**2022 MAA Leading in Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Award**

This award recognizes companies that have contributed significantly in advancing and promoting diversity, equity and inclusion within their organization.

**Award Rules**

* Nominated companies must have an office in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
* The principle member must be a member of MAA in good standing.
* An organization which has won a Company of the Year Award within the past five years is not eligible to enter in the same category.
* Please note, three finalists will be chosen, and the winner will be announced during the award ceremony.

Entries must be submitted on the website by Friday, September 9, 2022 at 11:59 pm. If you have questions, please contact Sharon Cheng, [scheng@gbreb.com](mailto:scheng@gbreb.com).

**Submitter Info**

* First and Last Name
* Organization Name
* Email Address

**Company Info**

* Company
* Company Address
* Company Email
* Company Phone Number
* Company Website
* Company Social Media Handles

**Company Descriptions**

* A description of your company's commitment to DEI by providing the company's DEI statement/policy and how it is implemented in the strategic plan. Please include when the company started the DEI initiatives. Under 100 words.
* Explain the DEI goals in which the company has reached and are in progress for in relation to corporate commitment. You may include examples of leadership commitment and accountability, leadership training, mentoring programs, access to resources, etc. Under 300 words.
* Explain the DEI goals in which the company has reached and are in progress for in relation to workforce diversity. You may include representation across the organization, recruitment and retention for diverse demographics, employee resource groups, and workforce training programs, etc. Under 300 words.
* Explain the DEI goals in which the company has reached and are in progress for in relation to the community. You may include programs within the property communities, vendor/supplier diversity, collaboration with diverse local organizations, etc. Under 300 words.

**Testimonials, Press, and Awards – Optional (Under 300 words)**

* Provide testimonials supporting the work your company has done in regards to DEI for a resident, local organization, partner, vendor, etc. You may upload a PDF or JPG of letter/email/etc. or you may copy it into the comment box.
* OR you may share an award, other honor, or press your company has received in relation to DEI. Please upload a copy of the award or press clipping and briefly describe the award in the comment box.

**Photos**

* Company Logo
* DEI Related Photo

**Marketing Materials**

* Collateral/Marketing Materials