HEROES AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Consideration is based on an event or services rendered between October 31, 2013 and November 1, 2014.

Information about your Nominee:

Name: ___________________________________ Phone: ________________________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________

E-mail: ________________________ Other contact no. __________________________________

What category are you nominating for (see reverse)? ________________________________

Why are you nominating this person/business?

When did this act/event occur? __________________________________________________

Information about YOU, the Nominator:

Name: _______________________________ Phone: ________________________________

Address: _____________________________________________________________

E-mail: ____________________________ Other contact no. ____________________________

Relationship (if any) to your nominee: ___________________________________________

Return nomination form by November 5, 2014, TO: American Red Cross HEROES, P.O. Box 3402, Eureka, CA 95502. Forms faxed to 707-443-2746 by 5 p.m. on November 5th will be accepted. Additional information at www.redcross.org/ca/eureka or e-mail at Barbara.Caldwell@redcross.org. Please include all supportive information, names of witnesses, copies of articles, etc. As nominator you will be contacted by Red Cross for any additional information needed; your nominee will be contacted as well, to ensure their willingness to be considered for an award.
NOTE: Nominees not chosen for the awards luncheon will receive a certificate and letter of congratulations from the American Red Cross.

**ACT OF KINDNESS HERO, Individual or Group:** Any single act by a person (or group) of any age that was above and beyond the usual interaction between people, making a significant difference in the life of the person(s) helped.

*Examples: stopping to help a stranded motorist; a family who opened their home to another family in need.*

**SAVED A HUMAN LIFE, Individual:** An act of courage by an individual that saved a life.

**SAVED A HUMAN LIFE IN THE LINE OF DUTY, Individual or Team:** A person or a team, sworn to respond in the line of duty, who chose to act with unusual courage beyond the scope of their duty, resulting in a human life saved.

**COMMUNITY SERVICE HERO, Individual:** A person of any age whose work in the community is exceptional, and leads to making Humboldt and/or Del Norte County a better place to live and work.

*Examples: a Registered nurse who provides uncompensated services in the evenings and on weekends, and performs other services out of the goodness of her heart; An individual who volunteers an exceptional amount of time to one or more organizations.*

**COMMUNITY SERVICE HERO, Business or Organization:** A business or organization that, in their professional role, has gone above and beyond what would be expected of them, leading to Humboldt and/or Del Norte County being a better place to live and work.

*Examples: an organization that started and is maintaining a drive to increase neighborhood safety; a business that encourages its employees to volunteer in the community for one week a year; an organization that allows its employees to leave for 2-3 weeks so they can deploy to disaster as a Red Cross volunteer; an individual who organized a toy drive to help raise funds and purchase gifts for needy children.*

**NOTE TO NOMINATORS:** After we receive your nomination, you will be called by Red Cross personnel for additional information about your nominee. We recommend you include, with your nomination form, any articles written and names of other people who can be contacted to confirm and/or add additional information to strengthen the nomination.

All nominations received by COB November 5, 2014, will be reviewed by the Selection Committee, which is made up of a team of prominent community members; decisions will be finalized by November 25th.