



**Greater Somersworth Chamber of Commerce
2010 Business of the Year Award**

The Chamber's Business of the Year Award honors a company or organization that has demonstrated superior commitment to the region and that has made substantial contributions to the betterment of the Greater Somersworth Area that includes Somersworth, Rollinsford, and the Berwick's of Maine. The award winner is announced in advance of the Award presentation at the Chamber's Annual Dinner on April 30, 2010.

NOMINATION CRITERIA

- A Chamber member in good standing that is a company, professional firm, or non-profit organization deemed most deserving of recognition for community contribution and service.
- Criteria include: leadership within the general community and the business community, generosity relative to community relations and corporate giving, and sound business ethics.
- Participates in and provides support for the general benefit of the Chamber of Commerce and the economic development of the region.
- Services may not necessarily be confined to a single year but should be recent enough to have current significance.
- Businesses with Officers/Directors currently serving on the Board of the Greater Somersworth Chamber of Commerce are ineligible as recipients.
- Winners of the award within the past 5 years are ineligible.

Deadline March 29th

2010 Business of the Year Nomination Form

Business Name _____
 Contact _____ Number of Years in Business _____
 Address _____ City/State/Zip _____
 Phone _____ Website _____

***Please describe the nominee's activities.**

Business description/activities _____

 Leadership _____

 Contributions to the Community (Financial, volunteer, etc.) _____

 Past awards/honors/recognition/offices held _____

*Use additional sheets as necessary. Submit any attachments that may be relevant to the nominee's achievements. All nominees may not be known to all Award Committee members. The more substantive documentation submitted, the better the nominee's chances.

Individual or Organization submitting nomination (businesses/organizations may self-nominate)

Name _____ Phone _____ Email _____
 Address _____ City/State/Zip _____
 Signature: _____ Date: _____

PAST RECIPIENTS

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| 2009 - Borderline Fuels | 2005 - Great Falls Cleaners | 2001 - Travel Pro |
| 2008 - Nard's Appliance | 2004 - Gateway Family Restaurant | 2000 - Westwind Gardens |
| 2007 - Salmon Falls Community Credit Union | 2003 - Anderson Computer Instruction | 1999 - General Linen Service |
| 2006 - Star Lumber | 2002 - Somersworth Housing Authority | |

Nominations must be received by the Chamber by March 29, 2010. Return this form and other supporting documents to:
 GSCC Awards Committee • PO Box 615 • Somersworth, NH 03878
 PH 603-692-7175 • FAX 603-692-4501