## 2018 TOP BUSINESS AWARD - NOMINATION FORM

The TOP BUSINESS Award honors an outstanding business of the year in Parke County, an organization which is committed to being a leader in the community as the pinnacle of business growth and development. Businesses clearly demonstrating an entrepreneurial spirit, taking risks and making investments in terms of time and money to grow business and jobs in the community.

#### THE CRITERIA

The TOP BUSINESS – Award Nominees must meet each of the three following criteria:

- Contributes and promotes the economic growth, stability, and improvement of the community.
- Exceptional growth in workforce and/or company sales/revenue/profit.
- Actively illustrates a commitment to the community.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- Nominees must be Parke County residents.
- Nominees must have given extended service to the community and/or county in more than one area.
- Evidence of service to the community is considered important.
- Nominees need not be members of the Parke County Chamber of Commerce.

#### COMPLETING THE FORM

- Nominations for the TOP BUSINESS Award may be submitted via email to parkecountychamberdirector@yahoo.com, faxed to 765-569-4271, delivered to Sarah Haltom at Parke County Chamber of Commerce or sent via regular mail to Parke County Chamber of Commerce, ATTN: Sarah Haltom, 105 S Market St, Rockville, IN 47872
- You may include supporting documents (article, testimonials, etc.) with your complete nomination form.
- Deadline for submission is 4pm on Friday, January 4, 2019.

## **THE PROCESS**

The Selection Committee, made up of past award recipients & community leaders, will review
all nominations and select finalists for the YOUNG LEADER award. The recipient will be
announced at the 2019 Annual Meeting of the Parke County Chamber of Commerce on
Thursday, January 24, 2019.

# **QUESTIONS**

• Contact: Sarah Haltom, Executive Director, Parke County Chamber of Commerce, at (765)569-5565 or email at <a href="mailto:parkecountychamberdirector@yahoo.com">parkecountychamberdirector@yahoo.com</a>.

# **2018 TOP BUSINESS AWARD - NOMINATION FORM**

Nominee:	
Category:	
Contact Phone and Email:	

- \*\*\* Attach a brief description as to why you are nominating this business.
  - I. Provide specific examples of how the nominated business has contributed/promoted economic growth, stability and improvement of Parke County.
  - II. Describe how the nominee took risks in an ever-changing business environment that contributed to their growth in workforce and/or company sales/revenue/profit.
  - III. Provide specific examples of how the nominated business illustrates a valuable commitment to the community.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Include any additional information you feel is important for consideration of your nominee. Include awards, honors, publications, articles and/or testimonials that demonstrate why they should be chosen as the Young Leader of the Year.