



Portage Area Chamber of Commerce
2018 Awards Application -
awards presented over breakfast on Jan. 31, 2018
at Dino's Restaurant.

Nominations Wanted for the Following Awards

BUSINESS EXCELLENCE AWARD

This award recognizes a business that has created a positive and long-standing impact in the community. They could have expanded facilities, made capital improvements, hired additional personnel and continue to demonstrate leadership by their commitment and support in the Chamber and community activities. The business must have been in business at least three years and be a member of the Chamber.

- BUSINESS EXCELLENCE AWARD 20 OR MORE EMPLOYEES**
- SUSAN WEYH BUSINESS EXCELLENCE AWARD LESS THAN 20 EMPLOYEES**

RISING BUSINESS STAR AWARD

This award recognizes Chamber Member entrepreneurs who have been in business less than three years. This award recognizes that starting a business requires a unique blend of vision, energy, perseverance and talent. It is given to a business that has gotten off to a strong start and exhibits the potential for continued and consistent growth.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

This award recognizes Chamber member businesses or individuals that demonstrate and have made an outstanding contribution to the Portage community in service or leadership. The recipient makes a sacrifice of time, helps improve quality of life, motivates others and enhances the integrity of the Portage Area Chamber of Commerce.

FIRST IMPRESSION AWARD

This award recognizes a Chamber member business that has improved the aesthetic appearance of their property creating wonderful curb appeal. The business could have made noticeable improvements to their facade, remodeled and/or painted and updated landscaping.

(Please complete the information on the next page for nominations.)

PORTAGE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NOMINATION FORM 2018

Award Nominated For: *(Please select only one award per person)*

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- COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD**
- FIRST IMPRESSION AWARD**

Nominee:

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Nominator: Please submit in case further information might be needed. All nominees will be kept confidential.

Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Phone: _____

Accomplishments: *Please describe why you are nominating this business or person for this award, outline relevant accomplishments, community involvement, and other recognition you feel is pertinent.*

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:

Email forms to: pacc@portagewi.com

Mail forms to: 104 West Cook Street, Portage, WI 53901

Submission deadline: Friday, January 19, 2018

Winners from the previous year are not eligible to win in the same category. From all the applications submitted, a finalist in each category will be selected and awards given out at the Annual Chamber Meeting and Awards Banquet that is being held over breakfast on Wednesday, January 31, 2018 at the Dino's Restaurant.