

Announcing our request for nominations:
**THE ANTOINETTE BROWN BLACKWELL SOCIETY'S
2026 HENRIETTA WOMAN OF THE YEAR AWARD**

This award is given in memory of the first ordained woman minister in the United States, Antoinette Brown Blackwell, who was born and raised in Henrietta, New York.

Any woman who is presently a resident of Henrietta and has demonstrated leadership qualities and community service is eligible for this award. The award recognizes a woman who has, through her volunteer contributions **beyond those related to her work**, acted as a role model for the community.

Nominations must be received by March 6, 2026. Confidentiality will be respected. The ABB Woman of the Year Award will be presented on May 20, 2026, at the Henrietta Town Board meeting.

Thank you for helping us in our search for this year's recipient. For more information, please contact: **Jenny Smith: jmariel4949s@gmail.com chair, Nominating Committee**

Submit your nomination on the form below and mail it with letters of support to:

**ABB Woman of the Year Committee
PO Box 133
Henrietta, NY 14467**

You can also find the form on our website at www.antoINETTEbrownblackwell.org.

NOMINATION FORM

NAME OF NOMINEE _____
ADDRESS _____ ZIP CODE _____
PHONE NUMBER Home _____ Cell _____
E-MAIL _____

NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY _____
E-Mail _____
ADDRESS _____ ZIP CODE _____
PHONE NUMBER Home _____ Cell _____

Describe the nominee with regard to the following qualities. Up to three letters of recommendation with a limit of 250 words each may be submitted. Members of the award committee, the ABB Society Board of Directors, and past recipients are not eligible.

- 1. LEADERSHIP QUALITIES:** include titles and years for leadership positions.
- 2. CONTRIBUTION TO COMMUNITY:** please list significant activities.
- 3. OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION** including outstanding personal characteristics.