

**Guidelines for the Horticulture Award of Merit**

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Nominee *(as it is to be read on the certificate)*

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Member Club

Nominations will be accepted from GCV member clubs only and must be submitted and endorsed with signature by the following three members:

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Name and/or signature of Horticulture chairman (or President if Horticulture chairman is nominee)

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Name and/or signature of Awards chairman

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Name and/or signature of member at large

Nominee’s specific horticultural expertise – Plants (i.e. Natives, perennials, annuals, vegetables, roses, lilies, daffodils, etc.), experimental gardening (organic and/or pest management, propagation/hybridization, hydroponics, etc.), or sound environmental practices.

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How does this nominee share her knowledge to benefit others in her club and community? (If a master gardener, please use examples of service that extend beyond the requirements to maintain active status.)

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Prior and/or ongoing study in the field of horticulture:

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Offices and positions of service in horticulture clubs or societies in the community, state, or nation:

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*Please complete form and mail to current GCV Horticulture Chairman.*