



## BUSINESS OF THE YEAR AWARDS - REQUEST FOR NOMINATIONS

Do you know of a business or non profit that has demonstrated excellence and contributed to the health of the Elk Grove Community? Tell us about it! The Elk Grove Chamber will be awarding FOUR 2020 Business of the Year Awards.

### Criteria for all four award nominees:

- Member of the Elk Grove Chamber
- Exhibits creativity and innovation in building a successful business or non profit
- Demonstrates high business ethics
- Provides training and career growth for employees or volunteers
- Provides quality services or products
- Supports the mission of the Elk Grove Chamber of Commerce
- Growth in profits, sales/services and/or jobs
- Participates in activities that benefit the community in general

### ADDITIONAL CRITERIA

#### Rookie of the Year:

- In business for two years or less in Elk Grove

#### Non Profit of the Year:

- Exhibits creativity and innovation in building a successful organization
- Provides training and growth for individuals
- Demonstrated success in its mission
- Demonstrates that at least 80% of proceeds are used for the purpose of the organization

#### Small Business of the Year:

- Employs 10 or fewer employees
- Takes a leadership role in activities that benefit the business community

#### Business of the Year:

- Takes a leadership role in activities that benefit the business community

Nominations may be made by nominee, employee or others. Nominations will be considered based on the following submitted information [Limited to 2 total pages]:

- A brief, historical overview of the business and its mission
- Brief, relevant summary of accomplishments in business arena
- Statistics of measurable growth/development in sales/services, profits, and/or jobs
- Summary of company's participation in area business development programs and/or projects, Chamber events/programs and community activities
- Description of activities, programs and/or projects demonstrating innovation, creativity and business excellence

Please mail, fax or email your nomination submission  
to the Elk Grove Chamber office by December 4, 2020.

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