Pennsylvania Economic Development Association
2019 Economic Development Program of the Year Award

Nomination Form

Nominee Name _____
Contact / Title _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____
Email Address _____
Website _____

Nominator / Title _____
Company _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone _____
Email Address _____

- **Agencies can nominate themselves.**

Instructions:

1. Complete the **nomination form** (typed or printed).

2. Provide a **narrative** (limited to 5 pages) addressing how the program meets award criteria. Impact and investment data are helpful.

- Economic development strategy - e.g., neighborhood, community, region, state; infrastructure assistance program; financing program, etc.
- Program longevity - 3 years minimum; credit for longevity
- Demonstrated results
- Benefit to neighborhood / community / region / state
- Comprehensiveness
- Consensus building / community support / stakeholder involvement
- Effectiveness / efficiency in addressing demonstrated need
- Strategic thinking / thoroughness / validity of research

3. Provide a minimum of 10 high quality jpeg photographs related to the program and appropriate for potential use in an awards presentation.

Applications and all related materials comprising a complete submission must be emailed to pedastaff@peda.org by the established deadline. Submissions should be typed in Times New Roman (size 12 font) and all documents comprising a submission - with the exception of photos - must be submitted as a single electronic document (PDF format). If your submission exceeds the capacity of a single email, please place your electronic materials in a DropBox folder and provide the link to PEDA. Winners will also be asked to participate, as presenters, in a future conference session.

While it is recognized that economic development programs most often occur over time, nomination information and materials should focus on accomplishments occurring or culminating in 2018.

Nominations and all accompanying materials must be received by PEDA no later than September 13, 2019.

Comments or questions may be directed to PEDA Headquarters at (717) 441-6047 or pedastaff@peda.org.