



BUSINESS OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Chamber values the financial and personal commitment required to establish, sustain and grow a business. The economic impact driven by the combined output of these businesses is critical to the growth of our community. As such, the Chamber annually recognizes and honors one business as the "Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year". Nominations are currently being solicited. The Business of the Year Award will be presented to the recipient during the Chamber's Annual Meeting.

Business Nominated By _____
Name

Phone/Email

Name of Nominated Business _____

Address of Business _____

Contact Person _____ Title _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

of Employees _____

Required *

* Grand Island Chamber Member
Yes or No Year Joined _____

* For-profit business
Yes or No Partnership _____ LLC _____ Corporation _____
Other _____

* Years in business (Must be in business at least 5 years or if new *owner*, must have owned business for three years)

Year Business Established _____

OR

Year Business Purchased _____

In narrative format, please provide information about the company being nominated. The items listed below are suggested and these and/or any additional information will assist the Chamber in the selection process and is appreciated.

Tell us about the business-

- What is the business? (What service or product is designed, manufactured or sold? Include information regarding key staff, business structure, and number of employees)
- Who is the customer, national and/ or international?
- What types of technology are utilized within the business operations?
- How does the company market its products or services to the customer? What innovative management or creative marketing strategies have been employed?
- How has the company overcome challenges? (ie response to adversity)
- How does the company measure success? (ie employment growth, sales growth or increase in profitability)
- What are the company's plans for the future? (ie product development and/or service)
- How has the business contributed to community initiatives and/or the Chamber of Commerce initiatives?

Submit nominations to:
Grand Island Area Chamber of Commerce
Or email cjohnson@gichamber.com