



Blount-Oneonta

Chamber of Commerce

The Pat Bellew Award for Blount County's Outstanding Citizen

This project was adopted by the Blount County-Oneonta Chamber of Commerce in 1983. Since that time, the Chamber has honored many of those leaders who have made a positive and lasting contribution on Blount County that has helped make this a better place to live, work and raise a family.

The purpose of the Pat Bellew Award for Blount County's Outstanding Citizen is to recognize the outstanding accomplishments of individuals in Blount County. The success of the program depends entirely upon the participation of individuals throughout the county.

Nominations should include a written statement about the individual's accomplishments and why that individual should be considered for the award. The nominee should be dedicated to community service, have accomplished outstanding goals or tasks in a community service role, have achieved an outstanding status in the community and be a resident of Blount County. Please include the attached form with your written statement.

The recipient is honored at the Chamber's Annual Dinner held in March of each year.

Selection of the Pat Bellew Citizen of the Year will be made by secret ballot by a committee of five individuals from across Blount County. This selection committee will be appointed by the Executive Board of the Blount County-Oneonta Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors. This year's executive board is John Bullard, Chairman; Richard Phillips, First Vice Chair; T Ray Mauldin, Second Vice Chair; Johnna Pannell, Treasurer; and Weslie Powell, Chairman Emeritus.

Please note, current members of the Chamber board, elected officials and those running for public office will not be eligible for the award.



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Name of Nominee: _____

Occupation/Profession: _____

Contact Information: _____

Community Service/Accomplishments:

Your Name: _____

Signature: _____