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– Citizen of the Year Nomination –

Sponsored by the Greater York Region Chamber of Commerce

Please help us recognize a deserving citizen who gives their time and talent for the benefit of our community by nominating them for Citizen of the Year. If you have nominated someone in the past - you may re-submit an application - each year many are nominated, but only one person is chosen annually.

The Process:

Selection: The Festival of Lights committee will review all nominations. This committee is comprised of 14 York community members who then choose 5 finalists. These nominations are submitted to the Greater York Region Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors who then make the final decision.

Criteria: Volunteer efforts must benefit the town of York. Nominee does not have to be a resident of York. Chamber Board of Directors are not eligible.

Deadline for nominations is **August 7, 2009**. Winner will be announced at the Annual Chamber Member BBQ on August 26, 2009 and be recognized in the official Harvestfest Program, at the Harvestfest Volunteer Appreciation Reception at Jefferds Tavern, at the Harvestfest Opening Ceremonies and be the Grand Marshal for the Festival of Lights Parade.

Questions? Call Cathy Goodwin, Chamber President at 207-363-4422 or email cathy@yorkme.org

Name of Nominee: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

List projects the volunteer has worked on, causes they have been involved with, and (or) boards or Committees served on etc., that has benefited the community of York:

Describe why you think this person should be given the Citizen of the Year Award *(use an additional sheet if needed)*:

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

The committee may need your help getting your nominee to the reception if chosen (we try to surprise them) and may have additional questions about your nominee.

**RETURN TO: Citizen of the Year, c/o Greater York Region Chamber
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