

7. Stacie G Williams

Updated at Nov 29, 2023

Submission Date

Nov 29, 2023

I am nominating on behalf of:

- Myself

Date

Nov 29, 2023

Your Name:

Stacie G Williams

Organization name

The Rising Up From Silence Foundation (RUFS)

Phone Number

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Your Email

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I am nominating an:

- Organization

Name

Stacie G Williams-Farley

Organization

The Rising Up From Silence Foundation (RUFS)

I am nominating this person or organization for (pick one):

- Community Involvement Award

Address: Of the person or organization you are nominating

741 SE Starflower Avenue, D6 Port St. Lucie, Florida, 34983

Phone Number: Of the person or organization you are nominating

Why are you nominating this person or organization?

The RUFFS Foundation was established to help Victims and Survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault. Their ultimate goal is to open a "Transitional House" that would consist of a two-year program to help those in need get back on their feet so they can be an asset to their community. They have year-round fundraisers that bring a sense of unity to the community, such as turkey giveaways, BINGO nights, dining at restaurants that match purchases from RUFFS customers, Silent Auctions, and have recently opened a Thrift Store. They pay for counseling services to those in need, food, clothing, and financial assistance towards overdue utility bills etc. They host a yearly Elegant Affair Banquet at the Civic Center in Port St. Lucie which has proved to be a lucrative event as all proceeds go towards helping their clients. They host a Support Group on Fridays to help Victims & Survivors to interact and grow into their independence of a brighter future. The Founders, Terry & Cheryl Hughey are selfless individuals who have dedicated their lives to helping the less fortunate.

Optional documents or images upload to support your nomination

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that false or misleading information in my application may result in disqualification.

Shari Wilson

17. Jeannette Baechle

Updated at Sep 19, 2023

Submission Date

Sep 19, 2023

I am nominating on behalf of:

- Myself

Date

Sep 19, 2023

Your Name:

Jeannette Baechle

Organization name

Phone Number

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Your Email

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I am nominating an:

- Organization

Name

Organization

Rising Up From Silence Foundation

I am nominating this person or organization for (pick one):

- Community Involvement Award

Address: Of the person or organization you are nominating

741 SE Starflower Ave Port St. Lucie, FL, 34983

Phone Number: Of the person or organization you are nominating

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Why are you nominating this person or organization?

The RUFs Foundation has worked to improve the quality of life for a very marginalized population - victims of domestic violence and sexual abuse. They offer victims financial assistance, counseling, and other resources to help get them back on their feet, so they can be productive members of society again. The RUFs Foundation has given back to the community by offering turkey giveaways, free workshops, and safe family events that raise awareness about abuse and prevention. The RUFs Foundation isn't a reactive organization, they are proactively working to address not only the problems that domestic violence cause, but also the problems that cause domestic violence. They are a fantastic organization.

Optional documents or images upload to support your nomination

- Counseling
- Therapy
- Financial Assistance
- Community Education Assistance & Training

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