



Nomination Form 2019

“Small Business of the Year” Award

Award Information:

The Greater Pueblo Chamber of Commerce established the “Small Business of the Year” Award for the purpose of recognizing and honoring a successful Pueblo County business each year. The 2018 recipient will be announced and presented with a plaque at a special luncheon on Thursday April 11th, 2019 at 11:30 at the Pueblo Union Depot.

Requirements:

Open to any business located in Pueblo County five years or longer under the same ownership. Fifty (50) permanent employees or less. Nominations may be submitted by any business or person in the community. Nominations must contain answers to questions on the nomination form.

Deadline:

5pm - Friday, March 22nd, 2019. Please complete and submit the nomination form with additional information to the Greater Pueblo Chamber of Commerce, 302 N. Santa Fe Ave, Pueblo, CO., 81003.

Selection:

Nominations are confidential and will be reviewed by an appointed committee comprised of anonymous business professionals both inside and outside of Pueblo County. Selection will be based on the in-depth answers provided to all questions as well as an in-depth interview for publicity purposes. Public announcement of the 2019 recipient will be made at the April 11th luncheon.

More Information:

For assistance completing the nomination form, please contact Terri Kallish at 542-1704 or terrik@pueblochamber.net.

Nomination Questions:

(Please enclose your answers to the following questions with the nomination form.)

#1: Brief History of business (include how long nominee has been in business in the State of Colorado and in Pueblo, description of product line or scope of services offered, number of employees initially and number of employees presently.)

#2: What makes the nominee different from (and better than) its competitors?

#3: Describe the overall working environment of the nominee, and the style of its management team.

#4: List nominee’s involvement in civic, industry, and professional organizations in the last five (5) years. Highlight awards won, offices held, and other special accomplishments and positions held by nominee.

#5: What does nominee see as the most significant problem facing Pueblo businesses today and what has nominee done to overcome/neutralize this problem?

#6: Company may wish to include letters or references (bankers, accountants, suppliers, customers, etc.) indicating growth and impact upon the local community (no more than 3 letters, please.)

Nominated Business: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____ **Phone:** _____

Contact Person: _____

Management Names/Titles: _____

This Company Nominated by: _____