



CHICAGO MUSIC AWARDS



CMA MUSIC NEWS UPDATES!

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**NOMINATION FOR THE BEST OF 2018 –
FOR 38TH ANNUAL CHICAGO MUSIC AWARDS (CMA)
NOW IN PROGRESS THROUGH APRIL 15TH !
AWARDS CEREMONY, JULY 5TH, IN CONJUNCTION WITH 27TH
INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL OF LIFE (IFOL)**

Chicago, December, 2018

Nomination for the best of 2018 in the 38th Annual Chicago Music Awards (CMA) has been extended through April 15, 2019 and the Awards date is **MOVED** to Friday, July 5, 2019, to be held in conjunction with the 27th Annual International Festival of Life, July 4th weekend.



Members of the music and entertainment industries, such as: performing artists, musicians, producers, promoters, DJs, record labels/shops, engineers, songwriters, entertainment media, radio disc-jockeys, club representatives and others in the music industry, can submit their nominations to email

chicagomusicawards@gmail.com or www.chicagomusicawards.org.



Shortly, following the announcement of the nominees in April, music fans and the general public will be able to vote online at www.chicagomusicawards.org to select the winners. Only one vote per person from any device or postal mail will be allowed. Mail-in ballot can be sent to: Chicago Music Awards C/o. Martin's International, 1325 South Wabash Avenue, #307, Chicago, Illinois 60605.



The 2019 Chicago Music Awards will again be post televised on NBC TV and/or other major network television, following the July 4th weekend, Awards ceremony here in Chicago, Illinois.



Among the categories for nomination are: Pop, R&B, Rock, Blues, Jazz, Country, Reggae, EDM,



Calypso/Soca, Latin, Urban Indies, Gospel, Steppers, Hip Hop, Spoken Word, Comedy, Asian, European entertainers and other music genres. A new category for “Best Afrobeat DJ” was added to the forty other categories. See nomination ballot with the categories and criteria for submission. An early flyer is also attached. Please note that early VIP tickets are available to the public for this special made for network TV Awards celebration.

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success over the years.

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