



# Reader’s Choice 2023 Special Section

Readers’ Choice is wrapped up for another year, and once again, The Paper’s annual pro-motion to recognize your favorites in a multitude of categories was a huge success. Back when our company was founded, we created this fun and good-natured promotion that features local businesses, people, products and more and gives you, our readers, the opportunity to vote for your favorites. We often joke that this is like Chicago politics and encourage you to vote early and vote often.

You see, this has never been about the rigidity of the process. Instead, it is designed to be an absolutely fun and very positive way for our readers to cast a good light on their favorites. And oh, how you have responded! We annually see ballots that number in the hundreds of thousands.

This is our special section showcasing all of the reuslts for Readers’ Choice 2023. We hope that you find it handy when you are looking for goods and services.

Lastly, we encourage you to pay attention to the many businesses who are saying thank you with their ads. Without those supporters, local news and specifically your daily edition, wouldn’t be here.

Readers' Choice Awards 2023

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The Complete Results For Readers' Choice 2023

<b>Accountant</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>CS Oats</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Rod Curran <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •H&R Block •Ed Hensley •Steve Selby •Mike Gaby •Checks & Balances •Gamble & Richardson •Larry McBride •Jackson-Hewitt •World Finance •Faye Hemphill •Mike Mitchell	<b>Honorable Mentions:</b> Alarmax <b>Animal Shelter</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Animal Welfare</b> <b>Leauge</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Home for Friendless Animals <b>Antique Store</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Cabbages and Kings</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Trader Bucks <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> Ben There	<b>Runner Up:</b> Autumn Woods <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Washington Manor •Laurel Flats •PKRD •Shady Knoll •Waterford •Hillside Terrace •Indian Springs •Country Estates •Campus View <b>Appraiser</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Matt Walters</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Sondi Eden <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Bryan at Gould's •Real Estate Valuations •Max Boots •Larry Walters •Don Dyson •Rob Boots Appraiser	•Don Yount •Brian/Joe at Morris Neal •Downey •Leesa Todd <b>Architect</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Judith Kleine</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Akers & Associates <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Myler •Walker Church Consulting <b>Armed Services</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Space Force</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Army <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •National Guard •U.S. Marine Corps •U.S. Navy	•Air Force <b>Art Gallery</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Athens of IN</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Green Street Gallery <b>Attorney</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Monty Harris</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Kent Minnette <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Tyler Nichols •Justin Froedje •Kurt Holman •Greg Miller •Rob Reimondo •Rex Henthorn •John Capper •Pat Sosbe •Dave Peebles •Stu Weliver •Sara Dicks	•Bill Green •Bryan Donaldson •Dan Taylor •Bill Goebel •Terry Harris •James Holder •James Ayers •Daniel Petrie •Elizabeth Justice <b>Auctioneer</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Route 32</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Highway 36 <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Jeremy Edwards •Kenny Booth •Bill Servies •McIntyre & Wiley •Mike Merritt •Paul Steward •Porter •MSC Auctions
<b>Alarm Company</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Haley's Lock Safe &amp; Key</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> B&R	<b>Apartment Complex</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Cloverdale Heights</b>				
<b>Audiologist</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Beltone</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> C'ville Audiology <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> Hearing Care Professionals	<b>Chevrolet</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Etter Ford <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> York Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram	<b>NAPA</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Autozone <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •O'Reilly Auto Parts •Advance	•Blankenship •Harwood's •Mike's Tire •Nathan's Repair •Stevenson's •Tarter's	<b>Band (Local Rock)</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Tuf Luk</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Fonda <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Eric Barr •Gertie's Ride •Stompin' Ground •Beautiful Calamity •Coffinsville •Desperate Measures •Street Legal •Sweet Nothings •Vinyl Junkies	<b>Band (Local Gospel)</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Overtones</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Rock Point Band <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Luke Menard •Beautiful Calamity •Woodsmen Gospel Trio •Deliverance •Glorious Rebellion •Woodland Heights
<b>Auto Body Shop</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Gould's</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Jeff Neal <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Stull's •Miller's Body Shop •Morris Neal •Harwood •Sheets	<b>Auto Dealer Used</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Etter Ford</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> York Chrysler Dodge Jeep Ram <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Brown •Lashley's •Garcia's •Christi Hubler Chevrolet •J&J Auto •Rhodes Autos	<b>Auto Repair Shop</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Pomp's Tires</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Jared Brock <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Froedje •JTR •Etter Ford •Surb's •Walt's •Wilson's •York Dodge Jeep Ram •Miethe's Auto Care •Miller's Used Tire •Morris Neal •Muffs and Tails •ATS	<b>Bakery</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Jack's Donuts</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Maxine's on Green <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Warehouse Bakery •Kroger •Wal-mart		<b>Bank</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>HHSB</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Tri-County Bank and Trust <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Fountain Trust •Chase •First Merchants •PNC •First Financial
<b>Auto Dealer New</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Christi Hubler</b>	<b>Auto Parts Store</b> <b>WINNER:</b>		<b>Band (Local Country)</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>Darlington Road</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Desperate Measures <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> Honky Tonk Attitude	<b>Band (Local Jazz)</b> <b>WINNER:</b> <b>North Montgomery Jazz Band</b> <b>Runner Up:</b> Wabash College <b>Honorable Mentions:</b> Remote View	

