

# UTAH NARCOTIC OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

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## Awards Nomination Form

### **ROBERT B. HUTCHINGS OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARD**

The Officer of the Year Award is presented annually to a member of the Utah Narcotic Officers Association in recognition for his/her exemplary performance in a hazardous or life-threatening situation.

Award nominees have gone above and beyond in the line of duty, by demonstrating extraordinary bravery, dedication, and innovation to the eradication of the illegal use, possession, manufacturing or sale of controlled substances in the State of Utah.

To be a recipient of this award, the officer must be a dues paying member or honorary member whose nomination has been typewritten on the Officer of the Year Award application and submitted to the UNOA Awards Selection Committee. The awards committee will then review each nomination and make their selection.

All nominations for Officer of the Year will be considered for the Robert B. Hutchings Award. All selections will be forwarded to the elected Board of Governors for final approval. Awards will then be presented at the annual Utah Narcotic Officers Association conference.

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## \*\*\*NOMINEE INFORMATION\*\*\*



Region: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

<p><b>OFFICER OF THE YEAR AWARD NOMINATION APPLICATION</b></p>
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Law Enforcement Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Rank / Assignment: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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City	State	Zip
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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Is Nominee a member of UNOA: Yes No

## \*\*\*NOMINATOR INFORMATION\*\*\*

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete the application by providing the information requested on the next pages. If additional space is needed, please attach additional pages. The application should be typed if possible.

Officer of the Year Award is presented annually to a member of the Utah Narcotic Officers Association as the “Narcotic Officer of the Year.” The recipient and other State nominees are recognized at the Association’s annual conference. **Application deadline is June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024.**

This application and photograph of the nominee should be emailed to the UNOA President at:

[unoapresident@gmail.com](mailto:unoapresident@gmail.com)

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1. What is the background of the nominee (please include present assignment)

2. What has the nominee accomplished within her/law enforcement agency? Consider assignments, leadership and conviction rate, etc.

3. What has the nominee accomplished personally as a citizen in his/her community?

4. Please include any additional information or documentation which the Awards Committee may consider regarding the nominee's qualifications.

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## Special Recognition Awards and Citation

Law enforcement is hard work and sometimes we may become discouraged by indications that our hard work is not appreciated. The Utah Narcotic Officers Association believes that drug law enforcement presents some of the greatest personal and professional challenges a peace officer can face. To ensure these efforts do not go unrecognized, special **UNOA** Awards and Citations will be presented to selected recipients at the annual conference. **Important: All nominations should be submitted no later than June 30<sup>th</sup>. Email completed forms and a photograph of the nominee/team to UNOA at: [unoapresident@gmail.com](mailto:unoapresident@gmail.com)**

### Citation of Honor

This award is given to individual peace officers who have made outstanding contributions in the area of drug abuse or drug law enforcement.

### Commendation Award

To be presented to individuals other than peace officers who have contributed substantially to narcotics enforcement.

### Special Agency Award

Special awards will be presented to an agency or individual administrator for special accomplishments attained within that agency.

**To: UNOA AWARDS COMMITTEE**

I HEREBY NOMINATE \_\_\_\_\_  
FOR THE (please check appropriate box)

- Citation of Honor
- Commendation Award
- Special Agency Award

Provide the details and circumstances for which nominee should be considered for this award. Use additional sheets if necessary.

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### NOMINEE INFORMATION

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

me: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination Submitted by:** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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