

## SCOC BUSINESS OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2016

Every year the Sausalito Chamber of Commerce recognizes local businesses for their outstanding business practices, civic leadership and community service.

We invite you as Chamber members to nominate a Chamber member you believe deserve recognition in either or both of the following categories. You may nominate your own business, if you think your business meets the criteria.

### **Award Categories:**

- **Small Business of the Year (less than 5 employees)**
- **Larger Business of the Year (more than 5 employees)**
- **New Business of the Year (businesses opened in the past 12-18 months)**
- **Legacy Business of the Year**
- **Volunteer of the Year**

Nominees must be Chamber members in good standing. All nominations will be reviewed by the Sausalito Chamber of Commerce Board, who will select the award winner in each category.

**The top 3 nominations and the winners in each category, will be honored by the Sausalito Chamber of Commerce, at "Celebrate Sausalito" our Annual Awards Gala on Friday, October 28, 2016.**

**Please complete both pages of this form and list your reasons based on the criteria below and submit your nomination to David Archer, CEO, Sausalito Chamber of Commerce at 1913 Bridgeway, or e-mail the form [David@sausalito.org](mailto:David@sausalito.org).**

**Nominations must be received by Tuesday, September 20, 2016**

**Name of Company Nominated:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Owner/CEO:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Submitted by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Company:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Criteria for Business of the Year and New Business of the Year

**Economic Contributions:** List positive effects the company's growth has had on the Sausalito economy.

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**Community Leadership & Service:** Describe how this company is a leader in enhancing/promoting Sausalito's civic and social programs. List examples where this company has been involved with community organizations in Sausalito.

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**Best Practices:** List example(s) of this company's response to challenges, so other companies can learn from these experiences. (Please give examples of challenges faced and solutions taken to resolve them.)

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**Other Achievements:** Please list other achievements of this business or other reasons you believe this business deserves special recognition.

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**Thank you for your nomination and we look forward to seeing you at the Annual Awards Gala "Celebrate Sausalito" on Friday October 28, 2016 at 6pm.**