

Manning Gloucester Great Lakes Business Awards 2016

Application Form for:

Excellence in Environmental Sustainability



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The Excellence in Sustainability award recognises a business that is working to reduce the impact of their operations on the environment and/or provide products and services that have positive and measurable environmental outcomes. Where sustainability is your core business, you must enter this category based on sustainable initiatives and projects within your business, not related to your core offering.

Copy and paste this document into Word to enable you to add content, photographs, graphs, pictures and a <30 Second MP3 on a memory stick about an aspect of your business or region that you are passionate about. Please include all additional documents with your entry.

Conditions of Entry:

- Entrants must be located in the Manning Valley, Gloucester or Great Lakes region
- Entrants must be received by Friday 10th June, 2016
- Answer every question
- Please be aware of word count on each question
- All information remains confidential
- The Manning Valley Business Chamber reserve the rights to preclude any entry which may negatively impact on the reputation of the Business Awards

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ENTRANT DETAILS

Business Trading Name:.....

Business Display Name:.....

(This is how we will refer to your business name in any marketing or promotions – for example, if you become a finalist it is how we will list your company name on the website, email marketing, finalist certificates and slides on the night etc.)

ABN:

Date Established:.....Annual Turnover

Number of Full time employees:

Entry Contact First Name:.....Entry Contact Last Name:.....

Entry Contact Phone Number:.....

Entry Contact Email:.....

Entry Contact Job Title:.....

Business Postal Address:

Category entered:

I am a member of the Business Chamber

(Forster Tuncurry, Gloucester, MVBC, Taree, Wingham, Old Bar, Harrington, Hallidays Point)

I would like to become a member of the Business Chamber

(Forster Tuncurry, Gloucester, MVBC, Taree, Wingham, Old Bar, Harrington, Hallidays Point)

Please note that an administration charge of \$25 (+GST) will apply to all Non-Members of the Taree, Wingham, Old Bar, Harrington, Hallidays Point or Manning Valley Business Chamber. This is a once off charge per business and will not be charged multiple times for multiple applications.

I hereby agree that:

1. The judge's decision will be final.
2. To the best of my knowledge the information contained in this entry is correct and accurate at the time of submission.

Signed: _____ Date: _____



Entries close Friday 10th June 2016

CORE QUESTIONS

These broad-based business questions are required to be completed by all entrants. This only needs to be completed once regardless of how many categories are entered into. This section is not judged however it provides a context in which your business operates and is used in the marketing of your business in relation to the Business Awards program.

1. Please describe what your business does? Word count: Max 200
2. Tell us the overall objectives of your business? Word count: Max 250
3. Tell us what winning these business awards would mean to your business? Word Count: 250
4. How will your business act as a role model in the future? Word count: 250

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Please describe your business environmental sustainability goals. Word count: 200
2. Please describe the initiatives/actions your organisation has undertaken to achieve its sustainability objectives in the previous 12- 24 months. Word Count: 400 words
3. Please describe your sustainability achievements over the last 12 months. Word count: 400
4. Please describe how you involve staff in your environmental initiatives. Word count: 300
5. Please provide measurable evidence of how these achievements have positively contributed to your business and /or community. Word count: 400
6. Please explain how you measure your sustainability achievements and their impacts. Word count: 300

Remember to please adhere to word count. Send all Information and include additional corresponding and relevant details, photos etc. to:

admin@manningvalleychamber.com.au or PO Box 805, Taree 2430

In the email subject state: "full name of category" Application" eg. Excellence in Application