

**TRIDENT UNITED WAY  
WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP COUNCIL  
2012 AWARDS NOMINATION FORM**



Trident United Way's Women's Leadership Council is a network of women who give to Trident United Way at the leadership level. The Council engages, encourages, and recognizes women leaders in our community, educates members about the impact of their contributions, and positions women as philanthropic leaders in our community.

The Women's Leadership Council also recognizes women who *Live United* and embody United Way's core principles through giving, advocating, and volunteering. **Please take this opportunity to nominate a woman in your life who exemplifies one of the award categories below.**

***BEHIND-THE-SCENES HERO***

Many women are a vital part of T UW's annual success. These women may be running workplace campaigns, ensuring their coworkers and friends are kept informed about T UW happenings, or volunteering at T UW and throughout the community. They go above and beyond to help T UW solve problems in the community and devise creative ways to engage their peers.

Please provide evidence that the nominee:

- Embodies the spirit of volunteerism.
- Positively influences others to get involved with T UW.
- Advocates for T UW among her peers, coworkers, or the community.

***ROLE MODEL***

T UW's Women's Leadership Council accounts for nearly \$3.6 million in contributions annually. In this group, there are philanthropic leaders who represent "Give, Advocate, Volunteer" to the fullest. In many cases, they are not only leaders within T UW, but are also leaders within our community. They set the standard to which we should all strive in our lives.

Please provide evidence that the nominee:

- Supports T UW via time, funding, and talent.
- Is a philanthropic leader in the community.

***NONPROFIT LEADER***

T UW works with other nonprofit agencies to further its mission to solve the most critical problems facing our community. Many of these organizations are led by women, both employees and key volunteers, who know how to stretch a small budget, work efficiently with a small staff and corps of volunteers, and ensure their programs are achieving results. On top of being a leader in their own organization, these women are advocating for T UW. They understand that change in our community takes many organizations working together. Many of these women give both time and money to T UW and are proud of their organization's alignment with T UW.

Please provide evidence that the nominee:

- Significantly impacts our community through her nonprofit leadership role.
- Demonstrates a commitment to and support of T UW.

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NOMINATIONS DUE ON OR BEFORE FEBRUARY 20, 2012**

**AWARD CATEGORY:**     Behind-the-Scenes Hero  
                                   Role Model  
                                   Nonprofit Leader

**NOMINEE'S INFORMATION:**

Name:

Position/Organization:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

**NOMINATOR'S INFORMATION:**

Your Name:

Position/Organization:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail:

**NOMINATION PROCESS**

Please provide WLC's volunteer awards committee with a description of the nominee and how she demonstrates the characteristics outlined in the selected category. **Supporting documents, such as letters of recommendation from colleagues, coworkers and other community leaders are encouraged and should be included with nomination.** The committee will review applications and will notify all winners and nominators prior to the event. The winners will be publicly announced during the 2012 Women's Leadership Council Luncheon. Nominees do not have to be members of the Women's Leadership Council; however, strong support of or involvement with Trident United Way is necessary for serious consideration. Nominators do not have to be members of WLC and may be female or male. Nominations must be complete and submitted by deadline in order to receive consideration.

**RETURN BY FEBRUARY 20, 2012 TO:**

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