

**2017 TALBOT COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
BUSINESS AWARDS PROGRAM**

CRITERIA FOR LARGE/SMALL BUSINESS AWARD

1. Business must be a member in good standing of the Talbot County Chamber of Commerce and all obligations to the Chamber must be paid in full as of August 1, 2017 and representative listed below must be able to attend the Awards Dinner on Thursday August 24, 2017.
2. Must have 'staying power' ... a substantial and successful history as an established business in the county for at least four (4) years.
3. Must have demonstrated growth, i.e. volume, number of employees, acquisitions, new locations and offices, etc.
4. Actively supports community activities.

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Nomination Form

Business Nominated_____

Business Address_____

_____ Phone #_____

Number of Employees* _____

Nominee's Representative & Title_____

Number of Years in Business in Talbot County_____

Nominated By _____ Phone #_____

*Under 25 employees-Small / 25 or more employees-Large (full time equivalent)

(PLEASE COMPLETE REASON FOR NOMINATION ON BACK OF THIS FORM)

Note: Nomination deadline is 4:00 p.m. Monday, May 1, 2017. The awards presentation will be on Thursday, August 24, 2017 at The Inn At Perry Cabin by Belmond, St. Michaels, MD.

REASON FOR NOMINATION

Please type or print your reason for this nomination.

(1) How this *business* has demonstrated growth.

(2) The ways the *business* activity supports community activities.

Nomination packet may include letters of recommendation and supporting materials including biographical information on the nominee. The overall quality of the nomination packet which you prepare is an important factor in the selection process and will be considered by the Selection Committee. Please note, your total nomination packet cannot exceed 3 pages (both sides) including this form. Packets exceeding guidelines will not be considered.