

South Shelby Chamber of Commerce
2011 Diamond Awards

Business of the Year Awards
Rules and Guidelines

Categories for Two Awards:

- ❖ **New Business of the Year** (business started since January 2010)
- ❖ **Business of the Year**

Rules and Guidelines:

1. The nominee must be a member of the South Shelby Chamber of Commerce.
2. The Chamber of Commerce will furnish all entry forms for the nomination of a candidate for **New Business of the Year** and **Business of the Year**.
3. Nominating business/club/organization/individual must submit the completed nomination form along with any attachments by November 11, 2011. *Businesses may nominate themselves.*
4. The Business owner/employees should be active in Chamber events, participating in various functions, attending coffees/business after hours, etc.
5. Previous award recipients will make presentation at the 2011 Diamond Awards Ceremony.

Nomination Procedure:

The nomination forms, along with any other attachments, must be received **no later than November 11, 2011**. Please mail or fax to:

South Shelby Chamber of Commerce
208 East College Street
P. O. Box 396
Columbiana, AL 35051
Attn: Stacy Walkup

Fax to: (205) 669-1842

To make nominations for the **New Business of the Year** or **Business of the Year**, visit www.southshelbychamber.com or obtain nomination forms at the South Shelby Chamber of Commerce.

The 2011 Diamond Awards Ceremony will be held December 1st, in conjunction with the Chamber's Annual Christmas Luncheon

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Nomination Form

Business of the Year

Nominated Business: _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____

Phone: _____ **Contact Person:** _____

Web Site Address: _____

Type of Business: _____

Year company was established: _____ **Number of employees:** _____

Name of CEO/President-Owner: _____

Basic overview of what the company does:

List accomplishments, awards, and/or leadership recognition:

Has the business had any building or product expansions that have created a positive impact on the local business community? If so, explain how this has generated new jobs, increased sales, or enhanced the value of the property.

Additional materials and supporting information may be attached to the Nomination Form, such as photographs, newspaper articles, magazine articles or company's newsletter. Please, no more than five additional attachments.

Nomination submitted by: _____ **Phone:** _____
(Signature)

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Type of Business: _____

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Name of CEO/President-Owner: _____

Basic overview of what the company does:

List accomplishments, awards, and/or leadership recognition:

Explain how the business will generate new jobs and will boost the economy of South Shelby County or list services and products that will enhance and advance business opportunities:

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