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**Awards**

The Michigan Energy Innovation Business Council’s 7th annual fundraising gala will take place on November 14, 2019 at the Kellogg Center in East Lansing. During this event, we celebrate the companies and individuals who are working to build Michigan’s growing advanced energy industry. Nominations are now open for the awards that will be handed out during the Gala.

Please note:

* All Michigan EIBC members are able to nominate themselves or another business/individual.
* Businesses cannot win in the same category two years in a row.
* **\*New this year**: **After nominations are received, all Michigan EIBC member companies will be able vote for award winners (one vote per company for each category).**

**Project of the Year**

* Project that launched in Michigan in 2019.
* Recognizes a project that is supporting and/or expanding the growth of advanced energy in Michigan.

**Business of the Year**

* Nominees should have been in business for a minimum of three years.
* Have a permanent business location or current or planned project in Michigan.
* Recognizes a business that has done exceptional work supporting and/or expanding the growth of advanced energy in Michigan.

**Emerging Business of the Year**

* Nominees should have been in business for less than three years.
* Have a permanent business location or current or planned project in Michigan.
* Recognizes a new business that is supporting and/or expanding the growth of advanced energy in Michigan.

**Public Official of the Year**

* Nominee should be an elected or appointed official within the state of Michigan at the federal, state, or local level.
* Recognizes a public official who is supporting and/or expanding the growth of advanced energy in Michigan.

**Energy Innovators Hall of Fame**

* Nominee should be a legal resident of Michigan for at least two years.
* Recognizes an individual who has demonstrated an extended commitment to and extensive leadership in supporting and/or expanding the growth of advanced energy in Michigan.

**Please send nominations to** **mieibc@mieibc.org** **by August 26, 2019 at 5:00 pm EST.**

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**Nomination Form**

Nominees must:

* Complete a detailed questionnaire before stated deadline.
* Be willing to share the questionnaire information with Michigan EIBC members, the media, and the public.
* There is no fee to enter this nomination.
* Award winners (and those who did not win) will be notified prior to the **Michigan Energy Innovators Gala** on November 14, 2019.

ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL NAME:

PROJECT NAME & LOCATION (FOR PROJECT OF THE YEAR NOMINEES ONLY):

CONTACT NAME:

TITLE:

ADDRESS:

CITY:       State: Michigan Zip:

PHONE NUMBER:

EMAIL:

Is the organization or individual aware of this nomination?

Award Category:

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*Please provide the name and contact information of the nominator,*

*if different than the contact listed above.*

NOMINATOR NAME:

TITLE:

ORGANIZATION:

ADDRESS:

CITY:       State:       Zip:

PHONE NUMBER:

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