

Greater Warrensburg Area Chamber of Commerce 2026 EMERGING PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR AWARD

The Greater Warrensburg Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking applications for its 2026 Emerging Professional of the Year Award. The individual must be recognized for their civic engagement, entrepreneurship, and leadership. Nominees must be members of, or affiliated with, a business or organization that holds an active Warrensburg Chamber of Commerce membership in good standing.

The Chamber will honor the winner at the **Annual Awards & Social on July 23rd, 2026**. Nominees are encouraged to attend the awards ceremony. Nominators are asked to inform the nominee of the nomination and encourage the nominee to attend the event.

A nominating committee composed of Chamber Ambassadors will review all submitted applications.

Past winners are not eligible to apply for two years in the category for which they won. For example:

- 2023 winners may not apply again until 2026
- 2024 winners may not apply again until 2027

Immediate past winners may apply in new categories.

Nominee Information

Individual Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Nominator Information (if different from nominee)

Nominated by: _____

Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

If additional space is needed, please attach extra pages.

Application Questions

Chamber Engagement: Please describe how the individual engages with the Chamber.

Professional Impact: Describe how the individual demonstrates meaningful, measurable contributions that create a positive difference in projects, teams, customers, or the broader community.

Leadership: List ways the individual shows leadership.

Other Comments:

Submission Instructions

Please return this application by hand or mail to:
Greater Warrensburg Area Chamber of Commerce
100 S. Holden St., Warrensburg, MO 64093
or by email to staylor@warrensburg.org
Deadline: 5:00 p.m. on June 25th, 2026

Forms are also available online at www.warrensburg.org.