

## **Capturing Opportunities Awards Rules and Regulations**

### **Economic Development Innovation Award - Corporate**

#### **Eligibility Criteria:**

- **Businesses whose corporate actions:**
  - **Illustrate innovation in community economic development through cooperation with community partners**
  - **Build on the resources of the community**
  - **Respond to changes, challenges and/or opportunities; and**
  - **Demonstrate outcomes in rural economic development**

#### **Nomination Deadline:**

***Nominations will be accepted until 12:00 noon on April 1, 2010***

#### **Nomination Process:**

- Nomination forms must be completed in full. Multiple category nominations are accepted, but separate forms must be submitted for each category
- Complete a nomination package and submit the following to the Capturing Opportunities Office by April 1, 2010.
  - Nomination form
  - Answers to questions describing the nominations fulfillment of requirements
  - Nomination acceptance form
  - Additional support documentation (optional)
- Written acknowledgement that the nominee is aware of and accepts their nomination must be included with nomination application.
- You will be contacted to acknowledge that your nomination package has been received

#### **Judging Process:**

- An independent selection committee will make recommendations to Capturing Opportunities
  - i. Make sure your nomination package is clear, complete and concise
  - ii. Be specific and concrete in describing your nominee according to the award criteria

#### **Finalist Recognition**

- One award will be given for each category
- Award recipients will be honoured at the Capturing Opportunities Celebration banquet on Thursday April 22, 2010 at the Keystone Center in Brandon and will be presented with a commemorative artistic glass award as well as a \$1000 cash contribution to their community organization of choice

**Nomination Deadline: April 1, 2010**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

**For more information please contact the Capturing Opportunities Office:**

1129 Queens Avenue, Brandon, Manitoba, Canada, R7A 1L9

Phone: (204) 761-6317 or 1-800-933-9863 Email: Christopher.Bird@gov.mb.ca

## **Capturing Opportunities Awards Nomination Form**

### **Economic Development Innovation Award - Corporate**

***I hereby nominate the following organization/municipality as a candidate  
for the Economic Development Innovation Award***

Nominee (Business Name): \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ***Nominated By:***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination Deadline: April 1, 2010**  
**Mail or Fax Completed Nomination Package to:**  
**Capturing Opportunities**  
**1129 Queens Avenue,**  
**Brandon, MB, R7A 1L9**  
**Fax: (204) 726-6260**

**Nomination Deadline: April 1, 2010**

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### **Economic Development Innovation Award - Corporate**

*This award recognizes corporate partners that engage community organizations or individuals in cooperative projects that contribute to the community economic development of a community and/or region.*

- 1. Please give a description of the business that you wish to be recognized and the greater economic and community contribution it has made to the community and/or region.**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 2. Please indicate why this business and its corporate actions would be viewed as innovative**
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
- 3. Please describe the measurable short term and long term implications/benefits to the community or region that resulted from this economic development innovation**

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

## Capturing Opportunities Awards Nomination Acceptance Form

I \_\_\_\_\_ am aware of my nomination for the  
(please legibly print full name of NOMINEE)

Rural Recognition Award of (please check off):

- Outstanding Community Leadership Award
- Economic Development Innovation Award – Community
- Economic Development Innovation Award - Corporate
- Rural Youth Achievement Award

\_\_\_\_\_  
( signature of NOMINEE)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

As submitted by \_\_\_\_\_  
(please print full name of nominator)

Please indicate the name of the community organization that you would like the \$1000 cash award to be donated to:

\_\_\_\_\_

**Nomination Deadline: April 1, 2010**