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Nominations sought for disability advocate awards

Nominations are now being accepted for the Mayor's Disability Advocate of the Year Awards.

Every year the Houston Commission on Disabilities honors two local advocates, one with a disability and one non-disabled, for helping increase awareness of disability issues, eliminate barriers for the disabled and represent those unable to represent themselves. The commission also selects a junior advocate to honor a youth 18 years of age or under.

Nomination forms and additional information about the awards are available by calling 713-803-1074 or online at www.houstontx.gov/disabilities. A biography highlighting the volunteer efforts and services rendered by a nominee must accompany the nomination form.

Nominations must be postmarked by Aug. 31 and sent to City of Houston, Attn.: Jeff Anderson, P.O. Box 1562, Houston, Texas 77251.

The Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities is part of the Houston Department of Health and Human Services.

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