

## 2012 Salute to Women Call for Nominations

*It's nomination time! We're counting on you to take the time to nominate a deserving woman for this prestigious award.*

Many women in the Billings area deserve recognition for their contributions to their profession and community. We rely on individual community members to submit nominations to help us select five outstanding women who will be honored at the annual **YWCA Salute to Women Banquet** to be held **April 19, 2012**.

We are again calling for nominations of women who exemplify achievements in the following areas:

- Significant contribution to her area of interest
- Significant contribution to volunteer service or profession
- Significant contribution to the community
- Courage, creativity, competency, originality and perseverance
- Contribution to improving the quality of life for others

Please use the enclosed nomination form to nominate the woman of your choice who meets the criteria listed above. Additional nomination forms are available at [www.ywcabillings.org](http://www.ywcabillings.org).

Salute honorees are selected by a committee of community members who are independent of the YWCA and major sponsors. Current members of the YWCA Board of Directors or YWCA staff may **not** be nominated. Current members of the YWCA Board of Directors, YWCA Staff or their families may **not** make a nomination or serve on the selection committee.

**Send your complete nomination packet of completed nomination form and 3 letters of recommendation to:**

**YWCA Salute to Women  
909 Wyoming Ave.  
Billings, MT 59101**

**All nominations MUST be received  
by 5:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012.  
This deadline is firm; no exceptions.**

If your nominee is selected, you will receive a call from the Selection Committee notifying you of the award and you will be provided with further instructions. You will also be notified if your nominee is not selected. The committee will not communicate directly with the nominees who are not chosen for 2012 Salute.

Awards will be presented at the **Salute to Women Banquet on Tuesday, April 19th, 2012 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel**. This event is open to the public by reserved seating only. For reservations or information, call the YWCA at 252-6303.

Thank you for assisting us in identifying women of distinction in the Billings area!

*YWCA Salute to Women Committee*