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DHS Seeking Nominations for Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame

The Department of Human Services (DHS) and the Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) are seeking nominations of outstanding older Arkansans for the 2012-2013 Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame.

To be considered for selection to the Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame, nominees shall: 1.) be citizens of the State of Arkansas, 2.) be at least 60 years old or older and living at the time of nomination; 3.) have performed outstanding volunteer contributions/services, which have promoted, enhanced and enriched the quality of life specifically for senior Arkansans; and 4.) have made significant and exemplary contributions to senior Arkansans.

“There are so many older Arkansans working to improve the lives and opportunities for the aging population,” said Krista Hughes, director of the DHS Division of Aging and Adult Services. “The Hall of Fame gives us a chance to honor their work and the contributions they have made for the good of fellow citizens.”

Nomination forms are available through one of the eight AAAs in the state or online at the Division of Aging and Adult Services website at <http://www.daas.ar.gov/pdf/2012-2013%20Nomination%20Form.pdf>. Nominations forms must be submitted by March 15.

Those selected will be inducted into the Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame in the State Capitol Rotunda at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14.

For additional information or questions, please contact Patricia Robins at the Division of Aging and Adult Services, 501-320-6576 or e-mail patricia.robins@arkansas.gov.