# 2018 JCJC AWARDS PROGRAM

**VICTIM ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR**

A Victim Advocate is defined as an individual who works on behalf of crime victims in a district attorney’s office, juvenile probation department, or in a community-based agency (*This individual does not need to be in a position that is entirely dedicated to victims of juvenile crime, but it should be a significant part of their position*).

**GENERAL CRITERIA**

1. Nominations must be postmarked no later than **April 30, 2018**.
2. Nominations must be signed by the chief juvenile probation officer and judge.
3. Nominee must be employed as a Victim Advocate/Probation Officer at the time the nomination is submitted. (Date of submission is defined as the date of the nomination letter's postmark.).
4. Winners from previous years may not be re-nominated in the same award category.
5. Nominations must be written so the nominee's identity cannot be discerned by reading the narrative. The name and county of the nominee should only be written on the front cover.
6. Nominations may only be withdrawn by the chief juvenile probation officer or judge who signed the nomination form.
7. Nominations must be submitted on this nomination form, using only the space provided.
8. Only one nomination per category per county will be accepted.

PLEASE NOTE: Nominations which do not meet all criteria will be rejected from the judging process.

**NOMINEE INFORMATION**

Nominee:

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Address:

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County:

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Phone:

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Email:

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Name of Nomination Contact Person:

**Please mail nomination to:**

 Teresa Wilcox, Chairperson

 JCJC Awards Committee

 Pennsylvania Judicial Center

 601 Commonwealth Avenue, Suite 9100

 P.O. Box 62425

 Harrisburg, PA 17106-2425

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Email:

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**SIGNATURE OF JUDGE SIGNATURE OF CHIEF JUVENILE PROBATION OFFICER**

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**COUNTY OF JUDGE**

**VICTIM ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR**

**NOMINATION**

1. Describe the qualities, skills, and abilities which make the nominee worthy of this award.
(100 points)



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**AWARDS COMMITTEE USE ONLY**

**SCORE**

1. Describe the qualities, skills, and abilities which make the
nominee worthy of this award. (100 points) \_\_\_\_\_\_

 TOTAL SCORE \_\_\_\_\_\_