

SMALL BUSINESS OF THE YEAR AWARD

The "Small Business of the Year" award is a MetroWest Chamber initiative recognize the important contributions made by small businesses to the creation of new jobs and economic opportunities, as well as community involvement in MetroWest.

The <u>MetroWest Chamber</u> is actively soliciting nominations for the **2023** award, which will be presented at the Chamber's Annual Dinner Meeting to be held on November 15, 2023.

The following criteria for nomination will apply:

- Nominees must be members in good standing of the MetroWest Chamber of Commerce.
- The firm must have been in business a minimum of three successive years under the same ownership.
- The firm should demonstrate growth in number of employees and/or revenues over the past year.
- The firm must have a maximum of 50 full-time/part-time employees or independent contractors.
- The firm should demonstrate activity in the business community, such as membership(s) in business or professional organizations, and/or contributions to publications in its field.
- Nominees must demonstrate social responsibility and community involvement.

Company Name:	Phone:				
Business Address:		FAX:			
Town: State	:	ZIP:			_
Person Accepting:		Title:			
Date Company Established:	Same	Ownership for 3	3 years: _	Yes	No
Employment as of August 1, 2023:		Part-time		ndent Cor	 ntractors
(Please attach additional page(s) for the	ne following)			
Describe how the firm has grown in nun	nbers of emp	loyees and/or re	venues o	ver the pas	st year.
Describe how the firm has been active in or professional organizations, or contributions		-		mbership((s) in business
Describe how the firm has demonstrated	l social respo	onsibility and co	mmunity	involvem	ent.
A business may nominate itself or anothen nominations is October 13, 2023. For			-		
Person making nomination:		Phone:			
Return this completed form to MetroWe stephanie@metrowest.org	st Chamber o	of Commerce, A	ATTN: St	ephanie H	lirshon,