



2025 Mayor's BIZ Awards Nominations

The Mayor's Business Improvement Zone (BIZ) Awards recognize those who have made significant contributions to promote economic development in their local Business Improvement Zone.

Awards are presented for exemplary work that contribute to local Business Improvement Zones and make Winnipeg's neighbourhoods and our city a better place to live, work and do business.

Awards are presented for significant contributions in one or more of the following categories: community program delivery, "place making" (beautification and streetscape enhancements), special events, marketing, promotion and safety initiatives.

How to Nominate

1. Review Section A of the Nomination Form.
2. Complete Sections B, C and E of the Nomination Form.
3. Submit completed form to the Executive Director of your BIZ Zone.
4. Upon verification, the Executive Director will complete section D and provide you with a copy of your completed Nomination Package.

For Information please contact your BIZ Zone Executive Director

For direct contact information, please visit our online BIZ Zone directory at [Winnipeg.ca/BIZ](https://winnipeg.ca/BIZ)

Deadline for Nomination ♦ April 21, 2025

SECTION A: Eligibility Requirements

- ◆ The nominee is a BIZ Zone member in good standing.
- ◆ The nominee is an active volunteer within the BIZ Zone, community or neighbourhood.
- ◆ The nominee has demonstrated significant contributions to promote economic development within the BIZ Zone.
- ◆ The nominee is not a current employee of the BIZ Zone.
- ◆ The nominee is not currently serving as a member of the BIZ Zone Board.
- ◆ The nominee is not a City of Winnipeg employee, elected official or holds other political office.
- ◆ The nominee accepts and agrees to collection, nomination, and use of personal data and photography in conjunction with said nomination or selection as an award recipient.

SECTION B: Nominee

Name of nominee: _____

Title: _____

Business: _____

If the nominee is a BIZ Zone member, are they in good standing? ☐ Yes ☐ No

How many years has the nominee been a BIZ Zone member? _____

How many years has the nominee had a business in the Zone? _____

Email address: _____

Phone number(s): _____

Address _____ FAX: _____

Mailing address: _____ Postal Code: _____

SECTION C: Nominator

Name of nominator: _____

Title: _____

Business: _____

Is the nominee a relative? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Is the nominator an employee of the Nominee? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Email address: _____

Phone number(s): _____

Address _____ FAX: _____

Mailing address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Section D: BIZ Zone (to be completed by Executive Director)

Name of BIZ Zone: _____

Name of Executive Director: _____

Executive Director Email address: _____

Executive Director Phone number(s): _____

Name of Board Chair: _____

Board Chair Email address: _____

Board Chair Phone number: _____

This form is acknowledged to be received by the Executive Director, or their designate, on the date noted below.

Executive Director

Date

Section E: Nomination Form

Provide all information that is important to support your nominee, including relevant facts not covered by the following questions.

1. BIZ Zone: _____

2. Identify the category of contribution:

☐ Community Program: Name of Program _____

☐ Placemaking: Name/location of enhancement: _____

☐ Special Event: Name of Event: _____

☐ Marketing, Promotion & Safety: _____

3. Describe the significant contribution provided by the nominee and its value to the Business Improvement Zone, community or neighbourhood.

4. Explain if and how the nominee's contribution went above and beyond the normal scope of a BIZ Zone member, including demonstrated creativity or innovation in providing the contribution.

5. Describe what motivated the nominee to provide the contribution.

6. Describe the economic impact and benefits of the contribution.

7. Describe past and related supporting contributions, initiatives and positions held by the nominee that support your nomination. Please provide specific examples and supporting documentation if available.