

DISABILITY AWARENESS AWARDS

WHAT ARE THEY?

Co-sponsored by the Alexandria Commission on Persons with Disabilities (ACPD) and The Chamber ALX, this event proudly honors residents and businesses making significant strides in the area of disability empowerment.

Applications are due by May 8th to qualify.

THE CHAMBER ALX AWARDS

The Chamber ALX selects honorees for two awards

Awareness Award

recognizing a business for promoting positive awareness among it's employees of the needs of customers with disabilities

Hiring Award

recognizing a business for a commitment to hiring persons with disabilities or aiding employees with disabilities in furthering their careers.

To nominate or apply for The Awareness or Hiring awards, complete pages 2-3 and submit to Lpatish@thechamberalx.com. For additional assistance contact (703) 739-3815

CITY OF ALEXANDRIA ACPD AWARDS

The City of Alexandria's ACPD selects honorees for two awards

Gerry Bertier Scholarship

a merit-based scholarship, awarded to an Alexandria resident or student with a disability who is seeking post-secondary education

John Duty Collins III Advocate for Persons with Disabilities Award

recognizes an individual who advocates for and contributes to the promotion of equal opportunity for persons with disabilities in Alexandria

To nominate or apply for the Gerry Bertier Scholarship or John Duty Collins III awards, please contact ACPD@alexandriava.gov or <https://www.alexandriava.gov/ACPD>

AWARDS RECEPTION

Honorees will be informed if they have been selected and will be given their awards in person at the Disability Awareness Awards & Reception on June 16th at 5:30PM at City Hall.



THE CHAMBER ALX'S AWARENESS AWARD SECTION 1 OF 2: CONTACT INFORMATION

REQUIRED:

BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:

NOMINATOR'S FIRST NAME
NOMINATOR'S LAST NAME
NOMINATOR'S JOB TITLE/POSITION
NOMINATOR'S EMAIL ADDRESS
NOMINATOR'S PHONE NUMBER

BUSINESSES HR/PR CONTACT NAME
BUSINESSES HR/PR PHONE NUMBER
BUSINESSES HR/PR EMAIL ADDRESS

OPTIONAL:

BUSINESS TWITTER HANDLE
BUSINESS FACEBOOK HANDLE

SECTION 2 of 2: QUESTIONNAIRE

RESPONSES TO ALL FOUR QUESTIONS ARE REQUIRED:

- 1. Please cite specific examples of how the business achieves this commitment. This may include any architectural changes made to make its facilities accessible to persons with disabilities.**
- 2. Please provide a summary/outline of the written or oral policies the business has adopted to accomplish this commitment. You may include a description of how these policies are conveyed to the employees of the business and to customers.**
- 3. Is there any special recognition given to the employee(s) of the business where he/she/they achieves this commitment? If so, please provide examples or details.**
- 4. Has this business received any prior recognition for its commitment to promoting the needs of customers with disabilities? If so, please provide examples or details.**



Applications for all four awards are due on May 8th by 5PM

Please send The Chamber ALX Awards applications to
Lpatish@thechamberalx.com

City of Alexandria Awards applications are available at
<https://www.alexandriava.gov/ACPD>

THE CHAMBER ALX'S HIRING AWARD

SECTION 1 OF 2: CONTACT INFORMATION

REQUIRED:

BUSINESS/ORGANIZATION NAME:

NOMINATOR'S FIRST NAME
NOMINATOR'S LAST NAME
NOMINATOR'S JOB TITLE/POSITION
NOMINATOR'S EMAIL ADDRESS
NOMINATOR'S PHONE NUMBER

BUSINESSES HR/PR CONTACT NAME
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- 1. Please cite specific examples of how the business achieves this commitment. This may include any architectural changes made to make its facilities accessible to persons with disabilities.**
- 2. Please provide a summary/outline of the written or oral policies the business has adopted to accomplish this commitment. If the business uses marketing or advertising materials to promote this commitment, please attach copies.**
- 3. Has this business received any prior recognition for its commitment to promoting the needs of customers with disabilities? If so, please provide examples or details.**