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- Chinese/Japanese Restaurant

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**Runner Up:**  
China Buffet

**Honorable Mentions:**  
•China Inn  
•Yamato's

Chiropractor

**WINNER:**  
Chiro Med

**Runner Up:**  
Northridge Chiropractic

**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Russell Chiropractic  
•Montgomery County Chiropractic  
•Advanced Chiropractic

Church

**WINNER:**  
First United Methodist

**Runner Up:**  
St. Bernard's

**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Rock Point (Pleasant View)  
•Woodland Heights

•Whitesville Christian

•Darlington Congregational

•Mace Methodist

•New Hope

•1st Christian Church

•Waynetown Christian

•Grace and Mercy Ministries

•Brown Valley

•Christ United Methodist

•Bethel Church/Shannondale

•Ladoga Baptist

•Ladoga Christian Church

•Linden United Methodist

•Alamo Christian Church

•Wabash Ave. Presbyterian

•First Baptist

•First Church of Nazarene

Clothing Store

**WINNER:**  
Maurice's

**Runner Up:**  
Denhart's Mercantile

**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Cato  
•Goodwill  
•Walmart  
•Heathcliff  
•Dunham's Sports  
•Eliza's

Club/Organization

**WINNER:**  
Kiwanis

**Runner Up:**  
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**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Boys & Girls Club  
•Eagles  
•American Legion  
•C'ville Firefighters Local 4143  
•Boy Scouts  
•Darlington Conservation Club  
•Moose Lodge  
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- Coffee Shop

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Good to Go Espresso

Runner Up:

Starbucks

Honorable Mentions:

•Joshua Cup

•Jack's Donuts

•1832 Brew

Computer Repair

WINNER:

Phantom Point

Runner Up:

Edge Information Technologies

Honorable Mentions:

Livesay PC & Software

Innovations

Consignment Store

WINNER:

Goodwill
- Runner Up:

Simpler Times

Honorable Mentions:

•Trader Bucks

•Just Because

•Eliza's

•Wesley Thrift Shop

•Marianne's

Contractor

WINNER:

Biddle

Runner Up:

Inside and Out-Ryan Orr

Honorable Mentions:

•Hoss Construction

•Woodkey

•Akers Construction

•Hard Hats & Hammers Construction LLC

•DC Construction

•Donovan

•Isenberg

•Ratcliff
- Humphrey's Contruction

•Anglin

Counseling Service

WINNER:

Rockpoint Grief Share

Runner Up:

•Center for Women's Ministries

•YSB

Honorable Mentions:

•Pleasant View Counseling

•Karen Cover

•Mike Uhl

•Child and Family

•Jennie Slavens

•Rainbow Recovery

•Valley Oaks

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WINNER:

TCU
- Runner Up:

IFCU

D.J.

