’s name in documents where it is not immediately evident. (List the attachments here):

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23. If applicant volunteers with other organizations other than the primary organization listed above, please list them there and attach any of the items listed under # 22 as documentation:

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**I certify that to the best of my knowledge, all the information provided is true and accurate.**

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

I am the nominee

I am not the nominee

Date

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Send completed application to:

*Northern Rhode Island Board of REALTORS®*

*Attention: ROTY-Awards Task Force*

*12 Breakneck Hill Rd, Suite 100*

*Lincoln, RI 02865*

*Email: [ssilva@nrirealtors.org](mailto:ssilva@nrirealtors.org)*

*Questions? Call (401) 333-6343*

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