Celebrating National Veterans Small Business Week 2019







2019 Veteran Small Business Advocate

The Veteran Small Business Advocate award honors individuals who assist veteran-owned small businesses through advocacy efforts to increase the awareness of the contributions of these businesses to the economy and the availability and effectiveness of their support. Eligibility and Nominations:

- Nominee may or may not be a business owner.
- Nominee may or may not be a veteran or service member.
- All information must be on the official form and not exceed four pages no attachments will be accepted.
- The nomination forms must be signed by nominator(s) and all nominees.

The 2019 Hawaii Veterans Small Business Award nominations are due October 1, 2019
Please deliver to the VBOC of the Pacific office: 2800 Woodlawn Dr. Ste. 146 Honolulu, HI
or scan and email to vboc@hawaii.edu
For more information, contact (808) 988-1236

Nominee's Name:		
Name of Business:		
Title/Position:		
	Dates of Service:	
Business Address:		
	(Home)	
E-mail address:		
Sponsor's Name:		
Sponsor's Title:		
Sponsor's Business/Organization:		
Sponsor's Address:		
Sponsor's Telephone: (Business)	(Home)	
Sponsor's F-mail:		

About the Nominee *Please keep responses within the textbox

Give a brief one-paragraph description of the nominee's business or affiliation:					
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Selection Criteria for Veteran Small Business Advocate

Please explain briefly how the nominee has performed as a Veteran Small Business Advocate
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1.	Outside of regular business duties, the amount and quality of assistance given to small businesses to improve the business and economic environment (access to capital, contracting opportunities, resources, regulations, etc.)
2.	Advocacy of changes to assist veteran-owned small companies.

3.	Encouragement of the development and delivery of support and the opportunities to veteran-owned small ventures.
4.	Active support for legislative or regulatory action designed to help veterans.
5.	Other significant contributions through advocacy efforts to advance veteran-owned small business interests.

Additional Information

The prestigious Veteran Small Business Awards honor the outstanding men and women who demonstrate excellence and achievement. All nominees and nominees' businesses must comply with state and federal regulations regarding labor, immigration, civil rights, taxation, and other applicable regulations. Any financial information provided as required for the nomination will be held in strict confidence by the selection committee. By submitting the completed nomination form, the nominee certifies that, to the best of his/her knowledge, the information provided is correct and the business has complied with regulations, as stated above.

Please note that we will accept only one nomination per person or business entity within an award category. If a duplicate nomination is received, the nomination submitted to VBOC at the earliest time will be considered for the award. Individuals and businesses may only be nominated in one award category each year.

Yes

No

I would like my nomination to be reviewed and submitted for other small business awards that would recognize my achievements in business and community.				
Please contact me prior to sub	omission.			
Sponsor Signature(s):				
Sponsor	Date	Sponsor	Date	
Nominee Signature(s):				
Nominee	Date	Nominee	Date	
Nominee	Date	Nominee	Date	
Received at VBOC office on	by (Date)		For internal use only:	

Release Form

I,, give my permission to have my photograph/image and accompanying
written copy in all forms of media to be used for informational purposes by the VBOC of the Pacific
and Hawaii SBA. I understand that my photograph(s) and/or image(s) will be used to help illustrate
and explain activities and programs of the VBOC of the Pacific and Hawaii SBA.

Signature:	
Print Name:	
Address:	
Date:	







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