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Paragould resident joins Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame

Paragould resident Kay Greenway was inducted into the Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame for 2015 in ceremonies at the Capitol on Thursday. The program is sponsored by the Arkansas Department of Human Services (DHS) Division of Aging and Adult Services. Also inducted were Barbara E. Rhinehart and Bob Abbott from Pine Bluff.



Greenway has served her community and the state through copious volunteerism efforts. She has served on the Arkansas Methodist Medical Center Auxiliary for nine years and presently serves as Secretary. She has actively volunteered at the Busily Enjoying Everyday Seniors Senior Center in Paragould for the past 10 years. She has enhanced the lives of older Arkansans by serving the past six years on the East Arkansas Area Agency on Aging Board of Directors, and the past two as Board Secretary. She has been a Silver Haired Legislative Session delegate for the past three sessions and served five years on the East Arkansas Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council prior to beginning service on the Board of Directors. She was instrumental in holding the first Senior Games in Arkansas and has performed volunteer services for the Arkansas Senior Games since inception.

“We are delighted to recognize these seniors who are not only staying active as they age, but using their experience, knowledge and enthusiasm to make life better for people all over Arkansas,”

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said Craig Cloud, director of the DHS Division of Aging and Adult Services. “They are a reminder that we can still have a fulfilling life as we get older or retire. These seniors have a valuable place in our communities and we honor their spirit and volunteer service.”

To be considered for selection to the Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame, nominees must be a citizen of the State of Arkansas; at least 60 years of age or older at the time of nomination; and have performed outstanding volunteer contributions or services, which have promoted, enhanced, and enriched the quality of life for citizens of Arkansas, especially Senior Arkansans. The Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame began in 1993 and with this year’s honorees, it includes 70 inductees.

Photo cutline: Kay Greenway, far right, joins Barbara E. Rhinehart and Bob Abbott from Pine Bluff as the three are honored for their induction into the Senior Arkansans Hall of Fame. They join 67 other seniors who have been inducted into the Hall of Fame and recognized for their service to their fellow Arkansans since the Hall of Fame was created in 1993.