

# Positive Action of the Year Award Instruction Form

## Positive Action:

An organization/  
business that positively  
contributes to meeting  
the needs of the  
Hanover region and work  
together with community  
members toward a  
cooperative vision that  
suggests ways to  
manage growth.

## Previous recipients include:

2105 Main Street Hanover  
2014 Hanover High School  
Metal Lab  
2013 Hanover Center for  
Workforce Excellence  
2011 Exchange Club  
of Hanover  
2010 Family First Health  
2009 Hanover Area YWCA  
& Hanover Area  
Council of Churches  
2008 Hanover Area  
Historical Society

Selection will be managed  
by the Awards & Recognition  
Committee, in conjunction  
with the Workforce  
Development Committee.

The Hanover Area Chamber of Commerce's Positive Action Award recognizes those organizations/businesses that positively contribute to meeting the needs of the Hanover region and work together with community members toward a cooperative vision that suggests ways to manage growth.

## Nominating Process:

-Any Chamber member may nominate a candidate for the Positive Action Award. The nomination must be presented in writing to the Awards & Recognition Committee. It should describe the actions of the nominee and relate same to a specified Hanover principle (see below).

- Awards & Recognition Committee shall consider each nomination.

Qualifications of the nominee will be discussed by the Committee and all discussion shall be held in confidence by the Committee members.

-Selection of the recipient shall be by the majority vote of the Committee members in attendance.

-The selected nominee shall be submitted to the Awards & Recognition Committee for review and approval.

-Upon acknowledgement from the Executive Committee, the nominee shall be notified by the Chairperson of the Awards & Recognition Committee and arrangements made for the presentation at the **Awards Ceremony**.

## Hanover Principles:

1. Development Sensitivity: The Greater Hanover Region's identity is still that of a small town and rural atmosphere. Future development that is sensitive to this unique condition will be essential if the area's identity is to be retained.

2. Human Services: The Greater Hanover Region is fortunate to have a large number of agencies and organizations devoted to providing health and human services. The health and welfare of the citizenry is a primary concern for an expanding population.

3. Scenic Resources: The Greater Hanover Region is fortunate to have many scenic resources - these must not be taken for granted but instead, must be protected.

4. Regional Cooperation: The Greater Hanover Region is fortunate to have cooperation among its municipalities. This is essential in sharing resources and avoiding duplication of efforts.

Nominate the Chamber member you know who fits this description by filling out the Nomination Form below and send it directly to the Chamber via fax at 637-9127 or by mail at 146 Carlisle St., Hanover, PA 17331.

**Nominations must be received by October 7, 2016.**

