



Celebrating Business

Annual Dinner Awards Nomination Form

Submit by mail: PO Box 18, Oneonta, NY 13820 or email to: baheegan@otsegocc.com

Deadline: Received by Friday February 21, 2020

The Otsego County Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations for its Annual Dinner & Celebration of Business that will be held on **Thursday, March 26th, 2020 at Foothills Performing Arts and Civic Center** in the **Wright/Wilber National Bank Atrium**.

Please nominate below any Chamber member business who you believe deserves recognition as an innovative, extraordinary entrepreneur, and an outstanding business organization. Self-nominations are accepted and encouraged.

Directions:

Please provide a detailed statement of up to one page describing why the nominee should receive the award. (All nominees must be members of the Otsego County Chamber of Commerce, check our website for listing; www.otsegocc.com). The statement should provide a brief history of the nominee, what makes the business or individual unique, and what contributions the business has made to the community. Please include special recognition awards including business-related affiliations, involvement with other civic and service organizations. Other information – newspaper, magazine articles, letters of support, photographs – you believe to be pertinent to enhance the application may be included. Further award criteria are described below.

CATEGORY

Distinguished Business Award (50 or more employees)

Eugene A. Bettiol, Jr. Distinguished Citizen Award

Is the nominated business aware of the nomination? Yes No

NOMINEE INFORMATION: (Please print)

Name: _____ Title: _____

Business: _____

Address: _____ Zip Code: _____

phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____ Year Established: _____

NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY: (Please print)

Name: _____ Title: _____

Business: _____ Phone: _____

To the best of my knowledge, I certify that the information provided is accurate.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Award Criteria

DISTINGUISHED BUSINESS OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Distinguished Business of the Year Award recognizes an Otsego County Business (50+employees) that has made a sustained and substantial impact in the community.

- Must be a member of the Otsego County Chamber of Commerce
- Participates in the events and works toward accomplishing the mission of the Otsego County Chamber of Commerce
- Involved in the Community
- Demonstrates a successful business and economic growth
- Commitment to Otsego County business community
- Considered an asset to Otsego County

Past Distinguished Business Award Honorees:

2018 Pathfinder Village

2017 NBT Bank

2016 A & D Transport Services

2015 NYCM

2014 National Baseball Hall of Fame

2013 Brewery Ommegang

2012 At Home Care

2011 Springbrook

2010 Country Club Auto Group

2009 Northern Eagle Beverages

2008 The Otesaga Resort Hotel

2007 Catskill Area Hospice & Palliative Care

2006 Arnan Development

2005 Mang Insurance / Mirabito Fuel Group

2004 Neptune Diner

2003 The Daily Star

2002 Bassett Healthcare Network

2001 Brooks' House of Bar-B-Q's

2000 SUNY College at Oneonta

1999 A.O. Fox Hospital

EUGENE A. BETTIOL, JR. DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN AWARD

The Eugene A. Bettiol, Jr. Distinguished Citizen Award, established in 2002, is given to a citizen of Otsego County who has made a long-term impact on our region and who gives back to the community through their business.

- Supports Otsego County Chamber of Commerce
- Shows leadership
- Is committed to enhancing the Quality of Life in Otsego County

Past Distinguished Citizen Award Honorees:

2018 Les Grummons

2017 Eugene A. Bettiol, Sr.

2016 Marie Lusins

2015 John Remillard

2014 Carol Blazina

2013 John Scarzafava

2012 Hugh Henderson

2011 Richard P. Miller, Jr.

2010 Erna Morgan McReynolds

2009 Albert Sam Nader

2008 Robert A. Harlem

2007 David Brenner

2006 William F. Streck

2005 Carl Delberta, Sr.

2004 Jane Forbes Clark

2003 Geoff Smith

2001 Marian Mullet

2000 Edward W. Stack

1999 William R. Davis

1998 VanNess D. Robinson

Otsego County Chamber of Commerce Mission Statement

To continually improve the overall business climate in the region; to strive for an atmosphere which attracts investment; to build a positive, forward-thinking business community; and to partner with government, groups, individuals and institutions.