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HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL

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April 8, 2014

Dear Nominator:

The New Jersey Human Relations Council will hold its **18th Annual Leadership Conference on May 21, 2014 at the Hughes Justice Complex, 4th Floor Conference Center, 25 Market Street, Trenton, NJ 08625**. Included in the day's events will be the **Annual Unity Achievement Awards presentation**.

Enclosed you will find the description of the award categories as well as the nomination form for your submission based on the categories listed. You may make copies of the form for multiple nominations, and we also encourage you to pass this information along to any colleagues who are interested in submitting their own nominations. Nominees should have worked with the community and public, as well as other groups, in the areas of crisis intervention, service delivery and prejudice prevention as it relates to children of incarcerated parents.

After you have reviewed this information, kindly submit your nomination(s) as instructed on the nomination form. The DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS FRIDAY APRIL 25, 2014.

If you have questions and/or comments regarding the Awards Program and/or the Leadership Conference, please contact Ms. Linda Spagnuolo, NJ Division on Civil Rights, at 609-292-7703 or [Humanrelations@njdcj.org](mailto:Humanrelations@njdcj.org).

Thank you in advance for your submissions. The Awards Committee looks forward to reviewing your nominations.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jim Peeler".

Jim Peeler  
Chairperson



# NJ HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL UNITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

For Outstanding Achievement  
in Community Relations

## NOMINATION FORM

I am pleased to nominate the following individual(s) or organization for a New Jersey Human Relations Council UNITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD:

CATEGORY:	
NAME:	
TITLE:	
ORGANIZATION:	
ADDRESS:	
CITY/STATE/ZIP	
PHONE:	
FAX:	
E-MAIL	

Please attach:

A summary paragraph for your nominee followed by bulleted items of supporting data stating the ways in which your nominee best exemplifies the efforts and achievements in the areas of community involvement and diversity. Nominees should have worked with the community and public, as well as other groups, in the areas of crisis intervention, service delivery, and prejudice prevention as it relates to children of incarcerated parents.

PLEASE DO NOT EXCEED ONE PAGE.

Please e-mail your submission by April 25, 2014 to: [humanrelations@njdcj.org](mailto:humanrelations@njdcj.org)

If you do not have e-mail access, you may submit the form via fax to:  
NJ Human Relations Council, attn.: Linda Spagnuolo at 609-292-3458



## NJ HUMAN RELATIONS COUNCIL UNITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The New Jersey Human Relations Council UNITY AWARDS are designed to recognize exceptional individuals, corporations, agencies, organizations and institutions who live and/or work in the State of New Jersey and have made outstanding contributions promoting diversity and unity in their communities.

This year we are recognizing individuals who have worked or supported efforts in the area of support for the children of incarcerated parents. The New Jersey Human Relations Council recognizes that the circumstances of the lives of these children are often unnoticed, but they present a human rights issue which impacts millions of individuals, families and communities in New Jersey. Accordingly, this year's award ceremony will recognize the significant and ground-breaking work that has been done in the state of New Jersey in the area of support for children of incarcerated parents.

We invite nominations for awards in the following categories:

- Achievement by a Corporation (include notable individuals)
- Achievement by a Non-Profit Organization (include notable individuals)
- Achievement by an Individual
- Achievement by a Student
- Achievement in Journalism
- Achievement in Law Enforcement
- Achievement in Education
- Achievement in Public Service
- Achievement in the Faith Community (include notable individuals)

Award recipients will be honored during the 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Leadership Conference, May 21, 2014. All nominations are due by April 25, 2014. Please see attached materials for your nomination submission instructions. **Honorees will be notified after careful review by the committee.**

For information or assistance, please contact:

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