

Innovator of the Year

(This nomination is open only to MWBC clients)

What are the evaluation/selection criteria for the Innovator of the Year award?

In evaluating the nomination packages for the Innovator of the Year award, the judges will use the following criteria:

- 1) Description of the innovation.
- 2) What makes the innovation unique?
- 3) When and where was the innovation introduced?
- 4) Why do you think your nominee deserves this award?
- 5) What is the impact of the innovation on the community?

What is the deadline for nominations and where should they be sent?

All nominations physically submitted to the MWBC must be postmarked or hand delivered to the MWBC Office at 51 Monroe Street, PE-20, Rockville, MD 20850 no later than 3:00pm ET, September 1, 2016. All nominations submitted via email must also be submitted no later than 3:00pm ET, September 1, 2016 to admin@marylandwbc.org.

What information must the nomination package contain?

Nominations must contain the information required below. Incomplete nomination packages will not be considered. All evaluation/selection criteria must be specifically addressed and include:

- 1) A completed nomination form which is available on the MWBC website at www.marylandwbc.org
- 2) An original 8" x 10" or 5" x 7" photo of the nominee or a digital photo – at least 300 dpi is required; photocopies are not acceptable.
- 3) Additional supporting documentation deemed significant by the nominator, including news clips, letters of recommendation, nomination letter (if not self-nominated) and other evidence of the appropriateness of the nomination (supporting documentation must not exceed 10 pages). Videos will not be considered.