

2010 Missouri Livestock Symposium Person of the Year Applications Due May 1

Applications are now being accepted for 2010 Northeast Missouri Livestock Person of the Year. According to Regional Livestock Specialist Bruce Lane applications are open to residents from any of the following counties in northeast Missouri: Adair, Clark, Knox, Lewis, Linn, Macon, Monroe, Pike, Putnam, Randolph, Ralls, Schuyler, Scotland, Shelby, or Sullivan. The individual receiving this award must have made a significant contribution to the livestock industry in northeast Missouri and/or beyond. Eligible applicants can be producers of livestock, agribusiness personnel, agency personnel, or agriculture researchers. Other parties who have been long-time supporters of the northeast Missouri livestock industry will also be considered. The selected applicant will become a member of the Northeast Missouri Livestock Producers Hall of Fame and will be inducted at a ceremony at the 2010 Missouri Livestock Symposium to be held in Kirksville, Missouri.

All applications must be received no later than 5:00 PM on May 1, 2010. Applications may be found at <http://missourilivestock.com> or hard copies of the application may be obtained by calling 660-665-9866.

According to Lane, the successful applicant will be inducted into the coveted Northeast Missouri Livestock Producer Hall of Fame and receive a hand painted 20" by 24" framed oil portrait with plaque. Past inductees include Bill Sidwell (Queen City); Wayne "Doc" Smith (Winigan, MO.); Dale Watson (Kirksville, MO.); Garry Mathes (Greentop, MO.); Kenneth Eitel (Greencastle, MO.); and Dr. Kyle Kent (Green City, MO.). The 2009 inductee will be Charles Selway, Williamstown, Missouri.

If additional information is required you can call Garry Mathes at 660-341-6625 or Bruce Lane at 660-665-9866 or email lanen@missouri.edu and put LPOY in the subject line.