

## 2019 Grande Prairie Chamber Awards of Distinction

**TO NOMINATE A BUSINESS FOR AN AWARD, PLEASE FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:**

**NOMINEE:**

Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name (if known): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATED BY (for follow up and confirmation of nomination):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATED FOR (Select One Category):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Business of the Year Award of Distinction | <input type="checkbox"/> Diversity Award of Distinction        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Under 10 Employees                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Mentorship Award of Distinction       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 10-50 Employees                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Indigenous Award of Distinction       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Attraction Award of Distinction       | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing Award of Distinction        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Young Entrepreneur Award of Distinction         | <input type="checkbox"/> Customer Service Award of Distinction |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Leading Edge Award of Distinction     |

**NOMINATION PROCESS:**

Please complete this form and return it to the Chamber Office either in person at our office, by mail, email, or fax. **IF YOU ARE SUBMITTING SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR YOUR NOMINATION** for review by the Awards Selection Committee (i.e. news clippings, letters, awards and other commendations, etc.), please note that criteria are different for each award, and nominations should include only information that speaks to the nominee’s suitability for that chosen category. **OTHERWISE**, we will contact the business directly to determine if they accept the nomination and to follow up with them for supporting information. **SELF-NOMINATION IS ALSO ACCEPTED!** If doing so, please fill out this form and tell us why you are deserving of the award in the category you’ve selected.

Completed nomination packages must be received by the Chamber of Commerce by **4:30 PM on Friday, August 23, 2019**, and may be emailed to [news@gpchamber.com](mailto:news@gpchamber.com), dropped off or mailed to the Chamber of Commerce at #127 Centre 2000, 11330 - 106 Street, Grande Prairie, T8V 7X9, or faxed to 780-532-2926. Every nomination will receive a confirmation of receipt. If you do not receive confirmation of your nomination, please contact the Chamber Office at 780-532-5340.

Nominees will be announced at the **SBW19 Proclamation Breakfast Mixer on Thursday, September 12, 2019 at Centre 2000**. Online voting will be open from September 12 to September 29, 2019. A judging panel will adjudicate all submissions in each award category. All finalists will receive a complimentary registration to the Grande Prairie Chamber Awards of Distinction, to be held on Thursday, October 24, 2019 as part of Small Business Week.

Nominator’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Information gathered in this form and by other means will be held in accordance with any applicable law, and used only for the purpose of this competition. Your participation in this competition constitutes your consent to the collection, use and disclosure of any information provided in connection therewith.