



2009 COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT-BUSINESS AWARD APPLICATION

The Community Involvement Award is presented for exceptional support of arts and culture, sports, education, voluntary groups, and/or community service. Judging takes into account the relative size of the business.

Give a brief description of what your company/organization is or does:

Total number of employees: _____ Full Time _____ Part Time _____

Describe involvement during the current year in four areas that your business participates in (i.e. serving on boards, committees, task forces, etc.) This involvement can be youth and/or adult.

Activity:

Activity:

Activity:

Activity:

What are your short-term objectives?

What are your long-term objectives?

Are staff members taking an active part in community activities during working hours?

____ Yes ____ No After working hours? ____ Yes ____ No Total Hours: _____

If "Yes" what criteria is used to determine when participation in activities during work hours is allowed?

How does your company encourage employee involvement in the city, county, state and/or country?

Why does your business deserve this award?

If there were one unique idea you would like to see for Aberdeen, what would it be?

THE INFORMATION ON THIS ENTRY FORM WAS COMPILED BY:

Name _____

Title _____

Company Name _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

IMPORTANT: Please submit four (4) entry forms for each category and attach the "General Data" form to the back of each entry. Supplemental materials (brochures, annual reports, etc.) may be included. Thank you.

Return by August 14, 2009:

Aberdeen Area Chamber of Commerce
P.O. Box 1179
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