



2023 PETER McGRATH OLDER AMERICANS VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD

During the month of May, the City of Burbank Parks and Recreation Department will celebrate Older Americans Month. A major focus is to honor a maximum of **three (3) outstanding volunteers** for the **Peter McGrath Older Americans Volunteer Service Award**. **One will move on to represent Burbank at the Annual Older Americans Recognition Day in Los Angeles during the month of May (Date to be announced).**

This award was renamed in 2021 to honor the legacy of Mr. Peter McGrath. Mr. McGrath was a long time Burbank resident who was respected throughout the community and served on numerous Boards, Commissions, and Committees, as well as was actively involved in a variety of service organizations. He truly embodied the ideals of volunteer service.

When you submit nomination forms for any outstanding volunteers, please take into consideration the following:

- Each nominee must be 60 years of age or older, a Burbank resident, and have volunteered a significant amount of time.
- The nominee does not have to be registered as a B.V.P. Volunteer.
- This is a once in a lifetime award. Your submission will be checked to insure they are eligible and have not won this honor in the past.
- The deadline to submit the included nomination form is **Friday, March 3, 2023**.

The Los Angeles County Commission for Older Adults requirements for 2023:

- Please describe your nominee in 50 words or less on how they exemplify this year's theme of "Aging Unbound".
- Include a picture of nominee

**If selected for the County award additional information or submission may be required.*

Please note ➡ In order for us to select the best nominees, it is important that you include detailed service information and reasons why you believe your nominee should receive this award. If self-nominating, please list the name and phone number of a reference for verification of information.

We appreciate you taking the time to assist us in recognizing these dedicated volunteers who are committed to helping others. If you have any questions, please call me at 818.238.5353.

Looking forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Kim Freed
Joslyn Recreation Supervisor/Burbank Volunteer Program



2023 PETER McGRATH OLDER AMERICANS VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD NOMINATION FORM

(Nominee must be a Burbank resident and 60 years of age or older)

The awards selection committee will analyze and select the award recipients from information submitted on and with this form **ONLY**. See introductory letter for qualifications.

NAME OF NOMINEE: _____ AGE: _____

COMPLETE ADDRESS: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ LENGTH OF TIME AS BURBANK RESIDENT: _____

*NOMINATED BY: _____ PHONE: _____

(* If self-nominated please list the name & phone number of a reference for verification of information.)

Number of years nominee has been volunteering: _____

Is nominee a veteran? YES NO If yes, which branch? Air Force Army Marines Navy

It is important that we have **detailed information** in order to select the best nominees.

SERVICE - Tell us what services the nominee is involved in and length of time with each service. (**Use additional sheets** if needed. Please ensure nominee's name is listed on additional sheet):

CURRENT VOLUNTEER - Tell us why you think the nominee should receive this award and best embodies the theme "Aging Unbound" (**Use additional sheets** if needed. Please ensure nominee's name is listed on additional sheet):

Please describe your nominee in 50 words or less:

What 3 words best describe the nominee:

Please include a photo of the nominee with submission

Please return this form by Friday, March 3, 2023, to:

Mail: Joslyn Adult Center
Attn: Recreation Supervisor
PO Box 6459, Burbank CA 91510

Drop Off: Joslyn Adult Center
1301 W Olive Ave
Email: joslyn@burbankca.gov

Questions? Call 818.238.5353

Staff use only:

City ☐ County ☐

Approval: _____

Nominee Notified: _____

Awardee Notified: _____