

Nominate Your Neighbor For The "Good Neighbor Award"

The Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship and the Iowa Radio Network have created a partnership to honor Iowa livestock producers for their commitment and continued dedication to the care of the land, the environment and their livestock.

Secretary Patty Judge stated, "We are calling on the neighbors of livestock producers, the people living with the operation year round, to nominate producers and tell us why their neighbor should be designated a Good Neighbor. We want these nominations to be a grassroots process. The award will honor those livestock producers who exhibit the qualities that we as rural citizens know characterize a good neighbor."

Iowans who wish to nominate a neighbor should write a letter or e-mail explaining why their neighbor should receive this designation.

Applications may be submitted to:

Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship
Good Neighbor Award
Henry A. Wallace Building
Des Moines, IA 50319
E-mail: agri@idals.state.ia.us

In the e-mail subject line please type: Good Neighbor Award Nomination. The application should detail the livestock producer's commitment to the environment, community, neighbors, and preserving the land for future generations.

A monthly winner will receive an award plaque and will be interviewed on the Iowa Ag Radio Program. The winners will also be featured in the Lobby of the Wallace Building and the department's State Fair booth, with photos illustrating the winning qualities of the producer's operation.

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