



**INDIAN RIVER COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
2018 INDUSTRY APPRECIATION AWARDS  
“MINORITY BUSINESS OF THE YEAR”  
NOMINATION FORM**

**All areas MUST be completed, and nomination signed (page 3), to be considered**

**PLEASE NOTE: If your company was recognized with an Industry Appreciation Award in a similar category between 2013 and 2017, we ask that you let other local businesses participate!**

**COMPANY NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print or type)

**CEO or MANAGER’S NAME and TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **FAX:** \_\_\_\_\_

**BUSINESS E-MAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES (in Indian River County):** \_\_\_\_\_

**YEAR ESTABLISHED IN INDIAN RIVER COUNTY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**TYPE OF BUSINESS (must be Minority owned\*):** \_\_\_\_\_

*\*(As per FL Statute, at least 51% owned by persons who are members of a particular racial, ethnic, or gender makeup or national origin)*

**I. ESTIMATED ECONOMIC IMPACT**

**AVERAGE ANNUAL WAGE OF INDIAN RIVER COUNTY EMPLOYEES, EXCLUDING OWNERS. The county’s average annual wage is \$40,043 , not including benefits (check one)**

- 75% to 99.99% of county average annual wage (\$30,032 - \$40,039)
- 100% to 149.99% of county average annual wage (\$40,043- \$60,060)
- 150% or more of county average annual wage (\$60,065+)

ESTIMATED PAYROLL TAXES \$ \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU: OWN YOUR PROPERTY? \_\_\_\_\_ LEASE YOUR PROPERTY? \_\_\_\_\_

FROM PROPERTY/INTANGIBLE TAXES PER YEAR: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

ESTIMATED VALUE OF ANNUAL PURCHASES WITHIN INDIAN RIVER COUNTY AS A  
PERCENT OF GROSS REVENUE: \_\_\_\_\_%

**SUCCESS OF COMPANY WITHIN YOUR INDUSTRY:**

Increased sales or revenue past year (%): \_\_\_\_\_

Increased market size past year (%): \_\_\_\_\_

**II. CORPORATE CITIZENSHIP**

**Check your company's local affiliations through membership or contribution**

\_\_\_\_ Chamber(s) of Commerce

\_\_\_\_ Local/Regional Trade Associations (name): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Other (please list): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Involvement in local charities (name them): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Company's volunteerism in the community: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Contributions made to programs, non-profits, and/or charities **in Indian River County** past 12  
months (cash/in-kind value): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**III. EMPLOYEE WORK ENVIRONMENT:**

Benefits (check each that apply)

\_\_\_\_ Retirement plan

\_\_\_\_ Flex-time

\_\_\_\_ Continuing education

\_\_\_\_ Medical

\_\_\_\_ Family leave

\_\_\_\_ Employee recognition

\_\_\_\_ Dental

\_\_\_\_ Employee discounts

\_\_\_\_ Other non-wage compensation: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOMINATION SUBMITTED BY:**

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*I verify that the above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge*

**Submit Completed form to:**

Indian River County Chamber of Commerce  
Economic Development Office  
1216 21<sup>st</sup> Street, Vero Beach, FL 32960  
Phone: 772-567-3491 - Fax: 772-778-3181  
[directored@indianrivered.com](mailto:directored@indianrivered.com)

**PLEASE NOTE: Forms must be received by 5pm on  
Tuesday, July 31, 2018**

**The Industry Appreciation Awards Luncheon is scheduled for  
Thursday, September 20, 2018**

**Award recipients will be notified in advance of the Awards  
Luncheon so as to make appropriate arrangements to attend**

***Thank you!***