



2018 Sister Carol McGovern Award

Dear Member Agency,

Do you know anyone who does an outstanding job working on the front lines to alleviate hunger and poverty at your agency? Someone who deserves to be honored?

Sister Carol McGovern was Co-Director of Amos House from 1983-1995 and she was a founding board member of the Food Bank from 1983-1990. The **Sister Carol McGovern Award** is a tribute to her lifetime of work assisting others.

This award will be given at the **2018 Annual Agency Conference on May 18th** to an individual representing a member agency that works on the front lines - alleviating and preventing hunger, enabling individual self-sufficiency and empowering the communities in which they work. The individual will be honored for exemplifying Sister Carol's ideals and providing outstanding community service, *and the agency will be awarded a \$500 **COOP credit** to be used at the RI Community Food Bank.*

Criteria for Nomination Letters:

1. Any individual volunteer or staff person that works at a Food Bank member agency may be nominated for this award.
2. Letters nominating individuals must be **received by COB April 27**, and should include the following information:
 - a. Name and position title (if applicable) of the nominee,
 - b. Name of Food Bank member agency for which the nominee works/volunteers,
 - c. Examples of exemplary work and accomplishments of the nominee; describe the nominee's connection to agency programs that address alleviating and preventing hunger, enabling individual self-sufficiency, and/or empowering the communities in which they work.
3. The letters will be reviewed and the award recipient decided upon by a committee comprised of Food Bank staff.
4. Agency and nominee must have registered to attend the Annual Agency Conference by **May 3rd** in order to receive the award.

Send nomination letters to:

Hope Indeglia O'Brien, RI Food Bank, 200 Niantic Avenue, Providence, RI 02907 or email hiobrien@rifoodbank.org

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me 230-1704.

Warm Regards,

Hope Indeglia O'Brien
Agency Services Manager