

Citizen of Year nominations sought

Alaska Federation of Natives, Inc. is seeking nominations for the 1982 AFN Citizen of the Year Award.

In the past, these awards have been presented to such distinguished Native leaders as John Sackett, Frank Degnan, Roger Lang, Emil Notti, Howard Rock, Chief Andrew Isaac, Della Keats, Richard Jansen, Eben Hobson, and Willie Hensley.

The presentation of this

award has provided the Native community with an opportunity to formally and publicly recognize those individuals who have devoted a large portion of their lives to the objectives of AFN as outlined in our constitution:

- To promote pride on the part of the Natives of Alaska in their heritage and traditions;
- To preserve the customs, folklore and art of the Native people;

- To promote the physical, economic, and social well-being of Alaska Natives;

- To discourage and overcome racial prejudice and the inequities which such prejudice creates, and,

- To promote good government by reminding those who govern and those governed of their joint and mutual responsibilities.

If you have an individual you would like to nominate for

this distinct award, forward your nomination and a brief paragraph describing your candidate — a bit of personal background and why you feel this individual should be nominated.

Background information must be sent along with the nomination because the AFN board of directors, when making their decision, need to have the full profile in order to have a basis for their decision.

The AFN board of direc-

tors will be meeting to select the individual to receive this award prior to the convention. We are asking that all nominations arrive at our offices no later than Tuesday, Oct. 12, 1982.

Please forward your nominations and any questions and comments to:

**AFN, INC.
CITIZEN OF THE YEAR
NOMINATION**
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