



**NOMINATION FORM**

**Purpose:** To bestow appreciation and recognition on an individual or organization from the community whose distinguished leadership contributions have made a significant difference for a Catholic school(s). Nominations are solicited from across Western Massachusetts, and one Catholic Schools Distinguished Community Leader Award will be at the Catholic Schools Advancement Dinner on October 9, 2009.

**Eligibility:** Nominees must be actively involved with a Catholic school or Catholic Schools. Nominees cannot be employed in any capacity by a Catholic school, Catholic Schools, Diocese of Springfield or be a member of the Diocesan Catholic Schools Board. Self-nomination is not permitted.

**Criteria:** Contributions may include value-added expertise, a capital project, in-kind products/services, financial support, work effort to increase student enrollment, fundraising, etc.

**Selection:** Award recipient selection is made by the Catholic Schools Distinguished Community Leader Award Selection Committee with the recipient recommendation presented to Bishop Timothy J. McDonnell and Superintendent Sr. Andrea Ciszewski, FSSJ. Telephone contact may be made with the nominator and references to provide further information. The Award recipient will be notified in July.

**Nomination Deadline:** The submission deadline for 2009 nominations is June 30, 2009.

**Presentation:** Presentation of the Award will be made at the **2009 Catholic Schools Advancement Dinner**.

**Nominee Name** *(Please print legibly)*: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

School(s) Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_ Parish Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination:** Submit a 300 word summary, along with up to three pages of supplemental documentation, attached to this form.

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**Nominator Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ School Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Tel. \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Send to:** **Catholic SCHOOLS** Community Leader Award

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