Does Your Boss Deserve An Award?

Do you know an agent who contributes unselfishly to his or her community? Are you part of an MAIA committee which is led by an outstanding chair? Have you taken a class that was taught exceptionally well by an MAIA member?

Each year, agents from across Michigan are honored by you, their peers, for outstanding contributions to their agencies, their communities and their Association. This is your opportunity to see an outstanding agent you know get recognized.

All MAIA member agency employees are eligible to be nominated. Honorees will be recognized during MAIA’s 15th Annual Convention, held February 20-22, 2006 at the Grand Traverse Resort in Traverse City, Michigan and will be presented with a plaque. They’ll also be featured in a subsequent issue of the Michigan Agent magazine. Additionally, local news and trade media in the state will be notified by the MAIA Public Relations Department upon selection of the winners.

Please review the awards at right and nominate a worthy candidate by filling out the form below. Please use a separate form for each agent you wish to nominate. Thank you for your help!

***Deadline to submit nominations is: December 19, 2005.***

Nominations for 2006 MAIA Awards

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Please tell us briefly why you are nominating this individual:

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Please fax this form back to (517) 323-1629 or mail it to:
MAIA, PO Box 80620, Lansing, MI 48908-0620

2006 Awards

**The Forsetlund Award**
Also known as the Agent of the Year Award, the Forsetlund Award is given to the individual who has contributed the most to his or her agency and community.

**Hildebrand Award**
A lifetime recognition award, this honor is given to an agent who has contributed to the Association and to the industry over a period of time.

**Chairperson of the Year**
Given to an individual who has demonstrated leadership and accomplishment on an MAIA committee.

**Young Charger of the Year**
This award carries the same criteria as the Forsetlund Award, but it is given to a member of the Young Agents Council.

**Capitol Award**
Given to an agent who has given service and has achieved success in furthering the political goals of the Association.

**Local Association Award**
Given to the local association that has demonstrated excellence in programming and involvement in the state Association activities.

**Ambassador Award**
Given to an agent who has furthered the image of the independent agent and the Association through business and community involvement.

**The Aschom Award**
This education award is given to an agent who has shown service and contribution in furthering the professionalism of MAIA members.