

Awards Committee 7.29.22 Minutes

I. Call to Order

- a. Pappas calls the meeting to order finding a quorum fit to conduct business.
- b. Horgan calls the roll of those in attendance: Ray Bower, Sean Eldridge, Bob Englund, Jen Fish, Alison Kivikoski, Sara Lewko, and Toni Pappas of the Committee; Kate Horgan of the Dupont Group.

II. Approval of Past Meeting Minutes

- a. Horgan presents the minutes from the June 6 meeting of the Awards Committee. Bower makes a **MOTION** to approve the minutes. Kivikoski **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.

III. Select Award Recipients from Nominations

- a. Bower makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Kaylee Nason as Strafford Employee of the Year: County Corrections Employee per nomination #1. Kivikoski **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- b. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Arlene Crowell as Cheshire Employee of the Year: County Sheriff Employee per nomination #2. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- c. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Merry Porter as Grafton Employee of the Year: County Employee (Individual) per nomination #3. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- d. Bower makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Senator Jeb Bradley (nomination #4) and Representative Judy Aaron (nomination #5) as State Legislator of the Year. Lewko **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- e. Englund makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of the Carroll County Registry of Deeds as the Carroll County Team Award recipient per nomination #6. Lewko **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- f. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Lisa Clouet, RN BSN as Cheshire Employee of the Year: County Nursing Home Employee per nomination #7. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- g. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Jonathan Banville as Rockingham Employee of the Year: County Corrections Employee per nomination #8. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.

- h. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Sue Steadman as Strafford Employee of the Year: County Employee (Individual) per nomination #10. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- i. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Tonya Prinopoulos as Strafford Employee of the Year: County Nursing Home Employee per nomination #11. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- j. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Parks (Skip) Christenbury as Strafford Employee of the Year: County Sheriff Employee per nomination #12. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- k. Lewko makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Toni Mayo as Grafton Employee of the Year: County Attorney Employee per nomination #13. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- l. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Christopher Fiandaca as Carroll Employee of the Year: County Corrections Employee per nomination #14. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- m. Englund makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of the Rockingham Finance Office as Rockingham County Team Award recipient per nomination #15. Lewko **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- n. makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Joy Macmillan as Rockingham Employee of the Year: County Attorney Employee per nomination #16. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- o. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Paul Lucas as Merrimack Employee of the Year: County Corrections Employee per nomination #17. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- p. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Danielle Smith as Merrimack Employee of the Year: County Sheriff Employee per nomination #18. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- q. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Susan Pelletier as Carroll Employee of the Year: County Nursing Home Employee per nominations #19 and #31. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- r. Lewko makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Thomas Tombarello as County Commissioner of the Year per nomination #20 and #38. Englund explains he would like to support the nomination of Jack Wozmack due to his efforts around the ambulance responsibilities. Kivikoski supports Tombarello's nomination as he has been with

Rockingham for 10 years, was responsible for bringing Meals on Wheels back to Rockingham County, and his efforts on transportation for the elderly and adult programming. Kivikoski also explained that he is leading efforts on their new building that has been in the works for 8 years. Bower expresses support for Tombarello's nomination as Tombarello was an active participant in seeking a new nursing home administrator. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Horgan calls the roll 7-0, the **MOTION PASSES**.

- s. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Lisa Hewett as Rockingham Employee of the Year: County Nursing Home Employee per nomination #21. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- t. Lewko makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Donna Allen as Rockingham Employee of the Year: Assisted Living Employee per nomination #22. Kivikoski **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- u. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Jason Smith as Rockingham Nursing Home Administrator of the Year per nominations #24 and #25. Bower **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- v. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Stacey Daitch as Merrimack Employee of the Year: County Nursing Home Employee per nomination #26. Englund **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- w. Englund makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of IT Department as Merrimack Employee of the Year: County Team Award per nomination #27. Lewko **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- x. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of John Silver as Merrimack Employee of the Year: County Employee (Individual) per nomination #28. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- y. Englund makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Chris Coates as County Administrator of the Year per nomination #29. Kivikoski **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- z. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Doris Pelchat as Hillsborough Employee of the Year: Registry of Deeds Employee per nomination #32. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- aa. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Mary Ann Crowell as Register of Deeds of the Year per nomination #33. Lewko **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.
- bb. Lewko makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Melinda Siranian as Merrimack Employee of the Year: County Attorney Employee per nomination #34. Englund

SECONDS the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.

cc. Kivikoski makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Sarah Heath as the recipient of the Commissioner Ray Burton Community Service Award per nomination #35. Lewko

SECONDS the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.

dd. Englund makes a **MOTION** to accept the nomination of Dennis Calcutt/Connected Families NH-Cheshire County as the Cheshire County Team Award recipient per nomination #39. Lewko **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.

IV. Other Business

a. None

V. Next Meeting

a. The Committee terms expire at the conclusion of the 2022 Annual Conference.

VI. Adjourn

a. Englund makes a **MOTION** to adjourn the meeting. Eldridge **SECONDS** the **MOTION**. Pappas invokes unanimous consent, and hearing no objection, the **MOTION PASSES**.

Minutes prepared by Kate Horgan on July 29, 2022.

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