



Flagler Chamber Top Business & Industry Awards

The Flagler County Chamber of Commerce (FCCC) looks forward to honoring our region's businesses for their significant contributions as drivers of economic growth. Participating in this awards program is a great way to gain exposure for your company, be recognized for your success and celebrate your achievement among friends, clients, employees and the entire Flagler County business community.

Winners will be announced at the 2020 Installation Gala at Hammock Beach Resort on January 31st.

3 finalists in each category will be notified by January 17th, and recognized at the Gala. Following the Gala, winners and finalists will be listed in a release to local media outlets and on the FCCC website year round.

DEADLINE for application submission is 5pm on January 9, 2020 — NO EXCEPTIONS.

Eligibility Criteria:

Candidates must have an active business registered in Flagler County for at least three (3) years, unless applying for the Outstanding Emerging Business Award.

Previous award winners may not apply for the SAME award within a two year period.

ONLY current Flagler County Chamber of Commerce (FCCC) members in good standing on all commitments may apply for the Chamber Member Awards.

The Industry Awards are open to any Flagler County business meeting the above criteria. Non-member businesses may apply for the Industry Awards for a nominal \$25 fee. This fee is waived for FCCC members. FCCC member applicants may apply for two (2) categories, e.g. Small Business of the Year and Construction Industry Award.

Chamber Member Awards - ONLY FCCC Members May Apply (subject to above criteria)

Outstanding Emerging Business of the Year Award (Business must be registered in Flagler County, and in operation for 3 years or less.)

Small Business of the Year Award (Less than 10 full-time employees.)

Medium Business of the Year Award (11-50 full-time employees.)

Large Business of the Year Award (More than 50 full-time employees.)

Industry Awards - ANY Flagler County Business May Apply (subject to above criteria)

****\$25 Application Fee; Waived for FCCC Members****

Hospitality & Tourism Industry Award (restaurants, lodging, attractions, entertainment, etc.)

Agriculture & Manufacturing Industry Award

Health Industry Award

Professional Services Award (law firms, accounting firm, financial services, etc.)

Products & Retail Services Award (retail stores, cleaning companies, lawn services, personal services, etc.)

Construction & Housing Industry Award (real estate company or agent, mortgage lenders, title company, plumbing, HVAC or electrical services, etc.)

Non-Profits Award (Registered 501(c)3)



Business & Industry Awards Application

Please send your confidential submission **no later than January 6, 2020 at 5pm to:**
Robbin Wilson, Vice President at Robbin@FlaglerChamber.org
Flagler County Chamber of Commerce 20 Airport Road, Suite C Palm Coast, FL 32164

Business or Organization _____
Contact Name _____
Contact Email _____
Phone _____
Address _____
City _____, FL Zip _____

Please check which award submission you are entering your business for:
*Reminder, only two categories per business

Chamber Member Awards

- Outstanding Emerging Business of the Year
- Small Business of the Year
- Medium Business of the Year
- Large Business of the Year

Industry Awards (\$25 Application Fee)

- Hospitality & Tourism
- Agriculture & Manufacturing
- Health Services
- Professional Services
- Products & Retail Services
- Construction & Housing
- Non-profit Organization

Non-FCCC members must submit a check or fill out the credit card authorization for below at the time of application submission to qualify.

Credit Card Authorization

Amount: **\$25** Card Number _____
Exp. Date ____ / ____ Security Code/CVC ____ Billing Zip Code _____
Cardholder Name _____ Cardholder Signature _____

1. History: Give a brief description of the history and nature of the company and its operation.

2. Products & Services: Describe the products and/or services provided by your company.

3. By the Numbers:

Number of Employees EOY 2018: _____ Number of Employees EOY 2019: _____

Increase/Decrease in revenue from January 1, 2019 - December 31, 2019: _____%

Increase/Decrease in NET profits January 1, 2019 - December 31, 2019: _____%

4. Business Management: Describe how you manage your staff and organization. You can include staff retention techniques, personnel development programs, continuing education, employee incentives, etc.

5. Innovation & Problem Solving: Give at least one example of something your organizations did this past year to enhance your organization and/or serve our community; and/or challenges faced by your organization and the solutions implemented to solve them.

6. Community Involvement: Describe your company's involvement with charitable organizations, volunteering, sponsorships, collaborations with others in the community or anything else that demonstrates your support of the Flagler County community.

