

## Previous Honorees

\*The Hon. Norman R. Hamilton-1932  
\*John A. Morris-1939  
\*Edward W. Maupin, Jr.-1940  
\*The Rt. Rev. Msgr. F. Harold Nott-1941  
\*Frank D. Lawrence-1942  
\*RADM Felix X. Gyax, USN-1943  
\*George T. McLean-1944  
\*Thomas Alva Willett-1945  
\*The Hon. Lawrence W. l'Anson-1946  
\*Leslie T. Fox-1947  
\*Sol Fass-1948  
\*Maywood O. Lawrence-1949  
\*Abner B. Hill-1950  
\*The Hon. Porter Hardy, Jr.-1951  
\*Lewis C. Warren-1952  
\*The Rev. Ernest K. Emurian-1953  
\*J. Roy Rodman-1954  
\*O.B. Woolridge-1955  
\*Harry A. Hunt-1956  
\*The Rt. Rev. William A. Brown-1957  
\*Arthur J. Lancaster-1958  
\*Fred Beazley-1959  
\*Arthur Lee Cherry-1960  
\*Richard F. Wood-1961  
\*Russell Mills Cox, M.D.-1962  
\*George T. Ewell-1963  
\*Lester Lloyd Knight-1964  
\*John Tydings Nix-1965  
\*Wilfred Fleming Magann-1966  
\*Dr. Robert Monroe Campbell-1967  
\*The Hon. John Ashton MacKenzie-1968  
E. Saunders Early, Jr.-1969  
\*Robert Murdaugh Reed-1970  
\*Mearl A. Kise, Ph. D.-1971  
\*Paul Curtis Stokley-1972  
\*The Hon. Richard J. Davis-1973  
Herbert K. Bangel-1974  
\*P. Stockton Fleming-1975  
\*Emily Nichols Spong-1976  
\*Frank Langley Kirby-1977  
\*George Delman Eastes-1978  
\*Daniel W. Duncan Ph. D.-1979  
\*Robert William Wentz, Jr.-1980  
\*RADM Jamie Adair, USN, Ret.-1981  
\*Emile S. Sayegh, M.D.-1982  
\*Peter Eustis-1983  
Bradford L. Cherry-1984  
\*John Paul Conwell Hanbury-1985  
\*J. Herbert Simpson-1986  
Anne Hyde Long-1987  
W. Ashton Lewis-1988  
P. Ward Robinett, Jr.-1989  
\*Arthur J. Lancaster, Jr.-1990  
Herbert A. Haneman, Jr.-1991  
The Hon. Morton V. Whitlow-1992  
Maury Wise Cooke-1993  
Zelma Goodman Rivin-1994  
Junius H. Williams, Jr.-1995  
\*J. Hunter Brantley, Jr.-1996  
\*Ernest F. Hardee-1997  
Horace S. Savage, Jr.-1998  
G. Robert Aston, Jr.-1999  
David R. Tynch-2000  
Michael J. Blachman-2001  
Diane Pomeroy Griffin-2002  
R. Scott Morgan-2003  
Nancy Glisson Wren-2004  
\*Arthur A. Kirk, M.D.-2005  
William H. Kline, Jr.-2006  
\*James W. Holley, III-2007  
\*Albert J. Taylor-2008  
Donald W. Comer, Jr.-2009  
Robert T. Williams-2010  
Cmdr. R. Malcolm Fortson, III-2011  
W. Carroll & Gloria M. Creecy-2012  
Richard E. H. Wentz-2013  
Richard Kendrick Huneycutt-2014 Lynn  
Mapp Wiggins-2015  
John G. Hatcher, Jr. - 2016  
B. Ross Cherry - 2017  
\*Deceased



# Presents

## Portsmouth's First Citizen

November 1, 2018

For eighty-three years, the citizens of Portsmouth have honored an individual for his or her contributions to the Portsmouth community by naming that individual Portsmouth's First Citizen. The First Citizen Committee, comprised of all living previous honorees, is now accepting nominations for the **First Citizen of Portsmouth 2018**, to be honored in April 2019.

A Portsmouth First Citizen should be an individual who embodies the spirit of citizenship through his or her service to the community for the sole purpose of and in the spirit of giving. This spirit is evidenced by an individual's civic, charitable, and religious contributions to fellow citizens, the Portsmouth and Hampton Roads communities, the state and country without remuneration and over and above the pursuit of one's chosen vocation.

To nominate an individual, please complete the enclosed basic information form and submit a detailed letter of nomination to the First Citizen's Committee, c/o Portsmouth Service League, PO Box 6647, Portsmouth, VA 23703. In your nomination letter, you should describe the nominee's background, scope of work in the community, the qualities or actions that make that work extraordinary, and why you feel the nominee should become First Citizen. You should consider the nominee's service to humanity, volunteer service and philanthropic contribution, governmental contributions, cultural achievements, and moral and/or religious leadership. Your nominee need not be a resident of Portsmouth, but his or her service should have been principally in or to the City of Portsmouth.

Nominations are confidential and the nominee should not be informed of his or her nomination. Persons having identified a citizen for nomination are encouraged to collaborate to present a broad spectrum of a nominee's accomplishments and provide letters of endorsement. **Please submit your nomination on or before December 31, 2018.** Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Sarah at (757) 620-3906 or Mallory at (757) 653-6260.

Sincerely,

Sarah Giacometti  
*Portsmouth Service League*  
*First Citizen Committee Co-Chair*

Mallory Tuttle  
*Portsmouth Service League*  
*First Citizen Committee Co-Chair*

**2018 First Citizen of Portsmouth Nomination Information Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Organizations & Affiliations: \_\_\_\_\_

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Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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**DEADLINE - DECEMBER 31, 2018**

Please return this basic information form along with a detailed letter of nomination to:  
**First Citizen's Committee c/o Portsmouth Service League, PO Box 6647, Portsmouth, VA 23703**