

The Board of Directors of the Eastern Ohio Development Alliance Invites Nominations for the EODA Excellence In a Small or Emerging Business Award

The Board of directors of the Eastern Ohio Development Alliance is seeking nominations for the EODA Excellence in the Small Business Award. The Eastern Ohio Development Alliance is an independent, not-for-profit association of business, industry, organizations, government and individuals dedicated to advocating public/private sector partnerships which stimulate economic development and the overall enhancement of regional quality of life. This award seeks to recognize excellence in a given pursuit including business start up or growth, employment growth or job creation, innovative programs involving employees and community projects, new product or program development resulting in expansion and community service encouragement.

THE AWARD

- *Presented to recognize excellence in small or emerging business operations in Eastern Ohio.
- * Regional Representatives will serve as the selection committee.
- *The award will be presented at the EODA Annual Meeting.

ELIGIBILITY

- *The nominee must be located in the 16 county EODA region.
- *Eligible business will employ no more than 150 workers.
- *Members of the selection committee are not eligible.
- *Nominators are not eligible to serve on the selection committee.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- *Nominees may include businesses making a major contribution to the economic health and quality of life in Eastern Ohio.
- *In addition to a completed nomination form, additional supporting materials are welcome including newspaper or magazine articles, videotape profiles and other related information which may benefit the committee in the selection process.
- *Information submitted in the nomination process should be considered public and available for use in recognition.
- ◆ Questions should be directed to Executive Director James Schoch (740.432.7902).

Please complete the nomination form and return it by **March 26, 2018**, to:

EODA, Excellence Award Selection Committee, PO Box 904, Cambridge, Ohio 43725

*The Board of Directors of The Eastern Ohio Development Alliance Invites
Nominations for the EODA Excellence In Manufacturing Award*

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THE AWARD

- ◆ The award will be presented at the EODA Annual Meeting.

ELIGIBILITY

- ◆ The nominee must be located in the 16 county EODA region.
- ◆ Members of the selection committee are not eligible.
- ◆ Nominators are not eligible to serve on the selection committee.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- ◆ Nominees may include businesses making a major and lasting contribution to the economic health and quality of life in Eastern Ohio.
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THE AWARD

- ◆ Presented annually to recognized excellence in Eastern Ohio.
- ◆ The award will be presented at the EODA Annual Meeting.

ELIGIBILITY

- ◆ The nominee must be located in the 16 county EODA region.
- ◆ Members of the selection committee are not eligible.
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THE AWARD

Presented annually to recognized excellence in Eastern Ohio.

The award will be presented at the EODA Annual Meeting.

ELIGIBILITY

The nominee must be located in the 16 county EODA region.

Members of the selection committee are not eligible.

Nominators are not eligible to serve on the selection committee.

SELECTION CRITERIA

Nominees may include businesses making a major and lasting contribution to the economic health and quality of life in Eastern Ohio.

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EODA EXCELLENCE AWARD

Profile

Leave blank those lines of information not known or confidential.

Name of business/organization _____

Owner/Principal _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Type of Service or Products _____

Year Established _____

Please use additional pages, as needed, to answer these five questions.

1. Please summarize your nominee's contribution to the region and the community
2. Please indicate recent success your nominee has had in their particular field
3. Has your nominee received other local, regional, statewide, or national Recognition? If so, please be specific.
4. In addition to your response to question 1, does the nominee impact the community through civic organizations, including: financial support, personal volunteerism, or encouragement of employee involvement?
5. Please describe other activities, honors and any other pertinent information which will assist the selection committee to better understand the merit of your nomination.

Nominated by: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing Address: _____
