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# **Awards Nomination Form**

### **Woman of Distinction Award**

#### **Award Description**

This award recognizes one woman's outstanding achievements and contribution to leading, administration, coaching, officiating and/or playing soccer in Alberta.

#### Nominated by

Districts/Club of Alberta Soccer, ASA Staff

**Selected by** Alberta Soccer Board of Directors

#### Requirements

To qualify for the award, it is imperative that a nominee satisfactorily fulfills all stipulated requirements:

1. Good Standing: The nominee should be in good standing with the Alberta Soccer Association and its Members, both in terms of their conduct and any administrative requirements.

2. Minimum of 5 years of proving contribution to the development of soccer in Alberta. Years of experience:

3. Current members of the Referee Development Committee or past members of one year or less are not eligible for nomination

#### Criteria

Consider the criteria not merely as prerequisites but as a strategic compass, directing nominees towards attributes valued by the Alberta Soccer Association. While meeting every criterion is not obligatory, it significantly amplifies the likelihood of selection.

1. Leadership and Impact: The recipient should be a woman who has demonstrated outstanding leadership and has made a significant and positive impact in the field of soccer.

Provide Details:

2. Community Engagement: The recipient should be involved in promoting soccer and its values within the local and wider community, inspiring girls and women to engage with the sport.

Provide Details:

3. Commitment to Advancement: The individual should be dedicated to the advancement of women's soccer, whether through coaching, administration, player development, or other roles within the sport. Provide Details:

4. Inspirational Mentorship: The recipient should have a track record of mentoring and inspiring other women and girls to pursue and excel in soccer-related roles. Provide Details:

5. Contributions to the Soccer Community: The nominee should have contributed to the soccer community, enhancing the reputation and growth of soccer in Alberta. Provide Details:

6. Diversity and Inclusion: Emphasize the importance of promoting diversity and inclusion within the soccer community and recognize women who actively champion these values. Provide Details:

7. Innovation and Progress: Recognize women who have introduced innovative ideas, programs, or practices that have advanced the sport, promoting inclusion and gender equality.

Provide Details:

8. Development: Consider contributions that have positively impacted the development of females in the game of soccer, including promoting talent development and skill enhancement.

Provide Details:

9. Ethical Standards and Sportsmanship: The award should acknowledge individuals who have consistently upheld high ethical standards, integrity, and sportsmanship both on and off the field.

Provide Details:

Name of the Nominee:

Nominated by:

**District/Club:** 

Phone number:

Email:

**Reason for Nomination:** 

Kindly contemplate the submission of **endorsements**, **testimonials**, as well as **documents** and **videos** sourced from peers, coaches, players, and administrators who can attest to the nominee's noteworthy contributions and commendable character. Please return this form, along with any supporting documents, to **Cicero Viana** (<u>cviana@albertasoccer.com</u>) with the subject line "Alberta Soccer Awards Nomination".

Date: