



# GUIDELINES

## Legends in Leadership Award

### **Legends in Leadership Qualifications:**

- No person presently holding an elected office of political nature will be eligible to receive the award.
- No member of the Acadia Parish Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will be eligible.

**Considerations:** A recipient does not need to be qualified in all of the categories below but should demonstrate success in multiple.

### Lifetime Achievement:

- Demonstrated consistent and impactful service to the Acadia Parish community over a significant period, typically spanning multiple decades.

### Community Service:

- Actively involved in various community service activities, organizations, or initiatives that have positively affected the local area.

### Leadership:

- Proven leadership in community projects, local organizations, or initiatives that have resulted in substantial benefits to the community.

### Innovation and Initiative:

- Demonstrated innovative approaches to solving community issues and taking the initiative to start or lead significant projects.

### Mentorship and Support:

- Actively mentored and supported other community members, contributing to the development of future leaders in the Acadia Parish.

### Integrity and Character:

- Exemplified integrity, ethical behavior, and strong moral character in all community interactions and activities.

### Impact and Legacy:

- Created a lasting impact on the community, with contributions that have left a positive and enduring legacy.

### Volunteerism:

- A substantial history of volunteer work, contributing time and effort to community organizations and causes without seeking personal gain.

### Philanthropy:

- Engaged in significant philanthropic activities, providing financial support and resources to community projects and organizations.

### Economic Development:

- Contributed significantly to the economic growth and development of the region, including supporting local businesses and job creation.

### Advocacy and Representation:

- Actively advocated for the needs and interests of the Acadia Parish community at local, state, or national levels.



**ACADIA PARISH**  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
& ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

*Legends in Leadership Award  
Previous Recipients*

2023-2024 - Kelli Dore