



MONTGOMERY COUNTY EXECUTIVE ORDER

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Subject Roscoe R. Nix Distinguished Community Leadership Award	Executive Order No. 99-12	Subject Suffix
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By virtue of the authority vested in me as Montgomery County Executive, the Roscoe R. Nix Distinguished Community Leadership Award is established and is to be bestowed each year by the Montgomery County Executive on an individual or individuals who over the course of their distinguished lives of community service and leadership have made extraordinary contributions to the quality of our Montgomery County community at the very highest levels of excellence.


Roscoe R. Nix, a champion of civil rights, was one of the major architects of the modern Montgomery County. As a member of the Board of Education and as president of the Montgomery County branch of the NAACP, Mr. Nix was a fearless and tireless advocate for educational excellence and social justice.

Modeled after the Presidential Medal of Freedom, the nation's highest civilian award, the Roscoe R. Nix Distinguished Community Leadership Award will be bestowed each year by the County Executive on Montgomery County's most outstanding community builders, the community change agents who stand out as our role models for future generations.

The very first Roscoe R. Nix Distinguished Community Leadership Award will be presented posthumously to Roscoe R. Nix for his half century of service to Montgomery County on this night April 30, 2012 at the Inaugural Montgomery Serves Awards ceremony at Imagination Stage in Bethesda, Maryland.

Approved:

By: 
 Isiah Leggett
 County Executive
 Montgomery County, Maryland

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY
 OFFICE OF COUNTY ATTORNEY
 BY: 
 DATE: 4/26/12