## An Garda Síochána



## RE: GALWAY DIVISIONAL GARDA YOUTH AWARDS 2021-NOMINATION FORMS

To whom it may concern,

I hope this letter finds you both well and safe. I am writing to enlighten you that it is that time of year again, where we are beginning to promote and canvass for our youth awards, the third such event, hosted by the Galway Divisional Gardai. The previous two years were a tremendous success with some of our Divisional Award winners being recognised on the National stage. This year, we hope will be no different.

Please find enclosed nomination forms, which we are delighted to host once again in association with Supervalu. The categories are as follows:

Individual Award.
Group Award.
Special Achievement Award.
Community Safety Award.

This year, due to Covid, there hasn't been the same opportunity for young people to become involved with activities or projects compared to previous years. However, we have also witnessed that many young people were active on the ground throughout the Covid 19 crisis, volunteering and becoming involved in a variety of projects that supported both the vulnerable in the community, and the frontline services.

Any young person/group who receives a nomination will receive a Certificate of Nomination from their local Superintendent to recognise their nomination, even if they do not succeed in winning an award.

This year we are canvassing via email and unfortunately our main awards ceremony will be a virtual event, but nevertheless, this should not take away from the event. Details on the awards are provided for in the nomination form.

If you have any questions in relation to this, please contact me on 086 8282621 or by email at ciara.m.moran@garda.ie . I can post you a hard copy of the nomination form if you need it.

I look forward to hearing from you

Yours faithfully

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