

**Meridian Chamber of Commerce Small Business Awards Program  
Awards Recipients**

**Small Business Person:**

1998: W.R. Jim Johnson, All-American Insurance  
1999: Tere Foley, Initial Point Galley  
2000: Lori Hoalst Jones, Investment Centers of America  
2001: Bernice Tisdale, Wells Fargo, Meridian-North  
2002: Tom McKinstry, Indian Creek Winery  
2003: Mark Freeman, Foley, Freeman, Borton & Stern, Chtd.  
2004: Becky McKinstry, OpenLines, Inc.  
2005: Joe Borton, Foley, Freeman & Borton, Attorneys  
2006: Carolyn Sinnard, Dancing Dog Coffee House  
2007: Jorene Batali, Syringa Bank  
2008: Dr. Tom Hammond, Vision Quest Medical Center  
2009: Mark Bennett, Silverhawk Realty  
2010: Brandon Wright, Ultra Clean Inc.  
2011: Doug Mason, Sanitary Services Company  
2012: Kathy Chambers, State Farm  
2013: Cheryl Mulvihill, Loving Life Mobile Spa  
2014: Calvin Barrett, Edward Jones  
2015: Kelly Ryan, Clear Voice Telecom  
2016: Clint Shiflet, Idaho Central Credit Union

**Business of the Year: 0-10 employees**

1998: SealCo. (Mike & Paula DeVaney)  
1999: Foley & Freeman, Chartered (Howard Foley & Mark Freeman)  
2000: Molenaar Jewelers (Ann Marie Molenaar-Schram)  
2001: Westpark Printing (Mike & Julie Lemna)  
2002: Finer Frames (Meg Peters)  
2003: Edward Jones Investments—Chris Klein  
2004: Syringa Bank  
2005: All American Insurance  
2006: Creative Balloons  
2007: Framed!  
2008: The Fred Kesler Agency-Farmers Insurance  
2009: Access Heating & Air Conditioning Inc.  
2010: Valley Times  
2011: Dutch Bros. Coffee  
2012: Borton-Lakey Law Offices  
2013: V3 Hair Studio  
2014: FreedomMaid  
2015: Allied Paper Shredding  
2016: Treasure Valley Children's Theater

**Business of the Year: 11+ employees**

1998: Micro 100 Tool Corporation (Dale Newberry)  
1999: Express Café (Ken Marler)

**Business of the Year: 11-50 employees**

2000: Idaho Athletic Club  
2001: Idaho Independent Bank (Gerry Mattison)

2002: Beniton Construction Co.  
2003: Memorial Monuments & Vaults  
2004: Sanitary Service, Inc.  
2005: Meridian Automotive & Machine  
2006: Farmers & Merchants State Bank  
2007: Johnson Architects  
2008: Washington Trust Bank  
2009: Sterling Savings Bank  
2010: D.L. Evans Bank  
2011: D & A Glass Co Inc.  
2012: CTR-Cleanup & Total Restoration  
2013: Shadow Trackers Investigative Services  
2014: Intermountain Pet Hospital & Lodge  
2015: Idaho Central Credit Union  
2016: Meridian Library District

**Business of the Year: 51+ employees**

2000: Precision Craft Log Structures  
2001: Meridian Ford Sales  
2002: The Hubble Group, Inc.  
2003: United Heritage  
2004: D & B Supply  
2005: KeyBank  
2006: St. Luke's Meridian Medical Center  
2007: Petra, Inc.  
2008: Wal-Mart  
2009: Texas Roadhouse  
2010: Blue Cross of Idaho  
2011: Western States Equipment  
2012: University of Phoenix  
2013: Micro-100 Tool Corporation  
2014: Food Services of America  
2015: Engineered Structures, Inc.  
2016: Kendall Ford of Meridian

**Philanthropic Business of the Year**

2014: Scentsy, Inc - Scentsy Family Foundation  
2015: Meridian Police Activities League  
2016: Dutch Bros of Meridian

**(Honorable Mention) Special Recognition:**

1998: Artech, Godfather's Pizza, Rockets Intergalactic Diner  
1999: Memorial Monuments, Meridian Ford Sales, Bobby's Transmission Repair,  
St. Luke's Meridian Medical Center, Rock Around the Clock  
2000: Ann Molenaar, Investment Centers of America, Postal Copy Center,  
Something Special Antiques, T-Zers Shirt Shop, Beniton Construction,  
Idaho Independent Bank  
2001: Frank Thomason, David Wynkoop, Cherry Lane Golf Course, Under the Onion Steak & Spirits  
2002: Linda Rupe, Rich Allison, Julie Lemna, Edward Jones Investments--Robert Shappee, Mailboxes Etc.,  
R.T. Nahas Co., Quality Design Systems  
2003: The Flower Place, System Kleen & Restoration, Inc.  
2004: Elite Cleaners, KeyBank, Les Schwab Tire Center

- 2005: Meg Peters, Ed Engel, Blimpie Subs & Salads, Heritage Auto Repair, Farmers & Merchants State Bank, St. Luke's Meridian Medical Center
- 2006: Shaun Wardle, Heritage Auto Repair, Johnson Architects, Les Schwab Tire Center, Napa Auto Parts, Tates Rents-Meridian, Meridian Wal-Mart
- 2007: Me Time Coffeehouse, Shows Etc., Timson Studio of Photography, Idaho Physical Therapy
- 2008: Bruce Altig, Toni Smith, Tierney Consulting Inc, JB's Family Restaurant
- 2009: Bruce Altig, Trudy Dewey, Countryside Mortgage, Port of Subs, Red Robin
- 2010: Jason Geisler, Dr. Scott Gibbons, Butte Fence, Dutch Brothers, Redline Recreational Toys, Courtyard by Marriott, Citicards
- 2011: Anytime Fitness, Butte Fence, Miss Tami's Cottage & Tearoom, DC Engineering
- 2012: Clint Shiftlet, Steve Sedlecek, SolidRockDeals.com, Clear Voice Telecom, Shadow Trackers, Broadview University, Jackson Food Stores
- 2013: Kelly Ryan, James Fullinwider, ClearVoice Telecom, Bank of the Cascades, Commercial Tire, Epic Exchange
- 2014: Brent Haynes, Clint Shiftlet, Adecco, Bank of the Cascades (broadway), ICCU/ Meridian, Tribute Media, Thornton Oliver Keller, Touchmark Meadow Lake Village, Int. Pet (p), Dutch (p), Broadview U (p), FreedomMaid(p)
- 2015: Forward Movement Training Center, Tracy Consulting, A-1 Plumbing & Perfect Air, Harris & Co, Treasure Valley Hearing & Balance, Tribute Media, Fisher's Technology, Kendall Ford, Corey Smith (p), Jacquie Elcox (p), Junior Achievement, Meridian United Sports Academy
- 2016: Clear Voice Telecom, IBL Events, Christian Brothers Automotive, The Village at Meridian, Harris & Co., A1 Plumbing & Perfect Air, SaasFocus/Scalestation, Brett Clancy, Nathan Mueller, James Fullinwider, Anna Marie Aldinger, Pat Morandi, Roaring Springs, Wahooz, Pinz (p).

**Friend of Meridian Business**

- 2004: Christine Donnell, Superintendent, Meridian School District
- 2005: Terry Smith
- 2006: Idaho Commerce & Labor-organization, Frank Thomason-individual
- 2007: Tracy Vance
- 2008: Lila Hill, Meridian City Historian
- 2009: Meridian Development Corporation
- 2010: Joint School District #2
- 2011: Mayor Tammy de Weerd
- 2012: Award No Longer Given Out