June B. Lee Advocacy Award Guídelínes

The JCTA Spotlight Committee awards the June B. Lee Advocacy award to a JCTA member who has demonstrated exemplary advocacy for JCTA, teachers, students, or public education.

- 1. To be eligible for the award, the nominee MUST be a JCTA member.
- 2. The nominee must have verbally or by written statement strongly advocated for JCTA, teachers, students, or public education.
- 3. JCTA members must make nominations in writing on the official form. Members can get forms from their Professional Representatives, or the JCTA website (www.jcta.org).
- 4. Nominators will be asked to summarize how the nominee has met the following:
 - a. How has the nominee advocated for JCTA, teachers, students, or public education?
 - b. Specifically, what verbal or written statements has the nominee contributed to advocate for JCTA, teachers, students, or public education?
 - c. Provide evidence as needed.
- 5. The Spotlight Committee will review applications for the awards and make recommendations to the JCTA President. Selection will be made regardless of age, sex, race, or creed. In the event of any disagreement with the committee's selection(s), the recommendation(s) shall be presented to the JCTA Board with rationale. The opposing rationale shall also be provided to the Board. The decision of the Board shall be final.
- Nominations for awards <u>MUST</u> be received in the JCTA office by January 31, 2017. Completed applications can be mailed to JCTA Attn: Spotlight Committee 1941 Bishop Lane, Suite 300, Louisville, KY 40218 or sent electronically to SPOTLIGHT@jcta.org.
- 7. Awards will be presented at the annual Spotlight Awards Ceremony during the March Professional Representatives Meeting.