

KENTUCKY FARM BUREAU MISSION

Kentucky Farm Bureau is a grassroots organization dedicated to serving our membership family and their communities. As the Voice of Agriculture, we identify problems, develop solutions, promote economic success, and enhance the quality of life for all.

KENTUCKY FARM BUREAU GENERATION BRIDGE ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR NOMINATION RULES AND GUIDELINES

Purpose of this Award:

To recognize a Farm Bureau member for contributions in the following areas:

- Agricultural advocacy at the local, state, and federal level
- Knowledge of agricultural issues
- Farm Bureau engagement and leadership
- Farm business and productivity
- Community involvement

Eligibility:

- 1) Must be nominated by a Farm Bureau member and signed by the county President.
- 2) The individual must be a Farm Bureau member between the ages of 36-49 actively involved in farming or an agriculture-related enterprise.
- 3) A recent photograph of the nominee along with additional supporting photographs demonstrating the individual's agricultural advocacy efforts, leadership and community involvement are to be included with submission of the application.
- 4) Any Farm Bureau member is eligible to nominate **one** individual for the KFB Generation Bridge Advocate of the Year Award. Completed nominations must be submitted by email or postmarked by **October 28, 2022**. Submit signed nominations to: Kyle.Kelly@kyfb.com or:
Kentucky Farm Bureau
Attn: Kyle Kelly
9201 Bunsen Parkway
Louisville, KY 40220

The state winner will be announced at the General Session at the KFB State Annual Meeting.

Judging Criteria (100 points maximum)

Advocacy Efforts	30 points
Knowledge of agricultural issues	20 points
Farm Bureau engagement and leadership	20 points
Farm business and productivity	15 points
Community involvement	15 points

Nominees will be judged by a panel of outside agricultural professionals.

**Current Generation Bridge Core Leadership Committee members are not eligible for this award.*

Award: All expense paid trip to the KFB Congressional Tour along with an award of recognition.



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GENERATION BRIDGE ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR
NOMINATION FORM

Nominee's Name _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Date of Birth: ___/___/____ County Farm Bureau: _____

Nominator's Name: _____

County President Signature: _____

1. Describe nominee's experience in agriculture and their role in the growth and productivity of the enterprises they help manage.

2. Describe the nominee's engagement and leadership within Farm Bureau on local, state, and national level. How has the nominee been an effective advocate for Farm Bureau and the agriculture industry? (Explain local, state, and national political leaders the nominee has been engaged with to influence policy decisions.)

3. Please share what the nominee believes to be the three greatest's issues facing American agriculture. How does the nominee plan to help solve these issues?

4. Describe nominee's involvement in other organizations and their community.

5. How has the nominee worked with consumers and others outside the agriculture industry to tell our story accurately? (Include photographs or screenshots of nominee's engagement on social media positively promoting agricultural advocacy.)

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Note: A recent photograph of the nominee along with additional supporting photographs demonstrating the individual's agricultural advocacy efforts and overall leadership experience are to be included with submission of the application. This may consist of screenshots of nominee's engagement on social media positively promoting agricultural advocacy or photos with elected officials at the local, state, or national level.