ABOUT THE AWARD
The Fairfax County Park Authority Board established the Harold L. Strickland Partnership and Collaboration Award in June 2015 in honor of the retiring Park Board member’s long service and significant contributions to the Park Authority. In the spirit of Strickland’s accomplishments, this award recognizes the value and importance of teamwork and cooperation necessary to provide varied constituencies with state-of-the-art facilities in our Fairfax County Parks, often at limited, reduced or no capital expense to the taxpayer.

ELIGIBILITY FOR THE AWARD
Harold L. Strickland Partnership and Collaboration Award nominees must demonstrate significant long-term accomplishments that provide the residents of Fairfax County with tangible examples of the benefits of partnerships and collaborations that help to sustain or grow service to the community while reducing the need for Fairfax County Park Authority financial resources to accomplish the service delivery. This award shall be given periodically as deemed appropriate by the Park Authority Board.

Award recipients will be honored in fall 2020.

WHO MAY NOMINATE
Anyone may submit a nomination for the Harold L. Strickland Partnership and Collaboration Award.
NOMINATIONS MUST INCLUDE

- Identification and contact information for the nominee(s) and nominator
- Completed nomination form
- A separate nomination form for each nominee.

The nomination should answer the following questions:

- How did the nominee’s service to the Park Authority promote or exhibit a spirit of partnership and collaboration?
- What are the nominee’s significant, long-term accomplishments in service to the Park Authority?
- How did the nominee’s actions help to sustain or grow programs or facilities while reducing the fiscal obligations of the Park Authority?

Attach any supporting documentation and photos, if so desired.

SELECTION OF AWARDEES
The nominations will be reviewed by the Park Authority Board Committee of the Whole. Awards are given only when a qualifying nomination is received. For a full listing of previous winners please visit online at https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/sites/parks/files/Assets/documents/aboutus/awards/Elly-Doyle-Awards-History.pdf.

CLOSING DATE
To be considered for the 2020 Harold L. Strickland Partnership and Collaboration Award, nominations must reach the Park Authority Public Information Office by Friday, June 19, 2020. Inquiries may be directed to the Public Information Office at 703-324-8662.

TIMETABLE
Nominations Open in April 2020
Nominations Close on June 19, 2020
Awardees will be honored in fall 2020

NOMINATION FORM
The nomination form can be found online at https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/awards/ellydoyle.