

# 2025 ENTRY FORM VOLUNTEERING WORKS

*A mentoring program from NAR sponsored  
by Wells Fargo Home Mortgage*

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Real Estate Designations (ABR, CRS, GRI, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_ NRDS ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

*(Obtain your NRDS ID# at [www.realtor.org](http://www.realtor.org). Log in or register there, and click on "NRDS" to search for your number. You can also find the number printed above your name on the address label on REALTOR® Magazine.)*

Local REALTOR® Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Designated broker: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Charity name: \_\_\_\_\_

Charity Website *(if applicable)*: \_\_\_\_\_

What is the mission of your charitable organization or idea?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## ESSAY QUESTIONS *(REQUIRED)*

Please submit on a separate page. Please limit your answers to 250 words or less.

1. How long have you been involved with this organization and what have you accomplished that demonstrates your organization would benefit from you receiving this grant?
2. How would you use the \$1,000 grant to advance your efforts?
3. How do you hope to grow your nonprofit in the next three years *(include specifics)*?
4. What specific challenges have you encountered that an expert mentor can help you address?
5. What do you expect to learn from a Good Neighbor who would be a mentor for one year?
6. Is your organization a 501(c)(3) nonprofit?            Yes            No

If not, would you consider using the \$1,000 to incorporate so the funds you raise may become a tax deduction for the donor?            Yes            No

EIN (nonprofit identification number): \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION *(REQUIRED)*

*Although you may not keep exact records of your contribution, we must have your best estimate in order to evaluate the entry.*

Hours you personally volunteered for this organization during the last year: \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer hours you recruited from others to work for this organization during the year:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Dollars, materials or resources other than time you personally contributed to this organization during the last year: \_\_\_\_\_

Dollars you personally raised for this organization over the last year: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimate number of people served by your volunteer work: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you compensated for any portion of the community service work described in this application? *(If yes, please explain.)*            Yes            No

# TESTIMONIALS *(REQUIRED)*

Please attach letters from at least one person who can attest to your contribution to community service.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge, all of the information provided is true and accurate.

Signature of nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Email the completed entry form and attachments to [sgeimer@nar.realtor](mailto:sgeimer@nar.realtor)**

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**Deadline: January 15, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.**

## **C.S.T. Eligibility Criteria**

1. Nominees must be members of NAR in good standing.
2. Nominees should have contributed to a program that improves the livability of a local community. Those activities are not limited to real estate or housing issues.
3. Nominees will be judged based on their demonstrated commitment to a community project; having achieved some level of effectiveness already; their ability to identify specific challenges they want to address and set specific goals for the future of their community project; and the extent to which their organization would benefit from the help of a more experienced volunteer.
4. Nominations must be accompanied by a completed entry form.
5. Final recipients pass a background check.
6. Once they have been selected, recipients are not eligible to enter again in future years.

***Grant recipients will be announced in February.  
Questions? Please call Sara Geimer at (800) 874-6500.***