

# COUNTY OF SUFFOLK



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Dear Friends:

It is my pleasure to announce that the Suffolk County Office for the Aging and the Suffolk County Senior Citizens Advisory Board are accepting nominations for the **2021 SENIOR CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD**. This award will recognize a senior citizen who has enhanced the lives of older residents in Suffolk County.

The nominee's contribution may be as an advocate, role model, leader, or volunteer. Their impact should be felt either throughout the County, or in one of our many local communities.

Nominations should be made on the enclosed form and must include the nominee's name, address, and phone number. Please explain why you are nominating this person for this award. Candidates must be 60 years of age or older and a resident of Suffolk County. Nominations should be mailed or faxed to:

*Senior Award*  
*Suffolk County Office for the Aging*  
*PO Box 6100*  
*Hauppauge, NY 11788-0099*  
*Fax #: (631) 853-8225*  
*Aging.office@suffolkcountyny.gov*

Employees of federal, state, county, or local municipalities engaged in providing services to senior citizens are not eligible. Persons who have already received the honor of this award are also not eligible. Nominations must be received no later than Wednesday, March 3, 2021.

Due to the pandemic, this award will be presented virtually. The person chosen as Suffolk County's Senior of the Year will also be recognized by the New York State Office for Aging as part of its Older New Yorker's Celebration in May.

For more information, please call (631) 853-8200.

Sincerely,

Holly Rhodes-Teague  
Director