

## 2010 Theodore C. Cooper Award for Distinguished Volunteer Service Nomination

The Community Medal of Arts was designed to celebrate and commemorate those persons who have made significant contributions to the arts. With this award, we honor those who are actively engaged in the cultural life of this community. Artists, teachers and arts administrators are eligible for this award. Nominees must reside or work in Kalamazoo County. Each year, winners are awarded at a ceremony in their honor, along with the Community Medal of Arts, the Business Arts Award and the Young Artist Award. ***In 2010, the event will take place on June 21<sup>st</sup>, and complete details will be announced as they are available.***

### Theodore C. Cooper Award for Distinguished Volunteer Service – Past Honorees:

1993 John and Ramona Bernhard	1999 Gilbert E. Smith	2005 Chuck and Tucky Elliott
1994 Elizabeth Upjohn Mason	2000 Jacob and Naomi Stucki	2006 Janet Karpus
1995 Mary B. and James M. Thorne	2001 Robert and Betty Spiegelman	2007 Marilyn Milko
1996 Alfred B. Connable, Jr .	2002 Tim and Joy Light	2008 Richard (Dick) Tomlinson
1997 James C. Westin	2003 Diether Haenicke	
1998 Robert H. Luscombe	2004 Edwin and Mary Meader	

### Nomination Process

Member artists, arts organizations and donors of the Arts Council may submit nominations for the Theodore C. Cooper Award for Distinguished Volunteer Service. A complete nomination form will include:

- 1) The completed form
- 2) A one page description of the reasons why the nominee(s) should be considered
- 3) A resume or biography of the nominee(s)
- 4) **No more than five recent letters** of support for the nominee

If you have any questions about completing this form or questions about the nomination process, telephone the Arts Council at 269.342.5059. The nominations will be reviewed by committee, and an announcement will be made to honorees once a decision is reached (on or before January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2010). It is requested that both nominators and honorees do not publicly discuss the names of awardees until such time as a media announcement has been made.

### Deadline

Nominations are due at the Arts Council by 5 pm on November 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009. All nomination materials must be submitted at the same time.

Mail to: Community Medal of Arts Committee  
Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo  
359 S. Kalamazoo Mall, Suite 203  
Kalamazoo, MI 49007.



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## Nominee

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

## Nominator

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Organization/Relationship to Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

## Required Attachments

(as stated under the *nomination process*)

- 1) A one page description of the reasons why the nominee(s) should be considered
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- 3) **No more than five recent letters** of support for the nominee.

