



2025

DREAM KEEPER AWARD

For
Community Involvement
Social Responsibility
And
Human Service

Sponsored by the
City of Rock Hill Community Relations Council

The Award

The Dream Keeper Award recognizes exemplary displays of committed service to the tenets of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the ultimate dreamer. The ideals of social responsibility, political empowerment, diversity, racial harmony, nonviolence, and unselfish service must be demonstrated in a volunteer capacity by the nominee on behalf of his or her community and fellow citizens.

Eligibility

- A nominee must have demonstrated consistent concern, interest and contributions toward enhancing the welfare and well-being of his or her fellow citizens.
- A nominee must have an outstanding record of human affairs contributions to the citizenry of Rock Hill and York County, South Carolina.
- A nominee must promote, encourage and inspire awareness, acceptance and appreciation among people of our community for the legacy and philosophy of celebrating diversity, tolerance, nonviolence, social justice and love.

Nomination Form for the 2025 Dream Keeper Award

Nominee Information

Name:

Address:

Phone Number:

To the best of your ability, please give information about the nominee in the **five categories** below. Use as much detail and as many specific examples as possible. Please make answers as complete as possible. Please use additional paper if needed and attach any pertinent background information.

- 1. Give a brief introduction of the nominee, current profession, work affiliation, and professional background.**

- 2. Comment on volunteer human service activities or programs in which the nominee has been involved.**

- 3. Give examples of how the nominee has contributed to problem solving of human service issues by promoting Dr. King's example of tolerance and social justice.**

- 4. Explain how the nominee has improved the quality of life in the community.**

- 5. Describe any professional or community leadership achievements in service/civic organizations, etc. that have had an impact on the community.**

For verification and/or further information, please contact:

Nominator Name:

Nominator Phone:

Nominator Email:

I _____ certify that the above information is accurate and true to the best of my abilities.

Print Name

Signature: _____

Please return your nomination form to:

**Jason Weil
City of Rock Hill
Community Relations Council
PO Box 11706
Rock Hill, SC 29731**

**DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF NOMINATIONS:
December 16, 2024**

Winner will be announced at the 2025 Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration Event.

The City of Rock Hill Community Relations Council promotes respect, appreciation and understanding of diversity among all people in our community by promoting positive human relations and reducing discrimination and assessing and responding to the human relations needs of our community, as well as serving as a source of information and advocating and recognizing change to achieve our mission. Three City Committees: The Human Relations Committee, Martin Luther King, Jr. Committee, and No Room for Racism Committee were combined to form this Council on March 10, 2014.

For more information about the City of Rock Hill Community Relations Council, please call Jason Weil at (803) 329-8783.