



# the Fire within

## Award Nomination Form

It's now that time of year when you get the chance to nominate two fellow women business owners as this year's 5<sup>th</sup> annual Fire Within award winners! As you know, last year's award winners were Janet Neil, owner of Bert and Ernie's (Aspire) and Penny Rubner, owner of Penny's Gourmet to Go (Inspire) but here is a reminder of the award criteria to help you with your selection:

**Inspire Award:** This award will go to a Woman Business Owner in an established business that has made a significant personal contribution to its success, growth or expansion. It also recognizes her contributions or involvement in her community during her career.

**Aspire Award:** This award will go to a Woman Business Owner who has recently realized her dream by starting a new venture. Her early success and accomplishments show her creativity, passion and drive. This award also recognizes her contributions or involvement in her community.

Nominations are not limited however we do ask that you submit *one* nomination per form, per award. Nominations will close January 31<sup>st</sup> 2015.

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Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Your Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Product/Service: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Established: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Please select nomination:  Aspire  Inspire

### Summary of Nominee's Professional Achievements

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**Summary of the business's unique approach to providing its product or service and/or what makes them stand out from their competition.**

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**Summary of Nominee's Community Involvement**

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**Tell us about the flame *you* see in your nominee and why you believe they should win this award.**

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