

CITIZEN SOLDIER CONNECTION CHRISTMAS WISH PROGRAM

AWARD ELIGIBILITY

The Citizen Soldier Connection Christmas Wish Program is designed to recognize up to three active-duty military or veteran families from the Pikes Peak Region around the Christmas holiday each year. We will work with local base leadership and local civilian leaders to nominate worthy candidates. It is our intent to select 1-3 recipients and provide up to \$10K per recipient. If more funding is needed for an individual recipient or family, the board can reduce recipients to one or two in order to accommodate. This program can provide a maximum of \$30K to recipient/s.

This program will have many candidates; therefore, each nomination should be thorough, convincing and well-written. The intent of this program to find families with special circumstances that are deserving of more than just help, but in this case they deserve to be given a special gift of love this Christmas.

Deadline for receipt of nominations: 30 Nov 2022:

Award presentation date; TBD (target timeframe will be prior to standard active duty leave blocks. This will be coordinated with installation leadership and recipients)

NOMINATOR

Name of Nominator _____

Position/ Role/ Title _____

Email _____

Phone _____

NOMINEE

Name of Nominee/s _____

Position/ Role/ Title _____

Email _____

Phone _____

SUBMISSION

1) Complete this form (Email to: Sherri@citizensoldierconnection.org)

2) Attach a word document describing why you have chosen your nominee. Please include as much information as possible, including the below info:

a) Nominee circumstances that are worthy of support. History of circumstances and how long the individual or family persisted with the challenge.

b) Has the individual or family overcome significant obstacles and if so, please describe.

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c) Has the nominee demonstrated character, generosity of spirit, persistence, and commitment in dealing with their circumstances. If so, please describe.

d) How are the circumstances surrounding this nominee unique?

e) What gift or gifts are recommended for the individual or family?

f) How will this gift/s improve or positively impact the life of nominee/s?

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