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## Corning Area Chamber of Commerce 2020 ANNUAL AWARDS

The Corning Area Chamber of Commerce will be presenting three Annual Awards at a dedicated Awards Breakfast to be held in honor of our nominees and award winners. We are actively seeking nominations for the following awards. We hope you will take a few minutes to read through our award descriptions and to nominate a deserving member of our community- there are many outstanding people who deserve recognition!

*Nominations must be received by Friday, October 16*

### THE LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The highest and most distinguished honor given by the Chamber, the *LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD* is presented to an individual who has made a lasting contribution to our community by exhibiting leadership, providing inspiration to, and positively influencing others in the business community and our community at large. This award is meant to honor those who have a long-standing history of integrity and are respected both professionally and as a part of our community. Nominees should be current or retired Members of the Corning Area Chamber of Commerce.

### EVOLVING BUSINESS AWARD

The *EVOLVING BUSINESS AWARD* is presented to an individual or business, be it new, expanding, or reimagined, which best represents the spirit and values of good business which have led them to success. These values include integrity, positivity, humility, generosity, and the advocacy of our business community. Nominees should be a current Member of the Corning Area Chamber of Commerce.

### YOUNG PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD

The *YOUNG PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP AWARD* is presented to an individual, 40 years of age or younger, who demonstrates growing excellence, creativity and initiative in their professional field, is engaged in the community, and shows a strong commitment to good business practices thereby serving as a role model for other young professionals both personally and professionally. Nominees should be a current Member of the Corning Area Chamber of Commerce; current membership of the Corning Area Young Professionals is preferred, but not required.

### COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP AWARD

New this year, the *COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP AWARD* is presented to an individual or business, who demonstrates creativity, engagement, leadership and commitment in addressing critical needs caused by the pandemic. This award is meant to honor their support of other businesses and recognize the positive impact on the community at large. Nominees should be a current Member of the Corning Area Chamber of Commerce.

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