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MEMORANDUM

TO: Department Heads, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences and
College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences
Center Directors, Texas A&M AgriLife Research
Awards Committee Chairs, College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
Directors of Institutes

SUBJECT: Call for Nominations for 2017 Faculty Fellows, Texas A&M AgriLife Research

Texas A&M AgriLife Research is pleased to issue a call for nominations for Faculty Fellows within Texas A&M AgriLife Research. Established in 1998, this program recognizes outstanding and productive faculty who have contributed to the scholarly creation and dissemination of new knowledge through exceptional research leadership and grantsmanship through their respective discipline. Over the past eighteen years, 66 individuals have been recognized with this honor; a list of Faculty Fellow and Senior Faculty Fellows is available on the awards website.

Your department/unit is invited to submit nominations by utilizing the attached nomination summary. All Associate Professors and Professors who hold a budgetary appointment with Texas A&M AgriLife Research are eligible for nominations as a Faculty Fellow. Fellows receive a framed certificate designating the honor and a cash award of \$4,000. Additional information on the nomination process, eligibility and criteria for selection is provided at the following website <http://agrilifeawards.tamu.edu>. In developing your nominations, we have also provided some “helpful hints” for your consideration based on input from former members of the Faculty Fellows Review Panel.

Nominations for 2017 Faculty Fellows should be submitted on the nomination summary also available at the awards website (*not to exceed 5 total pages*) ***All nominations must be submitted electronically [.pdf file format] to npenn@tamu.edu no later than 5:00PM on Friday, September 29, 2017.*** Awards will be presented at a Texas A&M AgriLife awards ceremony in January 2018.

Information on the Texas A&M AgriLife Research Faculty Fellows awards program can be obtained on the following website <http://agrilifeawards.tamu.edu/texas-am-agrilife-research/researchfellows/>. If you have any questions regarding this award, please contact Nancye Penn at 979-845-8486.



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