

THE PATRICIA C. BOSS STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD

Patricia Boss was the MASSP Director of Student Services from 1992-1997. She was an inspiration to all the members of the Association and put her heart and soul into her job working both day and night to make MASC the best it could be. She believed in the students and made certain that students received the recognition they deserved. In tribute to the outstanding work and inspiration of Pat Boss, the MASC Student State Board created this award to honor Mrs. Boss. The **Patricia C. Boss Student Leadership Award** will be given annually at the State Convention to an outstanding senior-class student leader in MASC.

A **Student Leader of the Year for the High School Level** will be selected from the applications received. The recipient will be selected by the MASC State Board. Recognition of the winner will take place at the MASC/MAHS State Conference. The candidate who is nominated for the award must be a senior, and **only one student may be nominated per school.**

APPLICATION PROCESS (NEW FOR 2006-2007):

*The candidate must be a **SENIOR** enrolled in a high school that is a current member of the Michigan Association of Honor Societies. There may be only **one** applicant per high school. **Students that are currently on or have been on the MAHS Board of Delegates are NOT eligible for nomination!***

The following documents must be included in the application process.

1. COVER PAGE
 - a. Please complete the COVER PAGE document contained in this application. Missing information will disqualify the candidate.
 - b. The Cover Page should be the **FIRST** page of the **stapled** application packet. Please **DO NOT** place applications in folders, bindings, or anything else "special" – a stapled packet is all we want. Creativity and presentation do not enhance the candidate's possibility of being honored with the Patricia C. Boss Student Leadership Award.
2. APPLICATION SHEETS
 - a. Fill out the application sheets to the best of your ability or have the candidate complete them him/herself if this is not a surprise award.
 - b. Any incomplete or missing Application Sheets will result in the applicant being disqualified.
3. RECOMMENDATION FROM ADVISER
 - a. Each applicant must have a recommendation letter from his/her Student Council Adviser. The Adviser should write on why this candidate should be awarded the Patricia C. Boss Student Leadership Award. Please include **SPECIFIC** activities/projects the candidate has been involved with.
 - b. The recommendation letter is limited to one page and must be typed, double-spaced, and signed by the adviser.
4. CANDIDATE'S LETTER
 - a. Each candidate must compose a letter on the importance of student leadership in his/her life. Candidates should focus on addressing how they have used leadership to impact their life and others' lives.
 - b. The candidate is limited to one page, typed. The letter must be signed by the student candidate.
5. DEADLINE
 - a. All applications must be **POSTMARKED BY February 23, 2007.**
 - b. Applications must be mailed to MASC:
1001 Centennial Way, Suite 100, Lansing, MI 48917

QUESTIONS?

Contact Kadi Pojeta, Association Coordinator:
517-327-5315 kadip@michiganprincipals.org

**MASC PATRICIA C. BOSS STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD
2006-2007 APPLICATION**

COVER PAGE

**Please print clearly or type the information below. Feel free to re-type this page if needed. All information contained on this page must be typed onto your new page, in the same order as it appears here. No additional information may be added.*

Candidate's Name (First & Last): _____

School Name: _____

School City: _____

Grade Level: _____

Current Position on Student Council: _____

Nominated by: _____

Nominator's Phone: _____

Nominator's Email: _____

Attach photograph of candidate here.
This should be a recent photo of ONLY the candidate.
School photos work the best!

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APPLICATION PAGE

**Please print clearly or type answers. Feel free to re-type this page in its entirety. You must include all questions, provide us with a similar format, and leave the exact order of questions the same.*

1. List the positions the candidate has held on the school's Student Council.

2. List any non-council positions the candidate has held at his/her school.

3. List any community (non-school) service/events the candidate has participated in.

4. List any additional school/extra-curricular activities the candidate takes part in.

5. List the MAHS/MASC events/activities the candidate has participated in.

6. Nominator: Please describe briefly at least one way in which you feel the candidate displays leadership in the following areas.

In Council: _____

In School: _____

In Community: _____

In Personal Life: _____