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| Fourth Annual National Federal Facility Excellence in Site Reuse Award 2021 Nomination form| www.epa.gov/fedfacts  |  |

**October 27, 2020**

We are pleased to announce the fourth annual National Federal Facility Excellence in Site Reuse award! This award recognizes those who have supported the reuse and restoration of Federal Facility sites through outstanding efforts.

To nominate a site for this award, please submit the attached form and return it by Friday, February 12, 2021. To submit a form or to receive more information about the award process, please visit our website at [www.epa.gov/fedfacts](http://www.epa.gov/fedfacts) or contact Jyl Lapachin at (202) 564-0560 or lapachin.jyl@epa.gov. Awardees will be announced in Spring 2021. Thank you in advance for submitting a nomination form and for all your efforts. We look forward to reviewing your submission.

**AWARD:**

EPA established the National Federal Facility Excellence in Site Reuse award to recognize those who have supported the reuse and restoration of Federal Facility sites through outstanding efforts. Many Federal agencies have worked closely with EPA to ensure that sites are remediated to promote continued property use or support a site reuse.

**BACKGROUND:**

EPA has successfully facilitated the redevelopment of Federal Facility sites across the country. This success is largely due to the creative thinking, hard work, and cooperation among Other Federal Agencies (OFAs); developers; and state, local and tribal partners to encourage restoration of sites to their anticipated future reuses. To recognize these collaborative outcomes, EPA created the National Federal Facility Excellence in Site Reuse award to commend exemplary work remediating a Federal Facility site for its beneficial use.

 **ELIGIBILITY:**

The National Federal Facility Excellence in Site Reuse award can be given to project teams including OFA project managers; developers; reuse authorities; or state, tribal and local partners who have demonstrated excellence in working cooperatively with EPA to ensure the reuse of a Federal Facility site complements the remedial actions taken. The redevelopment should demonstrate excellence in the criteria listed below. All Federal Facility cleanup sites are eligible to receive this award, except for those sites that have received an EPA Brownfields Program grant.

**PERFORMANCE PERIOD:**

There is no set performance period for the award; the accomplishment does not have to be recent, and re-nomination of previous nominees is strongly encouraged.

**AWARD CATEGORIES:**

There are four categories of awards: 1) National Priorities List (NPL) sites, 2) NPL Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) sites, 3) non-NPL sites, 4) and non-NPL BRAC sites.

**EVALUATION CRITERIA:**

Award teams demonstrate excellence in:

1. Working cooperatively and forming partnerships
2. Complementing redevelopment design with the selected remedy
3. Innovating beneficial use outcomes
4. Considering the impacts on and inputs from the local community
5. Creating jobs, fostering economic development or recreational opportunities, or supporting mission support

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**NOMINATION FORM**

Please fill out the form completely. Note, no more than **10 pages of text** is suggested, photos and can be attached as additional pages, which do not count toward the page limit. Please save your form (pdf, preferred, or as a Word file), and email it to [Jyl Lapachin](file:///C%3A%5CUsers%5Cjlapachi%5COneDrive%20-%20Environmental%20Protection%20Agency%20%28EPA%29%5CEZ%20Records%20-%20Private) (lapachin.jyl@epa.gov).

**Site Name:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Team** [list of agencies/organizations, members, etc. that are being nominated for the award]**:** Click or tap here to enter text.

**Award Category (please select one):**

**[ ]** NPL

[ ]  Non-NPL

[ ]  NPL BRAC

[ ]  Non-NPL BRAC

**Questions:**

1. **Please provide a brief summary of the site reuse successes:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Please provide an overview of the outstanding reuse and restoration efforts:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Please describe how the site team worked cooperatively and formed partnerships:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Please describe how the site complements the redevelopment design with the selected remedy:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Please describe how the site demonstrates innovative beneficial use:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Please describe how the redevelopment positively impacts the local community:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Describe how the site redevelopment creates jobs, fosters economic development or recreational opportunities, or promotes mission support:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

1. **Additional details, optional:**

Click or tap here to enter text.

**Insert pictures (no limit), optional.**



**Video link, optional.**

Thank you for your time!