Greater Valparaiso Chamber of Commerce

2027 DISTINGUISHED COMMUNITY LEADER AWARD

The Distinguished Community Leader Award has represented the highest recognition of our Chamber towards an individual member of the business community. You are invited to nominate an individual or individuals for this most prestigious acknowledgment. Eligible candidates must be active in the Greater Valparaiso business community and the following criteria should be used in describing the candidate.

1. **Demonstration of leadership across Valparaiso/Northwest Indiana**
2. **Success in promoting the development of business and industry**
3. **Overall involvement in and contributions to the community**
4. **Leadership roles in professional activities**
5. **High reputation among the community business leaders**
6. **Contributed to the enhancement of the quality of life in our community on a sustained basis.**

Nominee_____

Business or Company Name_____

Phone_____

Remarks about nominee – use an additional sheet if necessary. Please address your comments to the six criteria listed above.

Name of Nominator _____

Signature of Nominator_____

Address_____

Phone_____Date_____

Nominations should be returned:
via email to stephanie@valpochamber.org
via mail to 162 W Lincolnway, Valparaiso, IN 46383

This year's awards will be presented at the Salute to Leadership dinner currently scheduled for Friday, April 9, 2027.

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF NOMINATION IS November 20, 2026.