

# Brian Mickelsen HOUSING HERO AWARDS



## 2022 Entry Form

### Complete Parts A, B & D

- Innovative Supportive Housing Program
- Outstanding Affordable Housing Initiative
- Exemplary Multifamily Project
- Tribal Initiatives
- Outstanding State Administered CDBG Funded Project

### Complete Parts A, C & D

- Arthur Crozier Partner in Housing

Please check all categories in which this entry should be considered. See category descriptions on Page 2. See instruction for electronic transmission on Page 2. Entry deadline is June 24, 2022.

### Part A - Contact Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_  
Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Organization or individual you are entering for the Housing Hero Awards**

Organization Name or Individual: \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Project or Innovation (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

### Part B - Project/Program/Initiative Entry

1. Description of Project or Innovation
2. What problem or opportunity was the Project/Innovation designed to address?
3. Describe the accomplishments or measures of success of this Project/Innovation.
4. Why should this Project/Innovation be considered for an award?
5. Project/Innovation Start Date
6. Project/Innovation Cost
7. Funding Sources
8. Organizations Involved

### Part C - Partner in Housing Entry

Explain how the contributions of this individual elevate them into a category above their peers. Where appropriate, refer to specific projects, programs, or accomplishments.

### Part D - All Entries

Attach separate sheets to submit the information requested. Narrative must be limited to three pages total. Entry forms and narrative can be saved as a .pdf file and sent as an attachment, via email. Do not attach any other documents (e.g. pamphlets, etc.).

All Entries must include five to ten high quality photographs of the project, program, initiative or individual to be used for presentation, if awarded. Photographs must be submitted in .jpg or .png format, as a separate file.

## 2022 Award Categories

### Innovative Supportive Housing Program or Service

Recognizes creative programs and services that provide outstanding housing related support and resources to individuals. Eligible nominations include those that result in responsive housing programs, support services, special needs programs including homelessness and supportive housing, and activities focused on education relating to affordable housing including foreclosure and homeownership counseling.

### Outstanding Affordable Housing Initiative

Recognizes the efforts of a local program that creates, improves or promotes affordable housing. Eligible entries can include activities such as housing construction or rehabilitation, a coordinated community development or neighborhood revitalization strategy with a housing element, units for rental or homeownership, financing arrangements, or public-private participation.

### Exemplary Multifamily Project

Recognizes an outstanding multifamily rental project in urban or rural Arizona that serves low to moderate income individuals, families or seniors. Eligible entries include rental projects that have completed construction in the past two years and have one or more of the following elements: outstanding architectural design, transit orientated design, green building technology, mixed use, preservation/revitalization, serves a public benefit, such as housing for chronically homeless, children with special needs, parents of special needs children, aging in place with children, etc.

### Tribal Initiatives

Recognizes achievement in helping to meet the housing needs of tribal members in Arizona through the provision of housing and/or services. Eligible entries include housing construction or rehabilitation projects, programs to promote economic self-sufficiency and asset building, infrastructure improvements, and community/master planning on tribal lands.

### Arthur Crozier Partner in Housing Award

This award celebrates the single action or a lifetime of successes of an individual committed to improving the lives of families and the health of communities through recognition that decent, affordable housing is basic to our social fabric. This award honors the service of Arthur Crozier, a longtime Arizona realtor and member of both the Arizona Housing Commission and Arizona Housing Finance Authority.

### Outstanding State Administered Community Development Block Grant Funded Project

Recognizes outstanding State Administered CDBG projects. Eligible entries include Non-Entitlement CDBG funded projects completed in the last two years that provide suitable utility/street/drainage infrastructure; remove health/safety hazards; stabilize/increase property values; improve housing conditions/opportunities; promote resource efficiency; preserve historical assets; increase educational/recreational/occupational opportunities; increase access to transit/ bike paths/ walkways and promote economic development.

## 2022 Entry Submission

Entry forms and narrative attachments can be saved as a .pdf file and sent as an attachment, via email. Photographs must be submitted in .jpg or .png format, as a separate file (highest image quality).

### Entry Deadline

Entries must be received no later than June 24, 2022

### Email Submissions to:

Dave.cherry@azhousing.gov

Email Subject Line: 2022 Housing Hero Awards Entry

### Questions

Dave Cherry, Public Information Officer

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