



**Advocacy365 Member Advocate of the Year Award**

Nominating Deadline: Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>.

*“We in America do not have government by the majority. We have government by the majority who participate.”*  
~ Thomas Jefferson

Grassroots advocacy is vital to the political efforts of our association. It is the efforts of individuals at the local level to influence public policy that can make the difference at the state and national level. Therefore, NAA Government Affairs wants to recognize you, the individual advocate, for your outstanding work on behalf of our industry. This award recognizes the work that individual advocates voluntarily do for the apartment industry throughout the year, including meeting with elected officials, sending a letter or making a phone call to your member of Congress, recruiting members to join NAAPAC and more.

Nominations will be reviewed by the NAA Advocacy and Engagement Subcommittee, Legislative Committee Chair, the NAAPAC Chair, and the previous year’s Chairman of the NAA Board of Directors.

The Member Advocate of the Year will be announced at the 2019 Assembly of Delegates meeting in November and featured in a subsequent issue of *units* Magazine and receive complimentary registration for the 2020 Advocate Conference and Lobby Day in Washington DC. For more information please contact Peter Fromknecht at [PFromknecht@naahq.org](mailto:PFromknecht@naahq.org) or 703-797-0618.

Nominee’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee’s Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State: \_\_\_\_\_

Affiliate Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Did the nominee participate in the following suggested FEDERAL activities?

- Attend the Capitol Conference
- Participate in Lobby Day on Capitol Hill
- Participate in two (2) of the following:
  - Town hall meeting
  - Tele-town hall meeting
  - Meet with a Member of Congress during a constituent work week or the August congressional recess or conduct a property tour with a Member of Congress
- Take action on a legislative action alert by:
  - Calling or sending an email, letter, or fax to your U.S. Representative or U.S. Senator

Did the nominee participate in the following suggested STATE or LOCAL activities?

- Attend two (2) of the following: a City Council, County Board of Supervisors or State Legislature committee meeting
- Participate in a State Legislative Day event
- Take action of a local or state issue by:
  - Calling or sending an email, letter or fax to your City or County Councilman or State Legislator

Did the nominee participate in the following “above & beyond” suggested activities?

- Recruit two (2) additional industry members to attend Congressional meetings during lobby day, a constituent work week, or August congressional recess
- Author a published op-ed or letter to the editor on a local, state, or federal industry issue
- Speak on behalf of the industry at a town hall meeting or local meeting with elected officials

