



2009 Rim Country Business Awards Nomination Form

Hosted by:

Northern Gila County Economic Development Corporation
Town of Payson - Parks, Recreation, Tourism and Economic Vitality
Rim Country Regional Chamber of Commerce

Award Categories

Small Business of the Year

2008 Recipient: PostNet

Large Business of the Year

2008 Recipient: PRMC

Business Person of the Year

2008 Recipient: Jan Parsons

Business Excellence Award

New Award!

Award for Service Excellence

New Award!

Nominating Instructions:

Carefully read the eligibility requirements and judging criteria for the award categories. On a separate piece of paper, write a short essay to support the judging criteria for the award category chosen. For example, why should this person/business be recognized for this award or what leadership qualities has this person/business displayed and how has it affected the community? Supporting documentation such as photos, newspaper clippings, marketing material, awards and lists of accomplishments may be included with the nomination. Please limit the supporting documentation to **five** 8 1/2 x 11 pieces. This documentation will not be returned, so please do not submit original awards, photos, etc.

Deadline:

All nominations need to be received no later than **Thursday, April 30, 2009 at 5:00 pm**. Nominations may be mailed to NGCEDC, PO Box 1771, Payson, AZ 85547 or drop off at 201 W. Main St., Suite L behind Macky's. Nominees will be announced by May 15, 2009.

Awards Presentation:

The Rim Country Business Awards ceremony will be held on Thursday, June 4, 2009 at the Chaparral Pines Golf Club from 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm. For additional information or to make reservations for the Rim Country Business Awards Ceremony, please contact Carrie Dick at 928-978-5557.

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Judging Criteria and Category Eligibility

Category Eligibility

Small Business of the Year

Eligibility: Any business in the Rim Country area with less than 10 employees.

Large Business of the Year

Eligibility: Any business in the Rim Country area with more than 10 employees.

Business Person of the Year

Eligibility: Any business person in the Rim Country area displaying excellent leadership and commitment to the community.

Business Excellence Award

Eligibility: Any business operating a business in the town of Payson.

Award for Service Excellence

Eligibility: Any business that is a member of the Rim Country Regional Chamber of Commerce.

Judging Points

- ☼ Business Growth and Performance
- ☼ Business Standards and Practices
- ☼ Customer Service Practices
- ☼ Business Challenges
- ☼ Unique or Innovative Methods or Products
- ☼ Community Involvement and Support
- ☼ Employee Relations/Culture
- ☼ Quality of Products & Services Offered
- ☼ Environmental Responsiveness
- ☼ Entrepreneurial Spirit
- ☼ Growth and Development for Employees
- ☼ Promotion/Participation/Attendance and Volunteering for the Rim Country Regional Chamber of Commerce (*for the Award for Service Excellence only*)

Nominee Information:

Award Category: _____

Name of Person/Business: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email/Website: _____

Type of Business: _____

Owner(s)/Principal(s): _____

Year Established: _____ No. of Employees: When established - _____ Current: _____

Person or Group Submitting Nomination:

Name: _____ Company: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____