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**Scott & Penny Williams with the Southeast Special Olympics Honored By School Administrators Association**

The Missouri Association of School Administrators (MASA) recently recognized Scott & Penny Williams with the Southeast Special Olympics for their service to public education. The Williams were one of eight to receive the association's Friend of Education Award. This special recognition was to be made during the awards banquet at the MASA Spring Conference on March 25th, however, the event was canceled due to the COVID-19 crisis.

This award is presented annually to recognize non-educators, one from each of the eight MASA Districts, for their contribution to education locally or statewide.

Williams was nominated for the award by school administrators in the Southeast MASA District.

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NOTE: If you would like a press release of this recognition to share with your local media, you will find it on the [www.MASAonline.org](http://www.MASAonline.org) website. Please look under the Awards Information tab/Award Recipients/2020 Award Recipients. The press releases are posted at the bottom of the page for your recognition. If you have questions or need assistance, contact David Luther, MASA Director of Communications, at [david.luther@mcsa.org](mailto:david.luther@mcsa.org).