**FOUNDERS' AWARD GUIDELINES 2013**

To: Beta Alpha State Chapter Presidents

From: Sheila Knight & Sheila Mable, Co-Chairs of the Founders' Award Committee

Date: September 10, 2012

**PURPOSE OF THE AWARD**

* To honor the Founders of Beta Alpha State
* To provide for the continued awareness of Beta Alpha State
* To honor a current member of Beta Alpha State who has furthered the Purposes of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International in a significant way

**NOMINATION**

Each chapter has the opportunity to nominate one member of any chapter of the Beta Alpha State organization, based on the criteria below.

**CRITERIA FOR THE NOMINEE**

* Be an established member of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International for five (5) years
* Have an understanding of the Society's Purposes
* Have made accomplishments within the Society
* Have a keen interest in the education of children
* Have a rich educational background

**FRAMEWORK FOR DATA**

(Use the enclosed form or download the form from BAS website at *dkg.org*.)

* Name:
* Chapter:
* Education:
* Teaching Experience:
* DKG Participation:
* Other Professional Activities:
* Community Activities:
* Awards or Honors:
* Other Significant Information:

**DEADLINE**

Nominations must be received on or before **March 1, 2013**.

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Feel free to call Sheila Knight at (603) 228-8029 if you have any questions.

**MEETING TO SELECT RECIPIENTS**

Chapter Presidents or representatives appointed from their chapters will meet during the Beta Alpha State Spring Convention on Friday, April 5, 2013, at Mountain View Grand Hotel in Whitefield. The time and room will be announced later.