



HUMANITARIAN RECOGNITION



Linda Kay Jones Humanitarian Award

2026 COMMUNITY AWARDS | OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM

The Silver City Grant County Chamber of Commerce established this award to recognize a local citizen for outstanding contributions to humanitarian interests, unselfish giving, and service to others in times of need. Linda Kay Jones's accomplishments as a local businessperson and civic leader exemplified the intent, spirit, and character of this award, one of the highest honors bestowed upon a Grant County citizen.

Nomination deadline: October 23, 2026. Recipients will be announced in conjunction with the Chamber's 2026 Annual Community Awards Banquet. Fields marked * are required.

ELIGIBILITY AND SELECTION REQUIREMENTS

- 1 Is an individual who has been a citizen of Grant County since January 1, 2023.
- 2 Has made outstanding contributions to humanitarian interests and the well-being of others.
- 3 Demonstrates unselfish giving and meaningful service to people in times of need.
- 4 Personal contributions have produced a positive and identifiable impact in Grant County.
- 5 Demonstrates the integrity, compassion, civic leadership, and character embodied by this award.

NOMINEE INFORMATION

Nominee's full name *

Community of residence *

Number of years living in Grant County *

Business, occupation, or civic affiliation (optional)

Phone number or email, if known (optional)



NOMINATION QUESTIONS

- 1** Describe the nominee's outstanding contributions to humanitarian interests during the past year and summarize any longer history of service. *

- 2** Provide specific examples of the nominee's unselfish giving or service to others in times of need. *

- 3** Identify the people or communities who benefited and explain the results or lasting impact of the nominee's work. *

Attach an additional page if more room is needed.



NOMINATION QUESTIONS - CONTINUED

- 4 Describe how the nominee's compassion, integrity, business or civic leadership, and character reflect the spirit of this award. *

- 5 Explain why this individual should receive the Linda Kay Jones Humanitarian Award. *

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OPTIONAL SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Optional: upload up to three letters of recommendation or other supporting documents, such as newspaper articles, personal testimonials, commendations, photographs, or reports.

Digital PDF: Download and open this form in Adobe Acrobat or Reader, then attach up to three files below. Save the PDF after attaching.

ATTACH FILE 1

ATTACH FILE 2

ATTACH FILE 3

List the supporting files or documents included with this nomination:

NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Nominator's name *

Phone number *

Email address *

Relationship to nominee *

May the Chamber contact you if clarification is needed? *

I certify that the information provided is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Nominator's typed signature *

Date *

SUBMISSION OPTIONS

- **Deadline:** Submit completed nominations by **October 23, 2026**.
- **Email:** Save this completed PDF and send it, with any optional supporting files, to **director@silvercity.org**.
- **Hand delivery:** 3031 US Highway 180 East, Silver City, New Mexico 88061.
- **Mail:** P.O. Box 1028, Silver City, New Mexico 88062.
- **Questions:** (575) 538-3785. Only one nomination is needed; multiple nominations do not improve a nominee's chances.

Thank you for helping the Chamber recognize the people, businesses, and organizations that strengthen Grant County.