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Re: 2018 Meridian Small Business Award Winners

The Meridian Chamber is pleased to announce the Honorees for our 2018 Small Business Awards. Awards will be presented to one Meridian business person and four Meridian businesses at a luncheon, sponsored by Zions Bank. The SBA Awards Luncheon is slated for Tuesday, May 1st from noon to 1:30 at Wahooz at 1385 Blue Marlin Lane in Meridian. The Luncheon is reservation only with a deadline of April 25th. To attend, please call the Chamber office at 888-2817 or RSVP online at <https://bit.ly/2Hbn6OJ>

Awards will be presented for the following:

Business Person of the Year: Kevin Coon, Glass Doctor

Small Business of the Year

1-10 employees: Cope Collision Center

11-50 employees: Meridian Plumbing

51 + employees: Touchmark at Meadow Lake Village

Philanthropic Business of the Year: Pinz, Roaring Springs and Wahooz Family Fun Zone

Honorees were selected by email ballot to a committee of previous SBA award recipients. Criteria for nomination includes: being a person or business that contributes to the economic health of the community through exceptional business practices and customer service, demonstrates a high level of community involvement through participation in civic, community and Chamber projects and activities; and provides positive encouragement for employees to participate in community activities through company policy and process.

Special Recognition will also be given to the following nominees:

1 -10 Employees: Enhanced Telecommunications & Data

11-50 Employees: MassMutual of Idaho, SERVPRO of Meridian/Boise

51 + Employees: T-O Engineers

Business Person of the Year: Christian Isaacson - SERVPRO, Josh Everts - The Vault, Paul Hales - MassMutual Idaho, Rick Cope - Cope Collision

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