

**FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE OF OHIO, INC.**  
**FOP MEMBER OF THE YEAR**  
**NOMINATION CRITERIA**

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On a separate sheet of paper, please provide the following information:

- A. Nominee:  
Name  
Address  
Telephone Number / Email Address  
Department/Organization
  
- B. Submitting Lodge:  
Lodge Name and Number  
Lodge President and Secretary  
Mailing Address  
Telephone Number
  
- C. Eligibility  
Only active FOP members currently working in Law Enforcement or retired from Law Enforcement shall be considered for this award. Retired Law Enforcement Officers are to be construed as active members.  
All nominations must be submitted by a Lodge in good standing. No individual member shall submit his or her own name as a nominee.  

***Members currently holding State or National elected offices are ineligible for nomination.***
  
- D. Criteria  
Nominees will be considered on the basis of their career in Law Enforcement, their Fraternal Order of Police involvement and service that they have rendered to the community.  
Application should be in typewritten form and include information/documentation as to why the Lodge feels the applicant should be considered for this award.  
Nominations are limited to one (1) per Lodge.
  
- E. Deadline for submitting applications is **postmark of June 7, 2026.**

COMPLETED NOMINATION FORMS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION SHOULD BE EMAILED TO: [dyoung@fopohio.org](mailto:dyoung@fopohio.org)