

## **Lt. Governor Skillman Accepting Nominations for 2010 Hoosier Rising Star Award**

There are many young Hoosiers who roll up their sleeves for their communities, and they deserve recognition. That's why I created the Hoosier Rising Star Award in 2007 – to honor our state's outstanding young people. If you personally know one of these youths, please nominate them for the Hoosier Rising Star competition. I am now accepting submissions for this award.

Any Indiana student enrolled in grades K-12 during the 2009-10 school year is eligible for the Hoosier Rising Star Award. A completed nomination form is required. Nominations may be supplemented by the student's resume or biography, up to three letters of recommendation, and any relevant press clippings. All application materials should be submitted together and must be postmarked by the deadline, March 31, 2010.

Complete competition information and nomination form are available online at [www.lg.in.gov](http://www.lg.in.gov) (click on the Hoosier Rising Star logo).



***Lt. Gov. Skillman awarded siblings, Amanda and Grant Mansard, the Hoosier Rising Star Award in 2008 at a ceremony at their Terre Haute school. Amanda and Grant created a non-profit, Youth Embracing Service, to encourage their peers to get involved in service projects in the community.***

*Becky Skillman*