



Dear Gordon Award Committee

April 28, 2020

It is with a great deal of pleasure that I would like to nominate Shirley Hutzler for the Gordon Memorial Award.

Where do I start, I have so many great memories of Shirley which began when I first met her at a regional 4 meeting in 1991, I knew immediately that we would be good friends. Shirley was a great mentor to me, as she was too many in the industry and our association. Shirley was relentless in her commitment to NAHU's growth and helping us realize the strength and potential of our Association.

Shirley was a born leader, she had the ability to inspire others to excel but, more importantly she often recognized others leadership skills and helped others reach their potential. Her ongoing work in the legislative field was exceptional, she was definitely, a force to be reckon with.

Shirley represented everything NAHU's members should aspire to be. She was kind, compassionate, knowledgeable, considerate, and above all she was very giving.

Among her many strength she set a terrific example of perseverance and good old fashion hard work. She was a great Women and my memories of Shirley will remain in my heart forever.

Respectfully submitted

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