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HRC SEEKS NOMINATIONS FOR GOOD NEIGHBOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

WAKE FOREST, NC – May 16, 2012 – The Wake Forest Human Relations Council (HRC) is soliciting youth and adult nominations for the second annual Good Neighbor of the Year Award. The award is designed to recognize Wake Forest residents who work to improve the quality of life in their neighborhoods without seeking or receiving recognition for their efforts.

In order to qualify a nominee must be a Town of Wake Forest resident who has made a significant contribution to the community between Sept. 1, 2011, and Aug. 31, 2012. Employees of the Town of Wake Forest are not eligible. Only nominees between the ages of 13 and 18 are eligible for consideration in the youth category.

Nominations forms are available at the Wake Forest Town Hall, 301 S. Brooks St., and may be downloaded from the Town's website at www.wakeforestnc.gov/goodneighboraday.aspx. Completed forms may be mailed to Town of Wake Forest, c/o Tammy Moody, 301 S. Brooks St., Wake Forest, NC 27587. Email nominations will be accepted at hrc@wakeforestnc.gov. Forms may also be submitted via fax to (919) 435-9497. All nominations must be received by 5 p.m. Friday, Aug. 31.

Nominations forms must include the names of both the nominator and the nominee, along with a narrative of 400 words or less describing why the nominee is deserving of the Good Neighbor of the Year Award.

The HRC will announce one youth and one adult winner during this year's Good Neighbor Day on Sunday, Sept. 16. The event will be held from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at Holding Park, 133 W. Owen Ave.

For more information, contact HRC member Alecia DySard at (919) 862-6077 or visit www.wakeforestnc.gov/goodneighboraday.aspx.

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