

# **NORTHEAST MISSOURI LIVESTOCK PERSON OF THE YEAR AWARD**

## General Information

- Name of Award: Northeast Missouri Livestock Person of the Year
- Awards Given: 18" x 24" framed oil portrait with plaque of recipient(s) to be used for public display at the discretion of the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee. Additional plaque awarded to recipient at the Missouri Livestock Symposium.
- Objectives: To duly honor livestock or forage leaders from Northeast Missouri who have made significant contributions to the progress and well-being of the livestock industry.

## Selection Process

A selection screening committee, appointed by and approved by the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee, will rate the top application(s). These will then be sent to the Missouri Livestock Person of the Year Committee, which will in turn submit their recommendation(s) to the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee for final approval.

## Eligible Applicants

1. Eligible applicants must have been residents (do not have to be current residents) of one of the following Northeast Missouri Counties: Adair, Clark, Knox, Lewis, Linn, Macon, Marion, Monroe, Pike, Putnam, Randolph, Ralls, Schuyler, Scotland, Shelby or Sullivan.
2. Individual receiving award must have made a significant contribution to the livestock industry.
3. Producers, agribusiness personnel, agency personnel, or agricultural educators or researchers are all eligible to receive this award. Other parties who have been long-time supporters of the northeast Missouri livestock industry will also be seriously considered.

Application Fee: None

Application Deadline: All applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., May 1 of the current year.

Photo Requirements: Wallet size or larger color photo of applicant must accompany the application. A posed head and shoulder print is desired. In the case of older photos, if color photos are not possible, check with committee at number provided on the last page of this application.

\*Please note: All application materials and submitted photos become property of the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee and will not be returned, unless formally requested.

# NORTHEAST MISSOURI LIVESTOCK PERSON OF THE YEAR AWARD APPLICATION

## **Section A: General Information**

Name of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Submitter: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommended family contact(s) if different than applicant or submitter shown above.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

\* a family contact may be needed should the committee require more information about the applicant.

## **Section B: Background Information** - Applicant's involvement in the livestock industry.

\_\_\_ Livestock Producer: Beef Cattle Horses Sheep Swine Meat Goats Forages

Other, please specify \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Agribusiness Affiliation – please specify type of affiliation or job title.

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\_\_\_ Agricultural education or agency affiliated with livestock production. Give position title or job description.

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## **Section C: Please list support information** about this applicant (awards, honors, organizations, personal statement, etc.).

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**Section D: Release Form**

Applicants or family members are required to sign the release form below which allows the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee to process the application and publicize this award should the applicant be chosen. This form should be signed, dated and returned with the application package.

Applicant's signature \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of applicant \_\_\_\_\_

Date of signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_

The above signatures indicate the applicant, or those representing the applicant, agree to allow the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee and its committees to proceed with the selection and review process and further allows the Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee to publicize this applicant as the award winner should that occur.

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**Check List of Items Required for Submission of Missouri Livestock Person of the Year**

**✓ to be sure you have everything:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Completed application – Sections A, B, C, and D are complete?
- \_\_\_\_\_ Signed and dated Release Form (Section D).
- \_\_\_\_\_ Wallet size or larger color photo of applicant (If not available contact the number below for help.)

**Application Deadline:** Must be received by 5:00 p.m., May 1 of current year.

**All applications must be submitted to:**

Missouri Livestock Symposium Committee  
Adair County Extension Center  
503 E. Northtown Road  
Kirksville, MO 63501

**Questions should be directed to:**

Garry Mathes, 660-341-6625  
Andy Jackson, 660-349-0988  
Adair Co. Extension Center, 660-665-9866