2023 OHIOANA BOOK AWARDS

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NOMINATION FORM

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DEADLINE: December 31, 2022

Established in 1942, the Ohioana Book Awards recognize Ohio authors for outstanding books published each year in the categories of Fiction, Nonfiction, Juvenile Literature, Middle Grade/Young Adult Literature, Poetry, and Books about Ohio or an Ohioan.

CRITERIA

- Any book of general interest that has been written or edited by a person born in Ohio or who has lived in Ohio for at least three years, with the exception of a "Book about Ohio or an Ohioan," which may be authored by a non-Ohioan.
- Any book considered for an award must be received by the Ohioana Library during the calendar year prior to the year the award is given and must have a copyright date within the last two calendar years. A book is ordinarily considered only once for an award.

NOMINEE GENERAL INFORMATION: (Use one copy of this form for each title

- Books MUST be traditionally published self-published or subsidized titles are ineligible.
- Books in all categories shall be judged on the work's literary/artistic merit (50%), originality (30%) and audience appeal (20%).

Please submit two copies of the book with this form. Materials will not be returned. *Please note:* If a book is selected as a finalist, publishers will be asked to provide additional copies for awards judges.

Signature______Date: _____

Nominated by: _____