

# Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. 2026 Community Service Award

## - N O M I N A T I O N F O R M -

The Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award is presented annually as part of the MLK Holiday Celebration in Southfield. The MLK Task Force is currently seeking nominations for the person who best meets the following criteria. *Please note: past recipients (listed at right) are not eligible.*

### **NOMINEES MUST BE:**

1. Southfield or Lathrup Village resident (or employed in either community) that is at least 18 years of age.
2. Dedicated to serving the needs of humanity through demonstrated efforts in the community.
3. Instrumental in the advancement of human and civil rights.
4. Someone who has demonstrated, through his or her own life and work, the values espoused by the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

***To nominate someone, please tell us something about the person you are nominating including the reason you feel s/he has earned the Community Service Award.***

"I nominate \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name, Address, Phone Number, E-mail)

*for the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Service Award because..."*

Include the following information:

Submitted by \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

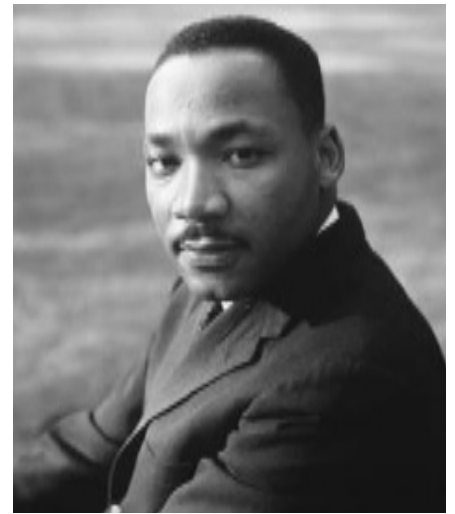
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### ***Send nominations to:***

Dorothy Dean, Community Service Award Committee Chair  
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Task Force, Inc.  
26677 W. Twelve Mile Road, Southfield, Michigan 48034  
Or e-mail: deanlaw@sbcglobal.net

**For more information, call Committee Chair Dorothy Dean at (248) 790-0531.**

**NOMINATION DEADLINE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 2025**



### **PAST SERVICE AWARD WINNERS**

1988	Katharine Schelbe
1989	Dr. William Anderson
1990	Dr. Louise Reid-Ritchie
1991	Judge Stephen Cooper
1992	Irma B. Cooper
1993	Comm. Eric Coleman
1994	Susie M. Hunt
1995	Rev. Mark Jenson
1996	Anne Harp
1997	Barbara E. Talley
1998	Lawrence R. Pernick
1999	Robert Block
2000	Lillian Jaffe-Oaks
2001	Chief Joseph Thomas
2002	Gerald Kuhn
2003	Alan Feuer
2004	Dr. Cecil Rice
2005	Priscilla Lamb
2006	Roy Bell
2007	Felix Seldon
2008	Dr. Karl Gregory
2009	No Recipient Awarded
2010	Barbara Seldon
2011	Ashley N. Thomas
2012	Rev. Angelo Henderson
2013	Patrick Coleman
2014	Herman Sherline
2015	Cherryl Thames
2016	Delores Flagg
2017	Rev. Joan C. Ross
2018	Rosemerry D. Allen
2019	Patricia Haynie
2020	Millie K. Hall
2021	Darla Van Hoey
2022	Richard Smart, III
2023	Bennie White, Jr. Ethiopia Israel
2024	Hon. Brenda Lawrence
2025	Hon. Nancy Quarles