

Applications are being accepted for the Waverly Chamber of Commerce & Main Street Program's

# **2025 Distinguished Large Business Award**

Purpose of the award: The Distinguished Large Business Award is given to recognize businesses, of more than 25 employees, which through community involvement, Chamber involvement, and business improvement have made a significant positive impact on the community at large.

Nominees must have been a Chamber member for a minimum of three consecutive years.

Written nominations should include the following information:

- a. An overview of the nominee's involvement in community events, government boards, and charities.
- b. An overview of the nominee's involvement through Chamber leadership and/or committee participation, and attendance at Chamber events.
- c. An overview of the nominee's business improvement through increased in staff, growth in sales, and improvement in facilities.

The Distinguished Large Business Award will be announced at the Annual Awards Celebration on **Thursday, March 27, 2025**. The business will receive a gift and be recognized through media coverage. Nominations will be accepted from the community and from Chamber members who nominate their own business.

## Nomination forms must be received in our office no later than February 21, 2025.

Please e-mail or send your nomination to Awards Committee at: 118 E Bremer Ave., Waverly, IA 50677 Email: chelsea@waverlychamber.com

#### NOMINATION FOR THE DISTINGUISHED LARGE BUSINESS AWARD

If Additional space is needed, one additional page may be attached to the nomination.

Business Name:
Contact:
Address:
Phone:

a. Provide an overview of the nominee's involvement in community events, government boards and charities.

b. Provide an overview of the nominee's involvement through Chamber leadership and/or committee participation and attendance at Chamber events.

c. Provide an overview of the nominee's business improvement through increased staff, growth in sales and improvement in facilities.

Nominator's Name: Phone:

# **Past Award Recipients**

# DISTINGUISHED BUSINESS AWARD

- 2008 Martin's Brandenburg Restaurant
- 2009 Miller True Value/Just Ask Rental
- 2010 CrawDaddy Outdoors LC
- 2011 Love & Lace Weddings, Flowers & Gifts
- 2012 GMT Corporation
- 2013 Northern Iowa Therapy
- 2014 First National Bank

## DISTINGUSHED LARGE BUSINESS AWARD

(Replaced Distinguished Business Award)

- 2015 Rada Manufacturing
- 2016 Bartels Lutheran Retirement Community
- 2017 Peoples Insurance Agency
- 2018 The Accel Group
- 2019 Meyer Pharmacy
- 2021 Fareway
- 2022 United Equipment Accessories UEA
- 2023 Nestle
- 2024 Baker Enterprises, Inc.