## 2025 Alumni Community Service Chapter of the Year Petition

# **Petition Instructions**

The Southern Province Alumni Chapter Community Service Award is the highest award available to alumni chapters for outstanding community service. The alumni chapters submitting must have at least **ten (10) members** who are in **"Good Standing"** with the Grand Chapter, Southern Province, and alumni chapter.

- A) A chapter with at least 10 but not more than 30 members in "Good Standing" with the Fraternity at the Grand Chapter, Province and chapter levels is in the small chapter category.
- B) A chapter with at least **31 but not more than 60 members** in "Good Standing" with the Fraternity at the Grand Chapter, Province and chapter levels is in the **medium chapter** category.
- C) A chapter with **more than 60 members** in "Good Standing" with the Fraternity at the Grand Chapter, Province and chapter levels is in the **large chapter** category.

#### The total number of members in "Good Standing" reported by the chapter will be verified by the Southern Province Achievement Committee by contacting IHQ to verify accuracy.

Petitions for the alumni chapter community service award must be typed and submitted on a standard petition application from KappaOrg.com. The completed petition application must be postmarked by the deadline of February 8, 2025, and mailed as follows:

- A) Send one (1) copy to the Achievement Committee Chairman
- B) Send one (1) copy to each member of the Achievement Committee

#### Established in 1951

A mailing list of Southern Province Achievement Committee members is included with the Chairman's Letter and can be located on KappaOrg.com.

The completed community service petition application must be supported with documentation. The documentation may include official letters, printed programs, brochures, newspaper articles, pictures, **none of which will be returned**.

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# The petition is divided into three (3) parts:

PART I – Background is general information that provides basic background information about the chapter.

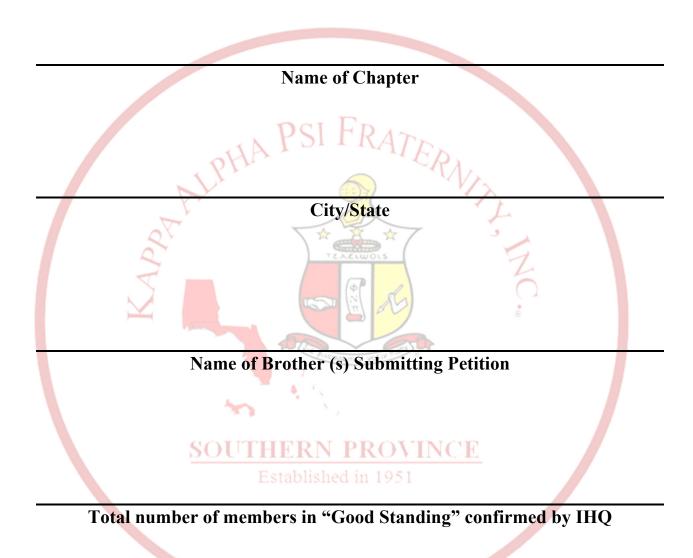
PART II – Province Certification certifies that the Chapter is in "Good Standing" with the Southern Province. <u>This section must be completed and signed by the Southern Province Polemarch, Southern Province Keeper of Exchequer, and Southern Province Keeper of Records which will be available to be downloaded from the Southern Province website!</u>

PART III – Community Service Areas of Achievement indicates the areas for which the Chapter's outstanding community service will be considered. Convincing statements should be made to support the various areas.



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# **Petition** Application



# KAPPA ALPHA PSI FRATERNITY, INCORPORATED

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PART I: Background
Chapter Name:
Charter Date://
Address:
Chapter Financial Membership: Life Member: Subscribing Life Members:
ALP' OR WIT.
Polemarch Signature Date
Email Address:
Address:
Current Contact Number: (), Evening ()
Keeper of Records Signature Date
Email Address
Address:
Current Contact Number: (), Evening ()

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### **PART II: Province Certification**

# This form must be signed and dated by each Southern Province Officer Below!

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above Chapter is in good standing with the Southern Province, and has paid all required dues and assessments imposed by our Province. We further attest that the Southern Province has not been notified that the Chapter is the subject of any pending disciplinary action by any level within Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity. Inc. nor are there any allegations pending against the Chapter what would subject it to any disciplinary action. To the best of our knowledge, this petition presents a true and accurate statement of the eligibility and qualification of the Chapter for the Southern Province Alumni Community Service Chapter of the Year Award of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc.

Jason M. Jones	TICY WERY THEN S	
Province Polemarch	Signature	Date
SOUTHERN Cleveland Ferguson III, Esq. stablished	PROVINCE	
Province Keeper of Records	Signature	Date
Ralph A. Altice		
Province Keeper of Exchequer	Signature	Date

\*\*Copy of this page must be included with each copy of the submitted petition\*\*\*

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### **PART III: Community Service Areas of Achievement**

Chapters are given the autonomy to answer each petition question in their own unique and creative style. All responses to the petition questions must be typed. Use as many pages as deemed necessary to document the achievements of the chapter. Attach any additional documents, newspaper articles, programs, or pictures to support the responses of the petition questions below:

- 1. Describe the Chapter's Guide Right Program (20 points).
- 2. Describe the Chapter's relationship with the undergraduate chapter and undergraduate chapter advisor. Also, attach a letter of support from the undergraduate chapter and undergraduate chapter advisor (20 points).
- 3. Describe the chapter's involvement with programs of goals announced by the Grand Chapter and Southern Province (include names of programs/goals) (20 points).

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- 4. Describe the Chapter's involvement within the community. Identify activities under the following headings (40 points):
  - a) Political Action
  - b) Social Action
  - c) Scholarship Support
  - d) Community Service
  - e) Contribution to charitable and non-profit organizations