
Congressional

Partnership Awards

Honoring Members of Congress
Who Have Demonstrated Leadership
in Promoting Regional Development

*A Unique Opportunity
to Recognize Your
Members of Congress*

AWARDS NOMINATION PACKET



A Biennial Program of the
NADO Washington Policy Conference
Marriott Crystal Gateway
March 19-21, 2012

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATIONS
400 North Capitol Street, NW • Suite 390 • Washington, DC 20001
202.624.7806 • www.nado.org • info@nado.org

REGIONAL SOLUTIONS. PARTNERSHIPS. STRATEGIES.

Call for Nominations

About the Awards Program:

A biennial component of the Washington Policy Conference, the **NADO Congressional Partnership Awards Program** is a valuable tool for recognizing members of Congress who exhibit outstanding leadership and support of federal regional development programs. Nominations may be submitted by individual member organizations or by state associations of regional councils / regional development organizations.

Presentations are typically made by NADO members during Capitol Hill visits at the Washington Policy Conference, scheduled for March 19-21, 2012 and/or during events and meetings in the congressional district or state.

How to Nominate a Member of Congress:

Complete the nomination form and fax to 202.624.8813 by Friday, February 24. A separate form is required for each nominated member of Congress.

Criteria for Award Selection—

Nominees will be evaluated based on their support of NADO policies and priorities in addition to cooperation with regional development organizations in their district and state. Award winners will be announced in *NADO News* prior to the Washington Policy Conference. NADO members make award presentations to selected lawmakers during Capitol Hill visits on March 19-21 during the Washington Policy Conference and/or during meetings in the congressional district or state.

Limit of one award per Member of Congress.

Award Cost:

A \$150 fee will be charged to the nominating organization for each award winner. If more than one NADO member nominates a winner, the cost may be divided among the nominating organizations. The fee covers the actual cost of the award. NADO will also provide materials to help promote the award presentation to the media and local constituents, including a press release and background information about the award.

For More Information:

Contact NADO Associate Legislative Director Jennifer Walsh at 202.624.8467 or jwalsh@nado.org.

Deadline: Friday, February 24

Fax Nomination Forms: 202.624.8813

Congressional
Partnership Awards

A NADO Program Honoring Members of Congress Who Have Demonstrated
Leadership in Promoting Regional Community and Economic Development

Nomination Form

PLEASE COMPLETE AND SUBMIT A FORM FOR EACH NOMINEE



Nominee Information:

Senator / Representative _____

A.) Has been supportive on the following issues:

- Support using existing regional development organizations as primary partners in planning and delivering federal programs
- EDA reauthorization and annual appropriations
- Strengthening the role of local officials in transportation planning
- Regional and local projects and special initiatives
- Other: _____

B.) Please briefly describe below ways the nominee has demonstrated support of regional development issues.

NADO Member Information:

- Nomination from State Association
- Nomination from Individual NADO Member Organization

Name: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____

Note: NADO will send an invoice for awards fee to the contact listed above.

Return Nomination Forms to NADO by Friday, February 24

Fax: 202.624.8813

Questions
...
Contact
NADO
Associate
Legislative Director
Jennifer Walsh
at
202.624.8467
or
jwalsh@nado.org

*An Exciting and
Unique Opportunity
to Recognize
Your Members of Congress*

Congressional Partnership Awards

Honoring Members of Congress Who Have Demonstrated
Leadership in Promoting Regional Economic Development

**A Biennial Program of the
NADO Washington Policy Conference
March 19-21, 2012
Marriott Crystal Gateway • Arlington, VA**

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATIONS
400 NORTH CAPITOL STREET, NW • SUITE 390 • WASHINGTON, DC 20001
TEL: 202.624.7806 • FAX: 202.624.8813
WEBSITES: NADO.ORG • RURALTRANSPORTATION.ORG
EMAIL: INFO@NADO.ORG