PURPOSE

Multiple partners are working together to host and facilitate the fifth annual Tennessee River Basin Network meeting in July 2020. Again, we are focused on bringing partners together to identify and leverage opportunities for collaboration and sharing resources related to our exceptional aquatic biodiversity.

We continue the tradition of linking the working Network meeting with the 2020 Tennessee River Celebration Awards Banquet. This celebration will recognize successes and efforts of dedicated advocates for the Tennessee River, such as non-profit organizations, community groups, watershed partners. An award of $5,000 will be given to each recipient.

AWARD CATEGORIES

Communication/Outreach - For an individual or organization that has excelled in communicating and educating the public, students, and/or industry about the importance of aquatic biodiversity.

Science/Management - For an individual or organization that has nurtured partnerships, implemented projects, developed plans, and/or conducted scientific research in the Tennessee River Basin which has had measurable impacts on protecting and enhancing aquatic habitat.

PAST RECIPIENTS


HOW TO NOMINATE A CANDIDATE

Submit nomination form (page 2) with accompanying documents electronically to Gillian Bee: gilllab@clemson.edu

Nomination Deadline: April 30, 2020

Self-nominations accepted with a letter of recommendation. Please note it is not a requirement that recipients have been an active participant in the Network.

Questions? Contact Gillian Bee (gilllab@clemson.edu)
2020 TENNESSEE RIVER BASIN NETWORK AWARDS
NOMINATION FORM AND GUIDELINES

NOMINEE

Name:

Street Address: City, State, Zip:

Phone: Email:

NOMINATOR

Name:

Street Address: City, State, Zip:

Phone: Email:

Category: (Check only one)

☐ Communication/Outreach   ☐ Science/Management

Does the nominee know he/she has been nominated? (Check only one)

☐ Yes  ☐ No  ☐ Self-nomination

Items to be submitted with Nomination Form:

➢ Nomination Letter – As the nominator, submit a one-page letter stating why you believe the candidate is deserving of the Tennessee River Network Award. If this is a self-nomination please submit a letter of recommendation from a co-worker, mentor etc.

➢ Documentation of Conservation Activities – Summarize, up to a maximum of three pages, the conservation accomplishments of the candidate.

➢ Attachments – Attachments may include articles from newspapers, magazines, web sites, scientific journals, books etc. Copied onto a single Word Doc or PDF.

NOMINATION DEADLINE: All materials must be received by end of day (11:59pm) April 30, 2020