## MAINE DEPARTMENT OF INLAND FISHERIES AND WILDLIFE 353 Water Street, 41 SHS Augusta, ME 04333 Phone 207-287-8000 / Fax 207-287-8094

#### WIGGIE ROBINSON LEGENDARY GUIDE AWARD NOMINATION

#### About the Award

The Legendary Guide Award is presented annually to a member of the Registered Maine Guide profession who has served as a leader within Maine's outdoor community. The award was created in 2009 in memory of Wilmot "Wiggie" Robinson.

#### **Nomination Criteria**

To be considered as a recipient of the Wiggie Robinson Legendary Guide Award an individual must have held an active guide's license for a minimum of 20 consecutive years and worked actively as a guide for at least a cumulative total of 10 years. The nominee must be able to pass a criminal background check and be a law-abiding citizen with no arrests for crimes related to human injury, gun laws or major hunting or fishing violations in the past 20 years.

Ideal candidates have actively volunteered or served in their community sharing their experience or offering education related to safety and survival in the Maine woods and/or educating youth about the importance of the ecosystem found in Maine. Additionally, the candidate has been active on boards or committees that enhance and promote the importance of Maine's outdoor resources such as youth programs, scout leader, conservation education, safety instructor, search and rescue volunteer, fish and game clubs, guide license examiner, etc.

#### **Nomination Instructions**

Nominations can be submitted by an individual or by a group of individuals who can share information about and personal experience with the nominee. If you are submitting a nomination for an individual who you believe has impacted a wide variety of people in their community, consider seeking others to contribute and submit one group effort nomination form.

Please thoroughly complete the nomination form and include as much information and detail possible.

Nominations must be submitted by 5:00 PM EST on February 17.

You can submit your completed nomination in hard copy by mail:

Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife

Attn: Deputy Commissioner 353 Water Street, SHS 41 Augusta, ME 04333-0041

or electronically by email: becky.orff@maine.gov

All nominations are reviewed by a seven (7) member panel that includes:

MDIFW Deputy Commissioner

MDIFW Director of Licensing

Previous year's award recipient

Four (4) Registered Maine Guides (2 MPGA members and 2 non-MPGA members)

The award is presented to the recipient at the annual Maine Professional Guides Banquet.

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### **Nominee Information**

Last Name:	First Name:						
Date of Birth:		Guide's Licens	e #:				
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Home Phone:		Cell	Phone:				
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programs, scout lea	der, conservation edu	cation, safety instru	ctor, search and r	laine's outdoor resource escue, active in fish & ga	ame clubs, etc.):		
Examples of volun	teer work or commu	unity service relate	d to outdoor ed	ucation in Maine:			
Reason for nomin	ation (attach additio	nal page if necessa	ary):				

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## Individuals contributing to the nomination:

Last Name:		First Name:				
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Home Phone:		Cell Phone:				
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