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**Iowa Occupational Safety & Health Advisory Council**

**Gary Hawk Award**

**General Information and Nomination Form**

**Eligibility**

Nominees must have professionally practiced Health and Safety activities for a minimum of five years in the state of Iowa.

Note: Iowa Occupational Health and Safety Advisory Council Board members are not eligible until two years after they have left the Board of Directors, current Board members are not eligible.

**Criteria**

The Board of Directors will utilize the following criteria to evaluate the candidates:

1. Must have demonstrated long term impact to people and/or organizations related to safety and health.
2. Demonstrated ability to teach and coach others in the field of safety and health
3. Letters of recommendations from managers, leaders, co-workers, etc.
4. Documented successful impact to others related to safety and health.
5. Demonstrated leadership in establishing, maintaining, and improving safety and health related programs for an organization.
6. Significant evidence of giving back to community (e.g., dedicated many years of service to community or state committee public service board or advisory committees, volunteer safety professional at Habitat for Humanity).
7. Demonstrated breadth and depth of Safety and Health expertise.
8. Previous or current participant in a professional safety and health organization.

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**Nomination Form**

**Nominator Information**

Name:

Contact information:

**Nomination**

Nominee Name:

Nominee’s Employer:

Nominee’s Position/Title:

Years of Service:

Describe why this nominee deserves this award. Examples and specifics related to the criteria must be included. You are welcome to submit professional documents and/or photos to support your nomination.

List references or contacts that may be useful if the committee needs additional information.