

# GRAYSON AGRICULTURAL HALL OF FAME AWARD

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The Hall of Fame Award is sponsored by the County of Grayson in cooperation with the Grayson County Agriculture Advisory Committee.

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**PLEASE COMPLETE ATTACHED APPLICATION AND SUBMIT TO THE GRAYSON AGRICULTURE ADVISORY COMMITTEE BY DECEMBER 15<sup>TH</sup> 2023.**

**Purpose:**

The Grayson Agricultural Hall of Fame was created to honor Grayson Residents who have rendered distinguished service in the science and art of agriculture. Admission of candidates to this position of honor is governed by the Grayson County Agriculture Advisory Committee.

**APPLICANT’S CONTRIBUTION TO AGRICULTURE:**

The performance of the individual must be outstanding and, as a result of his or her efforts, the cause of agriculture materially benefited. The field of activity may have been primarily scientific, practical farming, or a personality who led a great movement of agricultural progress.

**Eligibility:**

Any person born in Grayson County or any person not born in Grayson but who became a citizen of the county and who performed his or her main work relating to agriculture while a resident of Grayson County. Deceased candidates can be nominated.

**Awards:**

The applicant or sponsor of the applicant must complete and submit an application form outlining as completely as possible the work of the candidate and evidence of their effect on the agricultural life of the county. The application/nomination should also cover the biography of the person including:

- Successes and Accomplishments.....(40 points)
- Obstacles Overcome.....(20 points)
- His or Her Personality..... (20 points)
- Any Other information that would be of interest to the nominating committee.....(20 points)

Applications reviewed by the Awards Committee and not awarded this year, may be resubmitted next year by simply updating the original application. Additional support material may be submitted.

For questions about the Grayson Agricultural Hall of Fame application, please contact: Grayson Agriculture Economic Development Department, Lyndsie Young @ 276-773-2471 ext 146 or 276-768-9706.

**All applications must be submitted to the Grayson County Agriculture Advisory Committee by December 15<sup>th</sup> 2023.**

Applications may be hand delivered, mailed or emailed to:

**Grayson Agriculture Economic Development  
Attn: Lyndsie Young  
P.O. Box 217  
Independence, VA 24348  
[lyoung@graysoncountyva.gov](mailto:lyoung@graysoncountyva.gov)**

# GRAYSON AGRICULTURAL HALL OF FAME NOMINATION

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## OFFICIAL ENTRY APPLICATION

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Sponsor (not required): \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant/Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ County of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant/Nominee's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_ Work/Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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1. List applicant/nominee's successes and accomplishments in agricultural activities. Describe the performance of the individual and tell how the efforts of this individual have materially benefited the agricultural life of the county?

2. List any obstacles applicant/nominee has overcome:

3. Describe applicant/nominee's Personality. Include any Community Leadership activities (church, local boards and organizations).

4. Include any other information that would be of interest to the nomination committee not listed above:

(Additional pages may be added to complete any questions you do not have room for.)

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**\*\*Please note, award winners will be asked to submit photos in order to create a power point slide presentation acknowledging their work\*\***