



Smart Growth America

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

2012 Smart Growth America's Leadership Institute Awards

Smart Growth America's Leadership Institute's (SGALI) Award for Outstanding Leadership is bestowed annually on an elected official that has shown outstanding leadership in smart growth policy development or implementation.

Deadline for nominations: September 1, 2011

Eligibility

Individuals nominated for this award must have served as an elected official in state or local government.

Judging criteria

Nominees will be judged on their efforts and success at:

- Developing innovative state or local policy to address growth and development challenges;
- Implementing efforts of smart growth policy at either the state or local level; *or*
- Contributing to the body knowledge of smart growth policy.

Nominations will be reviewed by Smart Growth America.

Submission

Nominations will be accepted from only those affiliated with organizations that are Smart Growth America coalition members. Application forms must be filled out online at:

<http://www.smartgrowthamerica.org/2012-leadership-awards>

Submissions must include a narrative (500-word limit) of how the nominee meets the respective award criteria. The narrative's main purpose is to answer this question: What distinguishes the nominated person from others and so merits an award?

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Awards ceremony

The award will be presented during Smart Growth America's reception at the New Partners for Smart Growth conference, February 2-4, 2012 in San Diego, CA. The recipient of the SGALI awards will receive a personalized award and will be featured on Smart Growth America's website.

Contact

Should you have questions about the award criteria or how to complete the form, contact Shelly Hazle, Program Manager, Smart Growth America, 202-207-3355 x120, shazle@smartgrowthamerica.org.