



2020 CHALLENGE AWARD

THERE'S STILL TIME TO APPLY!

WHY APPLY FOR A 2020 GQA CHALLENGE AWARD?

- **Identify key characteristics of your organization (workforce, challenges, advantages)**
- **Create a snapshot of information for stakeholders, new employees, & customers**
- **Recognized at the GQA banquet by the Governor**
- **Process includes: 4-6 hour coaching session to draft the 5-page application**
- **Receive a feedback report for organizational improvement**
- **Develop a foundation for future award levels**

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INTENT TO APPLY

APPLICANT NAME:

CONTACT NAME:

POSITION:

PHONE NUMBER :

EMAIL ADDRESS:

Challenge Award Requirements:

1. COMPLETE A KEY FACTORS WORKSHEET AND A 5-PAGE ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE.
2. RECEIVE A 4 HOUR COACHING SESSION AND A COACH DRAFTS THE ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE.
3. APPLICANT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR FINAL PROOF READ AND VERIFICATION OF FACTS FOR THE ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE.
4. EXPERT EXAMINER PROVIDES A FEEDBACK REPORT TO HELP UNDERSTAND THE LINKAGE BETWEEN THE ORGANIZATIONAL PROFILE AND THE BALDRIGE CRITERIA.
5. APPLICANT IS RECOGNIZED BY THE GOVERNOR AT GQA BANQUET
6. APPLICATION FEE: \$1500
7. PAYMENT PROCESSED BY JULY 15,
8. COACHING WILL BE SCHEDULED
9. WRITTEN APPLICATION BY AUG. 31

APPLICANT AGREEMENT

_____ (Applicant's Name), is applying for a 2020 Governor's Quality Award Challenge Level.

**after submitting the this Intent to Apply, and invoice will be generated.

Date

Signature**electronic permitted

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