



**Indianola Business Improvement Award
(Golden Hammer Award)
2013 NOMINATION FORM**
Sponsored by: Indianola Chamber of Commerce

Nominations are being accepted for the Annual *Indianola Business Improvement Award* to be presented at the Chamber's Recognition Dinner, which will be held on Wednesday, March 6, 2014. Criteria for the Award are as follows:

- The project must have been completed during the period between January 1 and December 31, 2013.
- Nominations are limited to visible capital improvements, new structures, landscape and interior or exterior remodeling and/or expansion projects.
- Commercial, industrial and/or business properties in the Indianola business community are eligible.
- Projects must be financed through private capital investment (SBA loans, partial Economic Development Grants financing, etc. are permissible.)
- Evaluation will consider maintenance of historic character, design and construction compatible with the surrounding environment, which mitigates clutter, environmental sensitivity, aesthetic appeal, etc.
- Businesses are encouraged to nominate their own projects.
- Membership in the Indianola Chamber of Commerce is encouraged, but not required.
- Include a photo of the project.
- **Nomination forms must be received for review at the Chamber office no later than 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 19, 2014.**

The Award promotes projects, which enhance the appearance of Indianola.

Name of Business: _____

Address: _____

*** Please attach your reason for this nomination and why this business is deserving of the Golden Hammer Award.**

Submitted by: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

**Please Note! It is the responsibility of the person or business submitting the nomination form to coordinate the winner's attendance at the Annual Dinner and to pay the cost of the dinner.*

The person submitting the nomination may have their name and completed nomination form given to the winner to enable them to send a thank you letter. Send my name and nomination form to my nominee: ____Yes ____No

**Mail to or drop off at : Indianola Chamber of Commerce, 104 N. Howard St., Indianola, IA 50125, Fax: 961-9753
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