



# ***MARINE CORPS LEAGUE DEPARTMENT OF FLORIDA MARINE OF THE YEAR SOCIETY***

The Marine of the Year Award is the highest award that can be bestowed upon a Marine Corps Leaguer. All detachments have a Marine who stands out above all others, a Marine who is always willing to roll up his or her sleeves to do that tough job. Detachment Commandants should use this award to recognize that special Marine.

Commandants are reminded that nominations shall be based on achievements and activities during the period of June to May of the current fiscal year.

It is imperative that Detachment Commandants submit the nomination letter from their Detachment in time to meet the deadline.

Below you will find the instructions for nominating your Detachment's choice for Department of Florida Marine of the Year. Please follow the instructions carefully. **"Failure to follow any of these instructions will disqualify the nomination from consideration by the Society."**

Semper Fidelis,  
Marine of the Year Society

## **MARINE OF THE YEAR INSTRUCTIONS**

1. The name and qualifications of candidates (nominee) must be typed or legibly printed on the application form and approved by the signature of the candidate's Detachment Commandant over the signature of the Detachment Adjutant to verify that all information submitted is correct. If the Detachment Commandant or Adjutant is the candidate, then the Detachment Sr. Vice Commandant's signature must be submitted for that Officer.
2. Only one (1) candidate from each of the respective Detachments within the Department can be submitted and must have been voted on and approved by the Detachment and recorded in the Detachment minutes. The application for MOY must state in writing that the nominee was voted on and approved for MOY by the Detachment at a regular meeting and recorded in the Detachment minutes.
3. The Candidate's letter of nomination must be placed in a sealed envelope identified as "CANDIDATE - DEPARTMENT OF FL MOY" and placed in another envelope addressed and mailed via **Certify Mail Return Receipt Requested**, to the Department MOY Society's President; post dated by May 15<sup>th</sup>.
4. The Name of the MOY recipient will be announced at the Convention banquet. No others nominated and/or considered will be named.

5. Eligibility: Any Marine Corps League regular member in good standing with any Detachment within the Department of Florida with the following qualifications:

- a. Activities within the Marine Corps League which demonstrate devotion to the principle and purpose of the Marine Corps and the Marine Corps League, and/or
- b. Achievements and activities in the Marine Corps League and other Veterans organizations, and/or
- c. Achievements and activities in community, civic, and social organizations which would enhance the posture of the Marine Corps and the Marine Corps League, and/or
- d. Hold any elected or appointed Detachment, Department or National Office.

NOTE: Candidates to include posthumous nominees must have achieved the above qualifications during the fiscal year immediately preceding the date of the Department Convention at which the submission is made.

6. The MOY Society will consist of all past recipients present at the convention.

**Mail nomination to:**

**Marine of the Year Society  
C/O Scott DuPree  
4335 NW 22 Terrace  
Gainesville, FL 32605-1718**

**NOMINATION FORM  
FOR DEPARTMENT OF FLORIDA  
MARINE OF THE YEAR**

**This form is interactive; you can use your keyboard to type the information in.**

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Detachment Name and Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Certification:**

**The above named nominee for Department of Florida Marine of the Year was approved by the Detachment by majority vote.**

**Signature of Commandant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Adjutant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Type or Print reason(s) for selection of nominee; if more space is needed, use the additional sheet on the second page.**

**You may use your keyboard to type your nominee's accomplishments on the space below, if more space is needed you may add page(s) to this form.**

Please print or type Reasons for Nomination, below.

Continue with nomination