



AWARD TO ENHANCE THE LIVES OF DISABLED PERSONS

The National Organization on Disability awards certificates to organizations that significantly improve the ability of persons with disabilities to participate in the public life of the community. The purpose of that program is to confer national recognition on private sector organizations, like The American Legion, for their efforts to enhance the lives of disabled person.

Department of _____ Date _____

Legion Post Number & Name _____

Post Address _____ Phone _____

Post Membership _____ How many members worked on this project? _____

Name and daytime telephone of the Post Commander _____

Name, title, address and daytime telephone of the person making this nomination _____

Describe what your nominee has done that makes that American Legion Post or employer worthy of one of this award. What specific project has that Post or employer instituted that enhances the lives of disabled persons by helping them to participate in community activities? Was this solely a Post project or were other community organizations involved? What tangible assets were involved in your nominee's project (i.e. – volunteer hours, funds, etc.)? What measurable impact, if any, has your nominee's project had on the community as a whole? Please limit your written narrative to two pages.

Only those nominations that include adequate documentation on the nominee's employment practices concerning veterans will be considered for the National Award to Enhance the Lives of Disabled Persons. It is recommended that the nominator provide a copy of the company's written policy on employment of veterans if available, a description of how the employer supports veterans' activities in the community, and any other reasons why the nominee should be selected to be the National Award to Enhance the Lives of Disabled Person winner.

Nominations by Posts and individuals must be sent to Department Headquarters as soon as possible so that the Department will have time to review all nominations received and make the selection of its winners.

Approved _____ Date _____

Circle One: Department Adjutant Department Employment Chairman

Desired presentation date at Department Convention _____