



## Advocacy Award Nomination Form

### Award Overview

The Federation of Public Libraries Advocacy Award recognizes an individual, group, or organization whose advocacy has significantly advanced the mission, visibility, and value of public libraries. This award celebrates leadership, innovation, and meaningful impact in the promotion and defense of public libraries.

### Section 1: Nominee Information

Nominee Name / Group / Organization:

If a Group or Organization, Name of Primary Contact:

Address:

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

Affiliation (if applicable):

- ☐ Library staff
- ☐ Library board member
- ☐ Community member
- ☐ Organization
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_



## **Section 2: Nominator Information**

Your Name:

Your Organization (if applicable):

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

Relationship to Nominee:



### **Section 3: Advocacy Description**

1. Please describe the advocacy efforts of the nominee. (Include what was done, when, and how it supported public libraries.) Suggested: 300–500 words

2. What impact did these efforts have? (E.g., policy change, increased funding, public awareness, community support)

3. How did the nominee demonstrate leadership, creativity, or innovation in their advocacy?

4. Describe how the advocacy aligned with core public library values. (E.g., intellectual freedom, access, equity, lifelong learning)

5. Was the advocacy collaborative in nature? If so, please describe the partnerships involved.



## **Section 4: Supporting Documentation**

Please attach any relevant materials to support your nomination, including:

- Letters of support (up to 3)
- News articles, social media posts, campaign materials
- Outcome data, testimonials, or public statements

## **Section 5: Declaration**


I confirm that the information provided in this nomination is accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that self-nominations are not permitted.


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




## Submission Instructions

Please submit this completed form and supporting materials by:

 September 30, 2026

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 Or mail to:

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