



# 2023 BUSINESS AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

## Large, Medium and Small Business of the Year

Business of the Year is the top award presented to businesses by the Chamber each year, at our Annual Meeting in October. Nominees are reviewed by a committee based on the following criteria: Involvement with the Chamber, Community Service, Customer Service, Commitment to Employees, Continued Business Improvement and Growth. To be eligible, business must be a current member of the Chamber.

A complete listing of Chamber member businesses is located at [www.albertlea.org](http://www.albertlea.org)

**Which are you nominating? Please check one:**

- Large Business of the Year (40 or more employees)**  
 **Medium Business of the Year (16-39 employees)**  
 **Small Business of the Year (15 or less employees)**

**General qualifications:**

- All nominated businesses must be members of the Albert Lea-Freeborn County Chamber of Commerce (for a complete member listing, visit [www.albertlea.org](http://www.albertlea.org) or call the Chamber office at 373-3938)
- Nomination of your own business is always encouraged
- Completed nomination forms must be received by close of business September 29, 2023

Name of Business: \_\_\_\_\_ # of employee's \_\_\_\_\_

Owner/Manager: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Why have you nominated this business?

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**The nominee will be contacted via email to obtain background information for evaluation. Large, Medium & Small Businesses of the Year will be recognized in the media and at the Chamber's Annual Meeting in October.**

**Send completed nomination form to:  
Business of the Year Award, Albert Lea-Freeborn County Chamber of Commerce  
132 North Broadway Avenue, Albert Lea, MN 56007**

**CHAMBER MISSION:**

*Promote and develop a healthy and positive business climate  
to improve the quality of life in the Albert Lea-Freeborn County Area.*