



## James R. Peters Association Executive Award of Excellence Nomination Form

### **WHO WAS JAMES R. PETERS:**

Jim Peters was the Chief Executive Officer of the South Carolina REALTORS® from 1993 to 2006.

Jim was born and educated in Rhodesia (Zimbabwe), served that country as Aide to the Governor, District Commissioner, Magistrate and Officer Commanding Internal Affairs (Psychological Warfare). Jim was appointed a Member of the Order of the Legion of Merit for outstanding leadership and service to that country.

Jim moved to Florida with his family in 1979, joining the Fort Lauderdale Association of REALTORS® as their Executive Vice President in May that year. He left there in December, 1993 to move to Columbia.

Jim is a recognized visionary and innovator in areas including mediation, planning, visioning, dispute resolution, MLS regionalization, alternate MLS Services, leadership, antitrust awareness, political involvement and program budgeting. Jim was also inducted as a member of the prestigious Almon R. "Bud" Smith Leadership Society.

### **PURPOSE AND ELIGIBILITY:**

The James R. Peters Association Executive Award of Excellence is presented to an individual who has truly excelled in his or her role as an association executive of a local South Carolina REALTOR® association and who is active in the REALTOR® organization at the time of nomination. Only those nominees for whom a written nomination form has been received by the deadline date will be considered. The award may or may not be presented annually.

### **NOMINATIONS:**

Nomination may be submitted by any person other than the candidate and must be accompanied by a letter prepared by the person making the nomination, setting forth the details of the nominee's accomplishments and contributions consistent with criteria. There shall be no campaigning on behalf of a candidate, by the candidate, the nominator, a REALTOR® member, REALTOR® affiliate member, state, or local association. All letters of support must accompany this application submission. Letters of support not accompanying this form will not be considered.

### **SELECTION TIMELINE:**

Selection shall be made by the SCR Awards Committee during their annual meeting. If a recipient is chosen for that year, the recipient will be recognized and presented with a personalized plaque at the Board of Directors meeting during the South Carolina REALTORS® Annual Meeting.

**CRITERIA:**

- 1) The candidate must have served at least ten (10) years, prior to nomination, in the capacity of either an executive officer or staff of a local association of REALTORS<sup>®</sup>, or a combination of both.
- 2) The candidate must have served at least one (1) term as a member of the Association Executives Committee (call 800-233-6381 to verify).
- 3) The candidate must have exhibited leadership abilities in his/her capacity as an association executive.
- 4) The candidate shall exhibit the highest ethical standards.
- 5) All criteria shall be verified by the appropriate SCR staff person.

**SELECTION GUIDELINES**

The Awards Committee will review all nomination forms that are submitted for consideration and will eliminate those candidates who do not qualify, or those whose forms do not follow the established guidelines.

1. Only nominations submitted in the official nomination format as provided will be considered. All letters of support and documentation must accompany this application submission. Letters of support and documentation not accompanying this form will not be considered.
2. A current photograph of the candidate *must* accompany the nomination form.
3. At the discretion of the Awards Committee, nomination forms of candidates not chosen may be carried over to the next year for consideration. In such instances, SCR staff will contact the nominators prior to the next year's nomination cycle to confirm that these candidates can be considered again for the Peters Award.
4. All nomination forms submitted for consideration are kept strictly confidential. All materials submitted become the property of SCR and will not be returned.

**Please email to Lindsey Pittman:**

**[lindsey@screaltors.org](mailto:lindsey@screaltors.org)**



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JAMES R. PETERS ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE AWARD  
OF EXCELLENCE  
CANDIDATE NOMINATION**

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Nominee Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Include designations)

Association Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated By: \_\_\_\_\_

Association/Board Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

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NOMINATION INFORMATION  
(USE ADDITIONAL PAPER IF NEEDED)**

**NOMINEE NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**REALTOR® ORGANIZATION**

Please indicate the committees, boards, trusts, or task forces on which the nominee has served, indicating chairmanships and elected offices held for the REALTOR® organization. Please indicate specific years when possible. Please indicate how this individual has excelled as a leader in these roles, and how this involvement further qualifies this individual to be considered as a Peters Award candidate.

***Please note the requirement that the Nominee must continue to participate and be involved in activities in the REALTOR® organization.***

**Civic, Community, and Charitable Involvement**

Please briefly describe any activities regarding nominee's involvement in all community service and civic and charitable causes.