



GARDEN CLUB OF NEW HAVEN

2026 RECOMMENDER/PROPOSER GUIDELINES AND FORM

Please submit this form and your letter directly to the Membership Chair, Kel Ginsberg, at kel.ginsberg@gmail.com by **March 27, 2026**.

Your Full Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Applicant's Name, Email and Phone: _____

Thank you for recommending a candidate for membership to the Garden Club of New Haven. We are looking for individuals who can take advantage of what the Club has to offer and contribute to the Club's activities through service on its committees and participation in its civic engagements. As you prepare your letter, the **Application Guidelines** might provide helpful background information about the time commitment, opportunities, and responsibilities of membership. Based on your knowledge of the applicant, in a few paragraphs, up to 250 words, please share with us below:

- how long and in what context have you know the candidate?;
- in what civic or volunteer activities does the applicant participate and in what capacity?;
- as a working, participatory organization, the Club requires a significant time commitment. How would you describe the candidate's level of civic and volunteer engagement, involvement and leadership?;
- in what ways would you expect the candidate to contribute to, and benefit from, the Club's activities?;
- any other aspects of the applicant's character and interests that would be helpful to the Membership Committee.

You may enter your letter below or submit as an attachment. The Membership Committee will hold it in the strictest confidence.