

Department of Veterans Affairs
Champion of Veterans Enterprise – Annual Awards Program
Support Sector Champion Nomination

This award honors support sectors that have opened doors of opportunity for veterans in business through unique, innovative or comprehensive support. Nominees must demonstrate excellence in one or more of the following areas:

- Exemplary service;
- Active support for legislative or regulatory action designed to help veteran-owned small businesses;
- Evidence of increased business opportunities for veterans as a result of the nominee's actions;
- Advisory activities to improve awareness among veterans' groups of small business opportunities;
- Demonstrated accomplishment in obtaining support within the community for the establishment of veteran-owned small business;
- Other accomplishments demonstrating the nominee's effective advocacy of veteran-owned small businesses; or
- Evidence of training, mentoring and developing veterans.

Provide a narrative describing how the nominee satisfies the criteria above.

