



2012 EDC EXCELLENCE IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

AWARD GUIDELINES

The Economic Development Corporation of Manitowoc County's Excellence in Economic Development Recognition Meeting recognizes the best economic development projects and the year's most influential leaders. These prestigious awards honor organizations and individuals for their efforts in creating positive change in our community.

Rising Star Award

Qualifications: The Rising Star Award recognizes an individual or emerging small business that has developed their ideas, products, and/or services into viable, competitive businesses.

My nomination for the Rising Star Award is: _____

Reason for Nomination: _____

Neighborhood Development Award - real estate redevelopment & reuse renovation

Qualifications: The Neighborhood Development Award recognizes innovative real estate development or reuse projects which are purpose built or adaptively reused for the creation of jobs or for increasing the tax base. Winning projects will also serve as a catalyst for economic development and will demonstrate an innovative partnership approach between private and public sectors.

My nomination for the Neighborhood Development Award is: _____

Reason for Nomination: _____

Corporate Investment Award - large investment and jobs created/retained

Qualifications: The Corporate Investment Award recognizes a business that has made a positive economic impact on the community (employment growth); has expanded the business facility or products/services (business growth); is active in community service and leadership; and has developed innovative efforts used to adapt to marketplace change.

My nomination for the Corporate Investment Award is: _____

Reason for Nomination: _____

Economic Accelerator of the Year Award

Qualifications: The Economic Accelerator of the Year Award recognizes an individual who has played a key leadership role in economic development. Nominees must demonstrate effective leadership in mobilizing the development of programs and projects and be an advocate for economic development.

My nomination for the Economic Accelerator Award is: _____

Reason for Nomination: _____

**Nominations are due by Friday, December 30th, 2011.
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