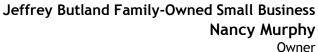


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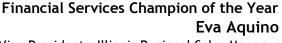
Small Business Person of the Year George Burciaga CEO smarTechs.net



J&J Exhibitors Service, Inc. J&J Motor Service, Inc.



Small Business Journalist of the Year Chanda Green Owner • Editor • Publisher Heartland Women Newspaper



Vice President • Illinois Regional Sales Manager Banco Popular





Minority Small Business Champion of the Year Gloria Castillo President Chicago United, Inc.

Veteran Small Business Champion of the Year Gerald C. Paulsen

President • CEO Paulsen Productions, Inc.





Women in Business Champion of the Year Ina Pinkney
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