



**Alaska Workforce Investment Board
David G. Stone
Employer of the Year Award
Criteria**

PURPOSE

The strength of the Alaska workforce system is dependent on the collaboration that exists between workforce professionals, employers, employees, economic developers, and training and education providers. The David G. Stone Employer of the Year Award recognizes a private sector employer whose efforts and initiatives have had an extraordinary effect on the state of Alaska, other employers, workers, and communities where the employer conducts business.

CRITERIA

Recognition may be based on the employer's efforts in areas, including, but not limited to:

- Training and retaining employees
- Upgrading employer's workforce skills
- Increasing Alaska resident hire
- Job creation or redesign
- Child care solutions
- Job sharing and telecommuting
- Activities with students, schools, colleges, training providers, and workforce education or development programs
- Community involvement or collaboration

NOMINEE ELIGIBILITY

Nominees must be an employer providing jobs to Alaskans. The employer should have demonstrated support for the public workforce system. The employer should not have any significant wage and hour, equal opportunity, unemployment insurance, or other violations identified by the state.