



# NATIONAL FOREST HOMEOWNERS

*"To ensure continued enjoyment of forest homes"*

## NOMINATION FOR THE NFH OUTSTANDING TRACT ASSOCIATION AWARD

This Association has fostered good will between permittees and government officials and has promoted a better understanding of the positive role played by permittees. The actions have served as an incentive to the development of innovative and constructive relationships between the permittees and government officials such as USFS i.e. partnerships, working on forest plans, tract formation, etc.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE? Any NFH member tract

WHO MAY NOMINATE? Any NFH member or tract association

WHAT TO SUBMIT? The completed questionnaire

Please submit all entries to: Awards Committee Chair, Ted Filer, POB 617, Zillah, WA 98953; email [tfiler81@aol.com](mailto:tfiler81@aol.com)

ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 31 ANNUALLY IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE NATIONAL NFH CONVENTION

### NOMINATION FORM FOR OUTSTANDING TRACT ASSOCIATION

Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated Member Tract \_\_\_\_\_

Nominating Person(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Association President/address/phone/email \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the following appropriate items and add comments below.

1. Examples of relevant and qualifying commendable efforts

- new trail construction
- improving and/or repairing a portion of trail(s)
- restoration of a riparian zone
- adoption of a portion of trail(s)
- adoption of a portion of stream
- adoption of a portion of roadway
- improving and/or maintaining the cabin access roads
- caring for areas adjacent to the tract
- Other: Please specify

2. Demonstrates a commitment to stewardship in the forest
- \_\_\_\_\_ diligence in disposing combustible slash and debris in proximity to cabins and the areas surrounding them
  - \_\_\_\_\_ being informed about native plants in the environment and avoiding introduction of new and inappropriate species
  - \_\_\_\_\_ have developed or are in the process of developing an emergency response to area forest fires
  - \_\_\_\_\_ fostering compliance to the mandates of the FS permit and the Operation and Maintenance Plan
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Other: Please specify
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3. Fostering a positive relationship with the FS and the general public as well
- \_\_\_\_\_ volunteering in a tourist center
  - \_\_\_\_\_ making significant information about the forest environment available by creating and giving presentations about the forest to visiting tourists
  - \_\_\_\_\_ making significant information available through a newsletter or online communications
  - \_\_\_\_\_ conducting meetings including forest service staff members who share common concerns with cabin users

PLEASE FEEL FREE TO ADD ANY ADDITIONAL PERTINENT INFORMATION.