

GSSCC Circle of Stars

2021 Award Nomination/Application

On July 29 at AFI Silver Theatre, GSSCC will name the newest members to its “Circle of Stars,” a select group of for-profit businesses that continue to make Silver Spring a better place to live, work, and run a business. These companies have demonstrated remarkable resilience, sustainability, and/or transformation during the past year. They are also those companies that continue to do well through doing good, be it through service to the community, stewardship of local and global resources, and/or support of non-profit/community organizations or causes.

We welcome GSSCC members to submit an application or nominate a fellow member company to be considered for this honor. See the details below:

Eligibility

Nominees must:

- Have a permanent business location with employee(s) in Silver Spring or Montgomery County.
- Have been in operation for a minimum of three years.
- Be a member in good standing of the Greater Silver Spring Chamber of Commerce for at least two years and be active in the Chamber.

Award Nomination Deadline

Nominations must be submitted via email to jredicker@gsscc.org by 5 p.m. on Friday, June 25, 2021.

Nomination/Application

Please provide the information requested below. Self-nominations will be accepted. If necessary, use additional sheets to provide the information requested.

Nominee Business Name: _____ Years a GSSCC member: _____

Business Address: _____

Nominee Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Nomination submitted by: _____ Phone: _____

Please use separate pages to respond to the following:

- Describe the nominee's/applicant's business (25 words or fewer):
- Describe how the company demonstrated resilience, sustainability, and/or transformation in the past year (i.e. pivoted operations to meet a new need, kept its employees or increased staff, went above and beyond to serve its customers/clients). (200 words or fewer)
- Describe the company's contributions to and involvement in community programs, activities, or services, specific partnerships with the public sector, not-for-profit organizations, and the community. (200 words or fewer)
- Describe how the organization engages and empowered employees to participate in its community service and stewardship efforts. (200 words or fewer)