



2026 NPA Public Service Awards



CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

Submission Deadline: Feb. 11, 2026

The NPA Public Service Award was created in 2002 to recognize public or elected state officials who have been effective advocates for the continued growth of PACE.

Eligibility criteria for the award are as follows:

- » a demonstrated commitment to PACE and the individuals it serves,
- » advocacy for the growth of PACE, and
- » effective leadership on behalf of NPA and its members.

Public Service Awards will be presented during the 2026 NPA Spring Policy Forum on March 23.

Keeping in mind the criteria listed above, please submit one or more nominations of individuals who have a strong commitment to the PACE model, our particular population and/or your specific program. Email the completed two-page nomination form to **Liz Parry** by Feb. 11, 2026.



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Nomination Form

The NPA Public Service Award is designed to recognize a public or elected state official who has been an effective advocate for the continued growth of PACE.

About the Nominee

Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

☐ If you are in a state with a State PACE Association, have you alerted the state association about this nomination?

☐ If you are in a state with multiple PACE organizations (but do not have a State PACE Association), have you alerted the other organizations about this nomination?

Who Should We Contact About This Nomination?

Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Email _____

Tell Us About the Nominee

Using the space below or a separate attachment, provide a brief summary of the nominee's advocacy on behalf of PACE.



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(Use space provided below or attach additional sheets.)

1. How has the nominee demonstrated a commitment to PACE and the individuals it serves?
(Provide specific examples.)

2. How has the nominee been an advocate for the growth of PACE? (Provide specific examples.)

3. How has this individual exhibited effective leadership on behalf of NPA or its members?
(Provide specific examples.)

Submit nomination materials by Feb. 11, 2026, to **Liz Parry**.