

GLSPS Award Program Purpose:

As a voice in the Midwest preservation and diving community, the GLSPS seeks to acknowledge and express their gratitude to individuals, organizations, and businesses who have contributed to the improvement of our environment and exemplify GLSPS ideals and ethics.

To honor these contributors GLSPS has created three categories of awards differing in what contributions they acknowledge and the process for nominating recipients for the award.

- **GLSPS Appreciation Award** can be awarded to any non-board member individual, organization, or business for longstanding support of the mission, goals, and projects of GLSPS. Nomination can be made by any current GLSPS member.
- **Dive Community Contribution Award** can be awarded to any individual, organization, or business for exceptional service to the dive community or for going beyond the call of duty to do something that benefits the upper Midwest scuba diving community. Nomination can be made by any member of the community.
- **C. Patrick Labadie Special Acknowledgment Award** can be awarded to any individual, organization, or business that has made exceptional contributions to the upper Midwest preservation, history, or dive community. Nomination can be made by any GLSPS Board Member, but suggestions can be made through the GLSPS Board of Directors.

All nominations must be submitted by January 1, of each year.

To nominate an individual or group for the **Dive Community Contribution Award** or the **Special Acknowledgment Award** send an e-mail with the following information(Copy and paste in e-mail) to: kmerryman@glsp.org or print and mail to: [Awards Nomination Form](#)

Mail to:
GLSPS Awards
7348 Symphony St NE
Fridley, MN 55432

GLSPS Award Nomination Form

Nominator Contact Information

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Nominee _____

Address _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Nominated for the following award: Dive Community Contribution Award

GLSPS Appreciation Award

In 250 words or less please explain why you believe this person, organization, or business should receive this award.
