



Nomination Form



KEEP MARTIN BEAUTIFUL
KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL AFFILIATE

Recognizing Environmental Excellence in Martin County

Wednesday February 7, 2018
Piper's Landing Yacht & Country Club

Keep Martin Beautiful hosts the Environmental Stewardship Awards Ceremony every other year to honor notable projects, programs and activities that improve our natural environment and the visual landscape of our community. Help us acknowledge the people and organizations that make Martin County such an extraordinary place to live. Nominations are free and self-nominations are welcome! Winners will be announced at this year's Environmental Stewardship Awards event on Wednesday February 7, 2018.

General Award Categories

- ☞ Youth & School Group
- ☞ Non-Profit & Civic Organization
- ☞ Business
- ☞ Government Agency
- ☞ Individual/Unsung Hero

Areas of Focus

- ☞ **Litter & Marine Debris** – prevention, reduction and removal activities
- ☞ **Recycling Programs/Activities** – increase recycling, promote the use of recycled materials, or reuse/up-cycling materials
- ☞ **Environmental/Beautification** – landscaping improvements, community gardens, native species replanting & exotics removal
- ☞ **Neighborhood Revitalization** – community improvements, building/signage improvements, repainting/restoration, murals, graffiti removal
- ☞ **Innovative Projects** – energy/water efficiency/conservation, green technology
- ☞ **Environmental stewardship** – advocacy, education, conservation

Special Recognition Awards

River Advocate Award

Recognizes an individual or group that shows leadership in advocating for the protection and improvement of the St. Lucie River and Indian River Lagoon.

Innovation Award

Recognizes an individual or organization that shows environmental innovation and leadership in creating a new technology, process, product treatment or plan.

Raleigh "Riley" Jackson Award

Created in 2006, in memory of Riley Jackson, a long-time Martin County government employee and KMB Board Member, in honor of his dedication to community improvement. Presented to a government employee or employee who goes above and beyond the call of duty and shows commitment to the community.

KMB President's Award & Staff Choice Award

Recognizes individual or organizations that exemplifies a commitment to KMB's core mission: to preserve and enhance the quality of life in our community through litter prevention, waste reduction, beautification, revitalization or environmental stewardship



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ENTRY GUIDELINES

Nominations will be accepted through Friday, December 1, 2017.

A complete nomination application consists of four components:

1. **Nomination Form.** All questions and pages should be completely filled out.
2. Nominees' project/activity must have occurred between January 1, 2016 and December 1, 2017 to qualify for an award, unless a special award is designated.
3. **Summary**
 - Description of the project, program or activity and why you think the individual or organization is worthy of recognition (150 word minimum, not to exceed one page).
 - Describe how this person, group or organization helps to fulfill the mission of Keep Martin Beautiful.
 - If the project or program was completed in partnership with another group, identify partner(s) and describe how they contributed to the success of the project program or activity.
4. **Digital photo.** Submit at least two (and no more than 5) photos of the individual, group or project. Provide images digitally in a .jpg format via email to events@keepmartinbeautiful.org. The image can also be an organization or business logo, if necessary. Please provide a detailed description of each photo.
5. **Supplemental Information**

To provide a better understanding of your entry to our judging committee, we encourage you to include additional details about the merits of the person, project, program or activity. Additional information may include, but is not limited to:

 - Letters of support
 - Additional photographs, images and graphics of project or activity – including before and after shots if appropriate
 - Video - provide any multimedia materials through either a drop box link, thumb drive or DVD.
Materials will only be returned upon request.

All material should be submitted in 8.5 x 11 format, using no smaller than 12 point font, and should not exceed ten (10) pages in total.

Please help us be eco-friendly. **Submit your nomination application via e-mail, along with your supplemental information to events@keepmartinbeautiful.org by Friday, December 1, 2017.**

The nomination form is also available online at www.keepmartinbeautiful.org



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NOMINATION FORM

Nominating Categories* (Select one)

- Youth or School Group
- Non-profit or Civic Group
- Business
- Government Agency
- Individual/Unsung Hero

Areas of Focus (Check all that apply)

- Litter & Marine Debris
- Reuse, Recycling, Upcycling Activities
- Beautification/Landscaping
- Neighborhood Revitalization
- Innovative Projects, Products, Services
- Environmental Stewardship

**KMB reserves the right to adjust categories*

Name of Group/Person being nominated:

Project/Activity Name (if applicable):

Location of Project:

Contact Name (if group/organization nomination):

Nominee Mailing Address:

City/State:

Zip:

Nominee Work/Home Phone:

Nominee Cell Phone:

Nominee Email:

Nominator Contact Information (if different from above):

Name:

Phone:

E-mail:

Mailing Address:

Complete nomination applications must be submitted no later than
Friday, December 1, 2017 to events@keepmartinbeautiful.org or at the KMB Office at:
1211 SW Sunset Trail, Palm City, FL 34990



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1. How does the project/activity improve the quality of life in community?

2. How does the project/activity serve as a model to inspire others?



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3. How does the project/activity promote environmental stewardship or provide environmental education?

4. Do you think the initiative goes "above and beyond" what is required, or is it a current/standard practice?



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5. Was the project/activity achieved through collaboration/partnership with other groups? If so, please describe.

6. Do you think the results of the project/activity are long lasting and/or sustainable? Describe.