



NEW HAMPSHIRE BUSINESS COMMITTEE FOR THE ARTS

BUSINESS IN THE ARTS AWARDS 2017 BUSINESS NOMINATION FORM

Individuals, businesses and representatives from arts organizations may nominate a New Hampshire business for the 2017 Business in the Arts Awards. Businesses are also welcome to nominate themselves for an award. To be eligible for consideration, nominations must be based on a company's demonstrated support of the arts in 2016.

Nominations may be submitted on this form, on separate sheets of paper following this format, or online at www.nhbca.com. Supporting information mailed separately will be attached to your nomination before it is sent to the judges.

All nominations must be received in the NHBCA offices by February 17, 2017. Submit nominations to: Joan Goshgarian, Executive Director, NHBCA, One Granite Place, Concord, N.H. 03301 or to joan@nhbca.com. Telephone (603) 224-8300.

Nomination submitted by:

Name _____

Company or Organizational Affiliation _____

Address _____

City _____, New Hampshire Zip _____

Telephone _____ E-Mail _____

I nominate for the NHBCA 2017 Business in the Arts Award :

Company Name _____

Chief Executive Officer or President _____

Address _____

City _____, New Hampshire Zip _____

Telephone _____ E-Mail _____

Category of Nomination (number of New Hampshire employees):

- Microenterprise (6 or fewer employees)
- Small Company (7-49 employees)
- Medium Company (50-299 employees)
- Large Company (300 or more employees)

Please answer the following questions as completely as possible, but do not be concerned if you do not know the answer to every question or if every question does not apply. Simply provide as much information as you are able so the judges will have a solid basis on which to evaluate. You will find it helpful to refer to the outlined criteria in the accompanying Award Criteria. Consideration will be given to those businesses which have had significant impact on the arts either through a variety of activities in 2016 (question 1) or through a single project of sufficient magnitude (question 2) or both. Businesses nominated by representatives of arts organizations will be asked by the NHBCA to provide supplementary information.

1. Summary/description of company's overall, total New Hampshire arts support in 2016. Specify any innovative or unusual aspects. *(If this nomination is meant only to highlight one specific project, you may skip this question and go to the next question.)*

2. If this nomination involves a special project you want to highlight, please describe the project and include details about the support.

3. The visibility of the arts program(s). Include what was noteworthy, its impact, who initiated and/or how many people were reached or involved.

4. Participation of company employees. Include in-kind support and volunteer services.

5. Total dollars in 2016 contributed in support of the arts (*optional*).

6. Estimated market value of in-kind product or services.

7. Why does the company support the arts? *(Include philosophic and business reasons.)*

8. How are the arts incorporated into the company's corporate culture? *(Consider corporate art collections, employee programs, matching gift programs, etc.)*

9. Other factors.