



Emerging Business Award 2026 Beacon Awards Nomination Ballot

This award recognizes an outstanding new business, who has been in business for five (5) or less years that demonstrates innovation, growth, and a positive impact on the community.

NOMINEE INFORMATION

Business Name: _____

Business Website: _____

Contact Person: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Contact Email Address: _____

NOMINATOR INFORMATION

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Signature: _____

BUSINESS OVERVIEW

Year business was established: _____

Briefly describe the business: _____

What makes this business stand out from others in the area? _____

COMMUNITY IMPACT

Describe the business' contributions to its customers, employees, and the local community:

SUBMISSION

All nominations will be carefully reviewed by a designated committee. Top nominees will be determined by merit and not by the number of submissions received. Online voting for these nominees will then be open to both chamber members and community members for final selection.

Completed ballot must be signed and received by April 1, 2026 to director@chincoteaguechamber.com or Chincoteague Chamber of Commerce, 6733 Maddox Boulevard, Chincoteague Island, VA 23336. Questions? Contact Joanne Moore, Executive Director by email or call 757-336-6161.

**PAST AWARD WINNERS
EMERGING BUSINESS AWARD**

Cowboy Cruise Company - 2025