

# **Award Eligibility Criteria/Nomination Rules**

- 1. Nominators may nominate as many eligible candidates as they would like, but must submit a separate nomination form for each candidate. The number of nominations received for each nominee does not affect the judging criteria or the selection process.
- 2. All entries must be submitted in the form requested. Nomination forms must be submitted by the 5 pm PST deadline on Friday, May 12, 2023.
- 3. The contact information for the nominator <u>must</u> be provided. However, the nominator will remain anonymous if requested.
- 4. Each individual nominee must be a resident in PBS Reno's viewing area. Each business or organization nominee must have a presence in the PBS Reno viewing area. However, businesses do not have to be locally owned; and
- 5. Show measurable evidence of the validity of the nominee's philanthropic leadership, volunteerism and impact, which must have occurred between January 1, 2022 and May 12, 2023.

## • Extraordinary Community Group

 This award recognizes an organization that has offered outstanding service, guidance, knowledge, emotional or physical support, and/or mentorship to their community. Eligible community groups must have on-the-ground operations in PBS Reno's northern Nevada and northeastern California viewing area.

### • Extraordinary Local Business

 This award recognizes a business whose dedication and contributions have demonstrated a tremendous impact on their local communities. Eligible businesses must have on-the-ground operations in PBS Reno's northern Nevada and northeastern California viewing areas. Businesses do not have to be locally owned.



#### Extraordinary Educator

 This award recognizes an educator who has distinguished themselves in their community; by going above and beyond the regular duties of an educator to truly make an impact on a school, district, college, or community. Eligible nominees must be located in PBS Reno's northern Nevada and northeastern California viewing areas.

#### Extraordinary Student

 This award recognizes a student who has distinguished themselves in in northern Nevada through their inspiration, dedication, motivation, or acts of kindness regardless of grade or age. Eligible nominees must be located in PBS Reno's northern Nevada and northeastern California viewing areas.

## • Extraordinary Individual

 This award recognizes an individual who has distinguished themselves in northern Nevada through their inspiration, dedication, motivation, or acts of kindness. Eligible nominees must be located in PBS Reno's northern Nevada and northeastern California viewing areas.