

# Seattle Disability Commission 2023 Jubilee Awards Nomination Form

The Seattle Disability Commission will highlight two individuals for the **Lifetime Dianne Laurine Achievement Award** and the **Business Leader Award** this year. Please complete the following award nomination form and provide a 1-page description of your nominee's contributions. In addition, provide a link or attach a file that helps showcase the nominee's work in advocacy. This can be a resume or cover letter, links to their social media platform or a video, article, blog, or an event highlighting their work; an endorsement letter or recommendation; or any other material you feel best represents their work.

## **Lifetime Dianne Laurine Achievement**

**Award:** This lifetime achievement award is given to a person with a disability who has demonstrated a long-term commitment to breaking the barriers that impede people with

disabilities and through this advocacy has significantly advanced the rights of Seattleites with disabilities.

Eligibility Criteria: Nominees should include individuals who have dedicated their careers to making major contributions to the improvement of health, accessibility, and the quality of life for people with disabilities through research, teaching, advocacy, or practice and who have been locally, nationally and/or internationally recognized for their work.

**Business Leader Award:** This award is given to a business or organization that has made a significant contribution to advancing the rights and/or lives of people with disabilities in Seattle. The advancement may come in many ways including progressive employment practices, technological advances, and anti-stigma policies and practices.

Eligibility Criteria: Nominees must demonstrate ability, advocacy, access, or achievements in Seattle; Recognize

inclusion and commitment of people with disabilities; Business must conduct business or be located in Seattle, WA.

### **Nominee Information**

Name of Award being nominated:

Name of Nominee:

Best Contact:

Phone/Email:

### **Nominator Information**

Name of Nominator:

Best Contact:

Phone/Email:

**Please submit nominations with all attachments to Janet Stafford, City of Seattle Advisory Commission Liaison at [Janet.Stafford@seattle.gov](mailto:Janet.Stafford@seattle.gov) with the title “2023 Awards Nomination.”**

**The deadline is Wednesday, November 8, 2023.**

Awardees will be notified by the end of November and will be highlighted on the Seattle

Disability Commission outlets and in person at the Seattle Human Rights Day event at Town Hall on Thursday, December 14, 2023.