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Fishers Chamber of Commerce
Small Business of the Year
NOMINATION FORM

Nomination Submitted By:
Company:
Address:
E-mail: Phone:

Nominee Information

Business Name:
Address:
E-mail: Phone:

Please explain why you are making this nomination. Please give consideration to the criteria for the award outlined on page 2.

Four horizontal lines for writing the nomination explanation.

Submit nomination to: Carol Doehrman
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Deadline: Tuesday, November 15, 2011

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Small Business of the Year Award Criteria

The Fishers Chamber of Commerce hosts the Pillar Awards annually which recognizes business excellence and rewards organizations for improvements to the Fishers business community.

The purpose of the **Small Business of the Year Award** is to recognize a business who employs 25 or fewer employees or is a **Home Based business owner** who provides superior customer satisfaction, exhibits community spirit and provides a positive economic impact.

Eligibility

Businesses must meet the above criteria for the selected award. Only Fishers Chamber of Commerce members in good standing will be eligible for the awards. Only complete applications will be considered for the awards. Entries should include local location information only.

Who are the judges?

The judges will consist of representatives from the Fishers Chamber of Commerce who are members of the Pillar Awards task force.

Key dates:

Nomination Deadline: Tuesday, November 15, 2011

Announce top 3 nominated businesses in each category: Chamber Luncheon, Wednesday, December 7, 2011

Pillar Awards Presentation: Wednesday, January 18, 2012 – Chamber Annual Meeting and Luncheon; FORUM Conference Center, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Application Process:

Upon identification of the top 3 businesses in each category the nominated businesses will receive an unannounced visit by a member (s) of the task force to identify the business as a candidate for the award.

At the visit each business will receive an application form asking for specific information to support the nomination. Numeric values have been assigned to answers in order to tabulate a score and identify winners.

Winners will be announced Wednesday, January 18, 2012 – Chamber Annual Meeting and Luncheon; FORUM Conference Center, 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.