

Volunteer of the Year

This program is designed to recognize a member who is a dedicated volunteer in your Grange and in your community. The Community Service Chairperson and/or your Grange should select a name to be considered for Volunteer of the Year.

- Judging will be based on the type, quantity and quality of volunteer service performed.
- The Volunteer of the Year Award form is then filled out. The form will can be downloaded from www.orgrange.org/community-service/ or contact the State Director to request the form to be mailed or emailed.
- Write a **short** narrative (750 words maximum) about the nominee's service and accomplishments during the past year (January 1 to December 31). Explain what this member has done for your Grange and your community.
- **NEW** Include the nominee's name and contact information on the entry form.
- Make sure that the Community Service Chairperson and the Subordinate/Community Grange Master sign the completed form. Send the form and narrative to the State Grange Community Service Director postmarked no later than **June 1**.
- The State Director will form a judging committee to select the state winner. Only one winner will be selected from all entries.
- The winner will be announced and presented with a certificate and award at the State Grange Convention.
- **NEW** All those nominated will receive a certificate of thanks.