

THE MINNESOTA JAYCEES

STATESMAN AWARD

APPLICATION

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Purpose:

An honors program to enable a local Jaycee chapter and/or the Minnesota Jaycees Statesman to recognize the outstanding efforts of a Jaycee on the local or state level for extraordinary dedication to the Jaycee movement. This is a prestigious honor and should not be given indiscriminately. Dedication and service to the Jaycee movement are two of the most important criteria for this award.

Minimum criteria for the award:

1. Minimum of three consecutive years of membership in the local chapter.
2. Outstanding service in any combination of two or more of the following:
 - ◆ an elected local officer
 - ◆ a district or regional director
 - ◆ a state officer or state program manager
 - ◆ involvement in district, regional or state events
3. Local project chairman of a **major** project and/or worked on a minimum of five **major** chapter projects (Please List Projects).

While serving in any of these above listed areas, outstanding dedication should be noted. Extraordinary long-term dedication and service to the Jaycees should be evident.

Application process:

- ◆ Applications must be filled out completely and accompanied by the proper payment.
- ◆ Each application must be accompanied by letters of support by:
 1. The Chapter President of the nominating chapter or nominating person.
 2. A *minimum* of two Minnesota Statesman - one of which is outside the nominating chapter.
- ◆ All criteria will be reviewed by a screening committee appointed by the current Minnesota Jaycees Statesman President. Award recommendations will be made to the current Statesman President. Final approval will be made by the Statesman President and Minnesota Jaycees' State President.

Each Statesman will receive:

- ◆ Minnesota Jaycees Statesman mounted certificate
- ◆ Minnesota Jaycees Statesman pin
- ◆ Minnesota Jaycees Statesman nametag (numbered)
- ◆ Membership dues in the Minnesota Jaycees organization for the remainder of the year including all benefits provided. (Exception: chapters honoring with Life Membership)

Cost:

\$100 per Statesman Honored with check issued to "Minnesota Jaycees Statesman"
Optional: Additional \$100 for Life Time Membership

Application Deadline

Applications must be received six weeks prior to the requested date of presentation. Statesman presentations may be at local chapter, district, region or state functions or meetings. Presentation dates must be pre-arranged with the Statesman President.

Please direct questions to the current Statesman President.
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MINNESOTA JAYCEES STATESMANSHIP APPLICATION

(Please type or print clearly - *all* areas must be completed)

The _____ Jaycees would like to make an application to the Minnesota Jaycees Statesman for a Statesmanship to be presented to:

Applicant's Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle) (Date of Birth)

Address: _____
(PO Box, Street) (City) (Zip Code)

Region: _____ District: _____

Personal Information:

Spouse's Name: _____

Children / Ages: _____

Occupation: _____ Company Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Business Phone: _____
(Area Code) (Area Code)

Jaycee Information:

Name of Local Chapter: _____ Date Joined: _____

Offices Held (Including Current Office):

_____	Year _____	_____	Year _____
_____	Year _____	_____	Year _____
_____	Year _____	_____	Year _____

Major Projects Chaired (Please List): _____

Major Projects Served on and Type of Involvement (List Year, Project, & Involvement -- Example: 2005 Sandbox Fill/Drove Truck, '03 & '04 Haunted House/Organized Manpower) _____

Honors Received – Local, District, Region, Area, State, National (List Individually/Specifically):

_____ Year _____ _____ Year _____
_____ Year _____ _____ Year _____
_____ Year _____ _____ Year _____

Explain why the applicant deserves to be honored as a Statesman. Please be specific. (This is in *addition* to the minimum of three letters of recommendation - one from the chapter president or nominating person and two from Minnesota Statesman - one of which is outside the nominating chapter)

Presentation Information:

Requested date and location of formal Presentation: _____

Contact person: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Please indicate type of honor and submit appropriate payment:

Statesman 1 year Membership - cost \$100

Statesman with LIFE TIME MEMBERSHIP - cost \$200

Approved by _____ Date: _____
(Signature of Chapter President or nominating person)

Approved by _____ Date: _____
(Signature of Statesman President)

Approved by _____ Date: _____
(Signature of Minnesota Jaycees' State President)

Please mail completed application form, letters of recommendation and appropriate payment to:

**Minnesota Jaycees Statesman President
2101 West Highway 13
Burnsville, MN 55337**