

Outstanding Small Business Nomination Form

Thank you for nominating one of our area's leading small businesses. Please complete the nomination form and make arrangements to deliver this completed form to the Saginaw County Chamber of Commerce.

Criteria:

- Must be a for-profit business headquartered in Saginaw County
- Employ between 3 and 50 full time employees
- A minimum of 3 years in business
- Displays a visible commitment to good business practices
- Demonstrates good vision and management in the areas of:
 - Growth and marketability
 - Innovations of systems or products
 - Leadership with employee relations
- Service to the community

Your Company Name:

Your Contact Name: Colleen Schaeding

Your Phone Number: 989-781-0228

Your Company Address: 13105 Gratiot Rd, Hemlock, MI 49626

Your e-mail Contact address: clschaeding@gmail.com

Nominee Information:

Nominated Company Name: The Maple Grille

- Year Company was established: 2011
- Number of full time employees: 14
- Company Description (50 words): This family business started out as a seasonal farm to table restaurant 6 years ago and has grown to a year round established business. The Maple Grille employs many youth from the area some who come from school to work programs as well as helping out many local farms who supply the fruits, vegetables, and whole animals.
- Community Involvement (please describe): The Maple Grille donates many gift certificate to various fundraising events for local family's in need or organizations. It also does fundraising events for the local schools, Boy and Girl Scouts groups, Hemlock Library, 4-H, the Saginaw Fair, Hidden Harvest, Chippewa Nature Center, Walk to End Alzheimer's, and the Hemlock and Saginaw Farmers Market.

Nominated Company Contact Name: Joshua Schaeding

Nominated Company Phone: 989-233-2895

Nominated Company Address: 13105 Gratiot Road , Hemlock, MI 48626

Nominated Company Contact e-mail Address: themaplegrille.net



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Nomination Form

Nominee

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Year Established: _____ Number of Full-Time Employees: _____

Nominator

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

About the Nominee:

On a separate sheet, describe the nominee, listing how he/she meets the award criteria.

Supporting Documents:

Please contact 1-2 individuals to supply supporting documentation to accompany your nomination form. Support documents can take the form of letters, emails, news articles, etc.

Submission:

Return completed nominations by April 30th
Lisa Dobbins, Saginaw County Chamber of Commerce
515 N. Washington Ave., 3rd Floor, Saginaw, MI 48607
or by email to lisa@saginawchamber.org

Nominations received after the due date will be considered for the following year.

Maple Grille - Josh Schaeding has introduced 'farm to table' in Saginaw County. Working with his family, he offers fresh (never frozen) creations and has even mastered brewing beer. His countless hours of growing and buying healthy ingredients contributes to Saginaw being a healthier community.