



**Calvert County Commission for Women**  
**2022 OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS**  
***NOMINATION CRITERIA***

Each year, the Calvert County Commission for Women (CCCW) recognizes Calvert County women – and a *Woman of Tomorrow* age 20 or younger – who are models of outstanding achievement and have made significant contributions to our community. The Commission urges you to nominate a Calvert woman or girl who meets the criteria for these important awards.

The Commission for Women will honor its awardees at the 19<sup>th</sup> annual Calvert County WOW (*Women of the World*) Awards Celebration on Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> 2022. The event will be held *virtually from 11:00am-1:30 pm* in partnership with the Calvert Library. CCCW honorees will receive individual proclamations highlighting their accomplishments and impact from the Calvert County Board of County Commissioners.

**There are four award categories.** Typically one person is selected for each category.

**Advocacy:** To honor a woman for outstanding leadership, courage, tenacity, and effectiveness to support policies and practices that improve the lives of Calvert County women or girls.

**Business Leadership:** To honor a woman for leadership and effectively implementing business practices that improves the economic status of Calvert County women or girls.

**Service:** To honor a woman whose service to community has improved the quality of life for Calvert County women or girls.

**Woman of Tomorrow:** To honor a girl or young woman (age 20 or younger) for effective leadership in the field of advocacy, business, or service to community. Note that the main criterion is *impact on our community*, not academics.

**Criteria for Selection** – A nominee must:

- Exemplify the characteristics of awardees described above – outstanding achievements and positive impact;
- Have been a resident of Calvert County for at least five years;
- Be age 21 or older for the *Advocacy*, *Business Leadership*, and *Service* awards and age 20 or younger for the *Woman of Tomorrow*;
- Have a completed Nomination Form submitted no later than **December 31, 2021**, either via email to [calvertwomen@gmail.com](mailto:calvertwomen@gmail.com).

**Please use the Nomination Form on the following page.**

You can also download the Form from [www.calvertwomen.org](http://www.calvertwomen.org)

Completed Nomination Forms are due to the Calvert County Commission for Women by **December 31, 2021.**

## NOMINATION FORM

### 2022 Outstanding Achievement Awards

#### Calvert County Commission for Women

**Award for which this person is being nominated** *Check one. See the descriptions and criteria on the previous page.*

**ADVOCACY**

**SERVICE**

**BUSINESS LEADERSHIP**

**WOMAN OF TOMORROW** (age 20 or younger)

*How Old? \_\_\_ What Grade? \_\_\_ What School? \_\_\_\_\_*

#### Information About the *Person Being Nominated*

Name of *Person Being Nominated*: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone numbers: *Home*: \_\_\_\_\_ *Cell*: \_\_\_\_\_ *Work, if applicable*: \_\_\_\_\_

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

How many years has this person been a Calvert County resident? (*5 years minimum*) \_\_\_\_\_ *years*

Will this person participate in the 2022 WOW Awards Celebration if selected?  *Yes*  *No*

#### Information About the *Nominator*

Name of *Nominator*: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone numbers: *Home*: \_\_\_\_\_ *Cell*: \_\_\_\_\_ *Work, if applicable*: \_\_\_\_\_

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

How do you know the nominee? What is your relationship to her? \_\_\_\_\_

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In one sentence, summarize why this woman should receive the *Advocacy*, *Business Leadership*, or *Service* award – or why this girl/young woman should receive the *Woman of Tomorrow* award – citing her impacts, achievements, and/or contributions.

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**On a separate sheet of paper, please answer the two questions below – about accomplishments and impact. *No more than 200 words per question. In Microsoft Word format, if possible.***

- 1. Describe the achievements or accomplishments that qualify this woman/girl for this award. (200 words max)**  
*Give specific examples relevant to the area – Advocacy, Business Leadership, Service, or Woman of Tomorrow. For Advocacy, Business Leadership, and Service, indicate if the nomination is for volunteer or work-related activities: if work-related, please explain how the nominee went “above and beyond.”*
- 2. Describe what difference she has made in our community. Describe the impact– how others and the community have benefited from her actions and accomplishments. (200 words max)**  
*Give specific examples of her efforts, its impact, and who was affected.*

**(OPTIONAL)** We encourage you to include one or two letters of support (*no more than one page each*).