

CONNEAUT AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS FOR 2022 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD

Conneaut, Ohio –The Conneaut Area Chamber of Commerce is currently accepting nominations for the 2022 *Citizen of the Year Award*. The nominations will be accepted from now until 5pm on Friday, December 30, 2022.

According to Chamber President Lori Riley, “This is a night to celebrate all that is good in our community. So many folks give back and this gives us the opportunity to publicly recognize those achievements.” The 2021 *Citizen of the Year* recipient was Chuck Guglielmo. Chuck has long been known as “The Voice of the Conneaut Spartans Football Team”. He has also broadcast Spartan boys’ and girls’ basketball games for many years and is known for reporting news in public schools in a fair and balanced manner.

To be eligible for *Citizen of the Year*, a person’s community service must be **over and above** what they currently do for a living. Nominees must live or work in Conneaut. According to Conneaut Area Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Wendy DuBey, “*Citizen of the Year* is reserved for our best and brightest. The award is only bestowed upon those individuals who are generous and giving *outside* of their employment—on their own time—and not during work hours.” Services must have been performed over a period of years and should include current community service. All nominations must be made in writing and include the biographical information pertinent to this award.

While anyone can nominate any individual for the *Citizen of the Year Award*, only past chamber presidents and former recipients of the award actually vote on the winner. That recipient will be announced at the Chamber’s Annual Membership Dinner next February, at The New Leaf Event Center. Dinner tickets are available at the Chamber for \$35 for Chamber members and \$40 for non-members. Doors open at 5:30pm with a buffet dinner at 6:00pm.

The Conneaut Area Chamber of Commerce exists to promote economic, civic, and social improvement while highlighting all that makes the City of Conneaut and surrounding areas a great place to live, work, and play.