**Project Nomination Form**

**Kenneth E. Pickard Municipal Innovation Award**

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**To enter, please email this nomination form signed by your community’s chief municipal official, along with your project summary sheet (below) and any other information or materials to assist the judges in understanding the project to dyi@mma.org by October 31, 2025.**

Municipality: 

Project Title: 

**As the chief municipal official (CMO), I commit to participating in the MMA Kenneth E. Pickard Municipal Innovation Awards.**

Name:



Title:



Date: 

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Project Summary Sheet

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Date of program/project inception: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Description of project: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Who is involved (individuals and groups): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Please attach any additional information or materials that would aid in an overview and assist the judges in understanding this project. Feel free to send photos, brochures, maps, newspaper articles, videos, etc.**