

## **District 6860 Vocational Service Award (01-08-08)**

**Purpose of Award: To recognize, each Rotary year, one non-Rotarian person in District 6860 and one Rotarian in District 6860, both for Vocational Service based on a District, State, Region, National, or World basis (i.e. vocational service recognized significantly beyond the territory of a club).**

- 1) Annual Award based on recognition as excellence in representing and performing in a vocation with recognition of achievement significantly beyond one club's territory.**
- 2) The person(s) to receive the Award is selected by the Council of Governors.**
- 3) Any person residing in the district can be nominated to receive the Award, however, he / she must receive 2 nominations representing different clubs.**
- 4) Either a club in the district or a District 6860 PDG may nominate a person to receive the award, either nomination shall count as one of the two nominations needed for item 3) above. (A club nominating a person and a nomination of that person by a PDG of the same club will need an additional club's or PDG's from another club, nomination.)**
- 5) The DG will announce a nomination process and a schedule to the club presidents and to the PDGs for submitting a nomination; typically this will be in the fall of the year. Nominations and any supporting documentation will be distributed to the PDGs in late fall in time for a selection by action of the Council of Governors at the first Council of Governors meeting of the new year; typically this will be in January of the New year.**
- 6) In the nominating process, the nominating club or nominating PDG will submit a biographical sketch and or supporting documents as indicated by the DG.**
- 7) DG makes appropriate announcement of the recipient and the DG will present the award at a Rotary meeting within the District such as any regular club meeting or the District Conference (wherever located) or District assembly, etc.**
- 8) The district will present suitably worded certificates or plaques.**
- 9) DG may consider District donation to the Rotary Foundation in honor of the recipient (including making the recipient a Paul Harris Fellow).**
- 10) For non-Rotarian recipients, the DG and nominating persons / clubs will consider sponsorship of recipient as a Rotarian, as appropriate, or as a minimum as an honorary member of any appropriate district club.**