



2023 Citizen of the Year **Award Criteria**

The Citizen of the Year award is presented annually by the Henderson-Vance County Chamber of Commerce to an individual whose outstanding service and dedication has made a significant contribution to the community. Qualities and criteria looked for are as follows:

- A person who is a resident of Vance County.
- A person who has shown a willingness to volunteer for community organizations, giving freely of their time and talents, is enthusiastic about the community and its citizens, and who serves in positions working for the betterment of the community.
- Someone who is dedicated to the community, lends leadership and vision, and who assists in achieving organizational goals of the community. They may serve on service, school, church, or civic committees.
- A person with the qualities of honesty and integrity.
- The community work they are involved with should not be a part of their business career or paid positions they have held.

The recipient does not have to be a member of the Henderson-Vance County Chamber of Commerce. A nominee need only be nominated once to be considered. The number of nominations received per nominee will bear no weight in their selection.

The Process

- If you know an individual that you feel should be recognized for their contributions and meets the above criteria, please complete the back side of this form.
- Completed nomination forms should be returned to the Chamber of Commerce office no later than Friday, February 2nd at 5:00 pm. Please email to sandra@hendersonvance.org or mail to P.O. Box 1302, Henderson, NC 27536
- An anonymous selection committee will review all nominations and select the winner based on the criteria presented.
- The winner will be announced at the Chamber's Annual Meeting and Banquet scheduled for March 7th.
- Questions? Call Sandra Wilkerson, Chamber President at 252-438-8414

