Kansas State Grange
Distinguished Service to Agriculture Award

Nomination Form

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| Submission Date: ……………….. |

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| **NAME OF NOMINEE (Person/Group):** Address:  Phone Number(s): Email Address: |
| **NAME OF NOMINATING GRANGE:** Contact at Grange: Phone Numbers(s): Email Address:  |

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| Background of Nominee (occupation, responsibilities, other functions participating in):  |
| Brief explanation why your Grange is nominating this Person/Group:  |

**DEADLINES/SELECTION & AWARD PROCESS GUIDELINES:**

* Nomination Form must be received by STATE SECRETARY on or before August 20th each year.
* Nominations will be reviewed, and an award recipient decided upon, if appropriate, at the Executive Board’s August meeting.
* Plaque presentation to the Award recipient will be made at the Annual Celebration Banquet at the State Grange Convention each year.
* The State Secretary will notify Award recipient of their selection and the details of the presentation date/time. Nominating Grange/Contact will also be contacted.

**HISTORY/CRITERIA**:

* Since 1952, the Kansas State Grange has recognized and honored Kansans for distinguished service to agriculture. The State Executive Board approved this nomination form in June 2015.
* Past recipients have included, and future recipients may include, but not be limited to: operating crop and livestock farmers and ranchers; national, state and local legislative leaders and boards; media networks and entertainment groups; commercial merchants and businesses; educational and financial leaders and organizations.
* Award will not knowingly be presented more than once to the same recipient for the same nomination information.
* Nominees not selected for award can be re-nominated.