



## 2015 Community Development Awards Nomination Form

Please review the selection criteria and use them to guide your written comments. Please return this form, the nominee narrative, and other supporting materials to [pamelab@macdc.org](mailto:pamelab@macdc.org) by September 11, 2015.

Check the appropriate award for the nominee and complete the form below.

### Member Awards

- The Ricanne Hadrian Award** - Presented to a CDC project manager or organizer who meaningfully engages local residents in building economically and racially just communities.
- The Richard Smith Award** - Presented to a CDC staff person or board member who exemplifies outstanding commitment, leadership and achievement for the community development movement in Massachusetts.
- The Rising Star Award** – This award is presented to up to five people: a CDC Director, staff or board member, less than 40 years old, who has demonstrated outstanding innovation, leadership and achievement.

### Private Sector Award

- Jeffrey Graham Award** – This award is presented to a person or organization from the private sector that has provided exceptional support and leadership for the community development movement in Massachusetts.

Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Service in Position \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Nominator \_\_\_\_\_

CDC/Organization \_\_\_\_\_

**Please submit a brief description of the nominee’s qualifications and accomplishment. You may attach letters of support and documents to demonstrate the applicant’s accomplishments. We are looking for nominees who:**

- demonstrate a strong commitment to the Community Economic Development field;
- demonstrate a commitment to the vision and core values embraced by MACDC and its members;
- make a substantial contribution to both the field and the community;
- bring innovation to their job;
- involve the community in decision-making and priority-setting;
- enhance the “sense of community”; and/or
- serve as mentor to others.