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**The West Metro Chamber of Commerce Announces Finalists for Annual Member Business Awards  
to be Presented at the Bourbon St. Bash on March 4**

JEFFERSON COUNTY, COLORADO – The West Metro Chamber of Commerce is delighted to announce the finalists for their highly anticipated annual business awards celebration, recognizing outstanding achievements and contributions within the local business and nonprofit community. This prestigious event, taking place on **Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 5:00-7:30 PM, at Rockleys' Event Center in Lakewood, Colorado**, promises to be a night of celebration, networking, and acknowledgment of some of our most impactful businesses and organizations. This event has been produced under several names over the years including the Chairman's Gala and most recently, Celebrate Jeffco. The celebration has been rebranded as the Bourbon St. Bash and will evoke the celebratory spirit of Mardi Gras.

Nominations of member businesses and individual representatives were submitted and distilled to the following category finalists:

**Solopreneur of the Year**

- Sara Geist, Growth and Grit Salon
- Susie Inverso, Crimson Cat Studios Pet Photography
- Tara Loveland, Revitalize Athletics, PLLC

**Small Business of the Year**

- Balanced Healthcare
- Christian Brothers Automotive of Ken Caryl
- TeamLogic IT of West Denver



**Medium/Large Business of the Year**

- Colorado Credit Union
- Ent Credit Union
- Mighty Pine Heating & Air

**Underrepresented Group-Owned Business of the Year**

- Epsilon Inc.
- Rocky Mountain Elder Law
- Vrtrum

**Nonprofit Organization of the Year**

- Benefits in Action
- CASA of Jefferson & Gilpin Counties
- Porchlight, A Family Justice Center

**Ambassador of the Year**

- Lisa Faulkner, Mary Kay Consultant
- Rufino Sanchez, Credit Union of Denver
- Anne Schuller, FAB Living Team brokered by eXp Realty

**Chamber Champion**

- Josh Caucutt, Edward Jones
- Ken Cruz, Mile High Creatives & Vrtrum
- Angela Gerber, The Marketing Apothecary

The finalists were selected based on the impressive impact they are making in the Jeffco business landscape, as well as within their own industries. Each nominee has demonstrated a dedication to fostering connection among businesses, advancing the mission of the West Metro Chamber, and contributing to the economic vitality of our greater community.

The Bourbon St. Bash will feature heavy appetizers and Cajun specialties, networking, and the announcement of the winners in each category. Join us for an unforgettable evening of recognition and camaraderie.

To attend the Bourbon St. Bash or for more information, please visit [www.westmetrochamber.org/bourbonstreetbash](http://www.westmetrochamber.org/bourbonstreetbash) or contact Vice President Erin Acheson at [erin@westmetrochamber.org](mailto:erin@westmetrochamber.org) or 303-233-5555.



### **Bourbon St. Bash Event Details**

Date: Tuesday, March 4, 2025

Time: 5:00 – 7:30 PM

Venue: Rockleys' Event Center, 8555 W. Colfax Ave., Lakewood, CO 80215

Tickets: Individual ticket prices begin at \$55. Reserved tables are also available.

### **About the West Metro Chamber**

The West Metro Chamber of Commerce is the regional chamber for Jefferson County dedicated to the success of businesses in Jeffco and the western suburbs of the Denver metro region. We provide members with connection across business and industry, resources for visibility, and opportunities for professional and business development for business owners, employers, and employees. For more information, visit [www.westmetrochamber.org](http://www.westmetrochamber.org).

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