

How to Submit a Nomination

Nominees must have:

- Membership on a Fairfax County board, authority, commission or committee (BAC) for at least ten (10) years.
- Exceptional service that contributed to the overall quality of life in the community.

Please return form no later than October 1.

Send your application to:

The Lawrence V. Fowler Award
c/o Office of the Clerk to the Board of Supervisors
12000 Government Center Parkway
Suite 533
Fairfax, VA 22035

For further information:

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**Award to be presented in December by
the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors**

Lawrence V. Fowler
Lawrence “Larry” V. Fowler gave more than one-half century to public service and serves as a

model for participation on a county commission. He worked in the federal government for 50 years and Fairfax County residents have benefited from Mr. Fowler’s 41 years of service to Fairfax County.

In 1964, he was appointed to the Fairfax County Public Utilities Commission, which is now known as the Fairfax County Consumer Protection Commission (CPC). He served as chairperson for 12 years and vice chairperson for numerous other terms.

During an incredible 41 years of service, Larry Fowler was instrumental in the following initiatives, among others:

- Recommending to the Board of Supervisors the appointment of the first director of Consumer Affairs.
- Drafting several county ordinances for the protection of consumers, such as the Peddler’s and Solicitor’s Ordinance, Taxicab Ordinance and the Towing Ordinance.

- Recommending to the Board of Supervisors the selection of the first cable television operator in Fairfax County.
- Developing the CPC Speaker’s Outreach Program that conducted an untold number of consumer education presentations to community groups throughout his tenure.
- Drafting position papers and reports on such issues as arbitration procedures, bus routes and stops, cable television request for proposal, condominium study and a home buyers guide.
- Drafting the Metropolitan Taxicab Reciprocity Agreement.
- Developing the CPC Web page.
- Recommending to the Board of Supervisors amendments to the Taxicab Ordinance to permit discounted rates for older residents and wheelchair accessible vehicles for persons with disabilities.

Mr. Fowler received the Distinguished Public Service Leadership Award for Dedicated Service to the Citizens of Fairfax County in 1990.