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TheDCH Announces Recipients of Annual Volunteer Awards

Wilmington, DE – At a ceremony last week, the Delaware Center for Horticulture announced the recipients of our Annual Volunteer Awards. In 2016, 420 volunteers contributed 3,685 hours to TheDCH, helping us achieve our mission statewide.

MARY MARSH AWARD – Carroll Eaton (Garden Club of Wilmington Volunteer Coordinator for Gardening Program at Baylor Women’s Correctional Institution)

- Recognizing an individual of stature within the horticultural or gardening community for their contributions to the field of amenity horticulture.

EMILY du PONT AWARD – David Brownlee (Former Board Chairman of DCH)

- Recognizing an individual for his/her outstanding service to the Delaware Center for Horticulture.

PUBLIC SERVANT GREENING AWARD – The Honorable Ed Kee (Secretary of Agriculture)

- Recognizing an elected official or other government employee for his/her outstanding commitment to greening in the State of Delaware.

VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD – Kevin Fenimore (Bank of America) and Antonia Jerman (DCH Volunteer)

- Recognizing an individual or individuals for his/her exceptional dedication to various projects for DCH.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD – Carrie Murphy (New Castle County Cooperative Extension) and Melissa Douglas (DCH Volunteer)

- Recognizing an individual or individuals for his/her outstanding perseverance and deep personal commitment to the Greening of Wilmington and for their dedication and work in the community.

GREENING EDUCATION AWARD – Jason Gaskill (The Davey Tree Expert Company)

- Recognizing an individual for their outstanding dedication and commitment to horticultural and greening education.

VOLUNTEER YOUTH AWARD – Dizara Miller (High School Student)

- Recognizing an individual 18 years or younger for his/her outstanding dedication and commitment to horticulture in the community.

The Delaware Center for Horticulture cultivates a greener community, inspiring appreciation and improvement of our environment through horticulture, education, and conservation.

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