

SCEDA Local Developer Award



The South Carolina Economic Developers' Association created the Local Developer Award to recognize the hard work and dedication of local or regional developers in South Carolina. Any SCEDA member in good standing, except for an employee or employer of the nominee, may nominate a local developer who has made a significant difference in their community. The recipient will be recognized at the SCEDA Annual Meeting during the SCEDA Annual Conference.

See evaluation criteria below. Nominations should conform to this outline.

Application Deadline: March 15, 2024.

NOMINEE INFORMATION

(Please include a current resume of the nominee.)

Name: _____ Nickname: _____

Company: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

Are they a current member of SCEDA? _____ Date Joined: _____

List active memberships in economic development organizations: _____

List memberships in other professional or civic organizations: _____

Number of years in economic development: _____

SCEDA MEMBER MAKING THIS NOMINATION

Name: _____ Nickname: _____

Company: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

Explain Relationship (how you know the nominee): _____

Local Developer Award Evaluation Criteria

To be eligible, nominee must meet the following criteria:

- Must be a member of SCEDA in good standing and may not be nominated by an employee or employer.
- Must have five (5) years of economic development experience, of which three (3) years must be at a local or regional development organization in a leadership role (please submit current resume/employment history).

In a brief narrative, please comment on the achievements of the nominee you consider worthy of recognition.

These should include the following:

1. Accomplishment of job responsibilities (Innovative programs or activities initiated and/or implemented, obstacles overcome, etc.) (25%)
2. Any unique exemplary efforts related to economic development. (20%)
3. Impact of efforts on the community (may include location of industries, job created, capital investment). (20%)
4. Involvement with SCEDA (offices held, activities participated in). (15%)
5. Professional development (educational achievements related to economic development). (10%)
6. Personal traits/characteristics (leadership qualities, enthusiasm, motivation, community involvement). (5%)
7. Any additional comments to support your nomination. (5%)

Please provide no more than three (3) additional letters of recommendation.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Submit Ally Award application and all supporting documents in one PDF with the file name of "Nominee - SCEDA Local Developer Award Application 2024" to info@sceda.org.
- SCEDA Awards Committee along with the SCEDA Board will make determination for award eligibility.
- Recipient must be able to attend the SCEDA Annual Conference, May 8-10, 2024, at the Marriott Grande Dunes, in Myrtle Beach, SC

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Questions: Please call (803) 929-0305.

Incomplete applications will not be considered.

