



A TIME TO HONOR

THE 18TH ANNUAL MATTIE DAVIS AND JOSEPH KANAK COMMUNITY BUILDERS AWARD

Sponsored by the Fitz Center for Leadership in
Community at the University of Dayton

This award honors a Dayton resident who exemplifies vision and compassion toward neighborhood and community. The winner will be recognized during the CityLinks Neighborhood Leadership Conference luncheon, April 15, 2016, at the 1700 S. Patterson Building on the University of Dayton's River Campus.

Before her passing, Mattie Davis held a major position in organizing the Edgemont Neighborhood Coalition in 1978. She also played a lead role in producing the award-winning Edgemont Solar Garden. Joe Kanak was involved in virtually every initiative sponsored by the Northeast Priority Board and Old North Dayton Development Corporation. He was the second recipient of the Mattie Davis Community Builders Award. Following his passing, Kanak's name was added to the award in tribute to his memory and legacy. The accomplishments of both Davis and Kanak are an inspiration to Dayton residents and future community leaders.

Do you know someone who exemplifies compassion and dedication to their community? Would you like to nominate that person for their leadership efforts within the city or a neighborhood?

Nominations will be received until **Feb. 19, 2016**.

To nominate someone for this award, please complete the information on the attached page. The winner and the nominator will be notified by **March 4, 2016**.

OFFICIAL NOMINATION FORM

18th Annual Mattie Davis and Joseph Kanak Community Builders Award

Application deadline: Feb. 19, 2016

Name of nominee _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Nominator _____

Phone _____

Address _____

Email _____

Please describe in as much detail as possible the nominee's role in the following:

*Note: Please do not attach any additional information.

1. How would you describe the nominee as a neighborhood or community volunteer?

2. How is the nominee currently involved with a variety of neighborhood and/or community organizations committed to neighborhood revitalization?

- In which neighborhood(s) is the nominee involved?
- In which City of Dayton neighborhood-related organizations is the nominee involved?
- Identify academic, church or other organizations the nominee worked with to achieve neighborhood or community-building goals and objectives.

3. What outcomes were achieved?

- List and describe neighborhood community projects achieved due to the nominee's efforts.
- Identify who benefited as a result of the projects.
- Describe how the neighborhood community benefited from these projects, and describe their significance.

4. Is the nominee's service in a leadership capacity in their neighborhood or community?

- Organizational founder?
- Board of directors role?
- Liaison or partner with organizations committed to neighborhood revitalization?

Please return this form to Char Cook Robinson at crobinson1@udayton.edu. For questions or more information, call 937-229-4641.

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