#### WILLIAM C. ELOE

William C. "Bill" Eloe was the high school coach and YMCA director in Aurora during the early 1900s. He coached the first AHS team to earn a state championship (Class F basketball) in 1920. William was also a founding member of the Aurora Rotary Club.



#### DELIGHT M. ELOE

Delight M. Eloe started teaching grades 3 and 4 at South Elementary School in Aurora in 1928 and retired as principal of West Elementary School in 1958. During that time she cared for an invalid husband, raised five children, and maintained her community and church leadership activities.

# WILLIAM C. and DELIGHT M. ELOE AWARD for INSPIRATIONAL ACADEMIC LEADERSHIP

The descendants of William C. and Delight M. Eloe have established this award through the Hamilton Community Foundation, Inc., to recognize educators in the Aurora Public Schools system. The Eloe family has such great admiration for William and Delight that they endow this award in appreciation for the support provided them by the Aurora Public Schools.

The \$1000 award will be presented annually to an Aurora Public Schools teacher or administrator who demonstrates exceptional classroom teaching effectiveness, administrative professionalism, professional growth, or public relations with students, parents, peers, alumni, and other constituents.

Students, parents, colleagues, and other community members are invited to recognize outstanding educators by submitting the attached nomination form.

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# INFORMATIONAL BROCHURE and NOMINATION FORM



"Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself."

-John Dewey

## **APPLICATION FORM**

#### **Nominee's Personal Information**

Name
Position/Title
School
Total Years of Educational Experience
With Aurora Public Schools
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Nominator
Date Submitted
omments:

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NOMINATIONS are due at the office of the Superintendent on or before March 15th.

Aurora Public Schools Eloe Award 300 L Street Aurora, Nebraska 68818

(402) 694-6923

# **Qualities for Consideration**

- 1. Demonstration of excellence in leadership.
- 2. Initiation, improvement, or enhancement of academic programs.
- 3. Service on committees or projects for the welfare of the school system.
- 4. Leadership in community service or relations with parents.

# **Guidance Questions**

- 1. What qualifies this person as an inspirational leader in education?
- 2. Have you observed the nominee's exceptional qualities in action?
- 3. How has Aurora Public Schools benefited from the nominee's service?
- 4. How has the nominee affected you personally?

## **Nomination Space**


Please attach additional pages, if desired.