WINNER:

Sizzlin' Sounds

Runner Up:

Aaron Melvin / DTP Entertainment

Honorable Mentions:

•Chris Heinz

•Andrew Vaughn

•DJ Chris Smith

•DJ Hollawood

Dance Studio

WINNER:

Dance by Deborah

Runner Up:

Crawfordsville Dance Academy

Honorable Mentions:

Center Pointe

Day Care Center
- WINNER:

Discovery

Runner Up:

New Beginnings

Honorable Mentions:

•Rainbows and Rhymes

•Tabitha (France)

•Jennifer Pruitt

•Little Creations

•Miss Colleen

•Samantha Frederick

•Giggles n Grins

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•Aspen Dental
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AB Driving School

Runner Up:

Straight Paths Driving School

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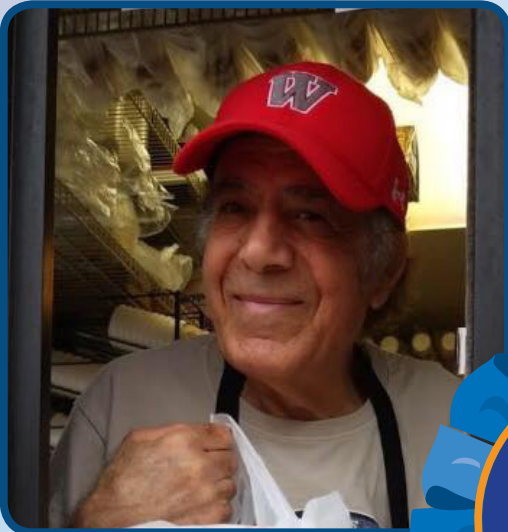
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Mount <b>Runner Up:</b> Applebee's</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b></p>	<p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Douglas •Needham's Excavating •Arthur •Price •Slavens •Conner •Hamilton •TNT</p> <p><b>Factory</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Nucor <b>Runner Up:</b> Pace Dairy</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Random House •Acuity •Lakeside Book •Midwest Bale Ties •Crawford Industries</p> <p>•Little Mexico •Cracker Barrel •Creekside Lodge •Barefoot Burger •The Breakfast Co. •China Inn •Culver's •Harry's Hideout •Alice's Restaurant •Aki Les Voy Takeria •Rancho Bravo •A Second City Café •Arni's •Wally's •Pizza Hut •El Charro •Mi Corcel •Maxine's</p> <p>•New Ross Steak House</p> <p><b>Doughnut</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Jack's Donut <b>Runner Up:</b> Warehouse Bakery</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Casey's •Kroger</p> <p><b>Fast Food Restaurant</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Culver's <b>Runner Up:</b> Wendy's</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b></p>	<p>•CSI •International Paper</p> <p><b>Farm Equipment Dealer</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Bane-Walker Equipment <b>Runner Up:</b> Booth's</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> AHW</p> <p><b>Financial Planner/Planning Company</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Mike Gaby <b>Runner Up:</b> Edward Jones - Tyler Baer</p> <p>•Steak n Shake •Beijing •Buffalo Wild Wings •Subway (Darlington Ave.) •McDonald's (North) •Dairy Queen •Long John Silvers •Burger King •Arby's •Subway (South)</p> <p><b>French Fries</b> <b>WINNER:</b> McDonald's <b>Runner Up:</b> Culver's</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Barefoot Burger •Steak n Shake •Arby's •Alice's Restaurant •Creekside •Harry's Hideout</p> <p><b>Ice Cream Place</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Big Dipper <b>Runner Up:</b> Darilicious</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Culver's •Lindy Freeze •Dairy Queen •Emporium 109</p> <p><b>Italian Restau-</b></p>	<p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •CS Oats •Edward Jones - South •Joseph Marion - Joe Sadowski •Edward Jones - Brad Gonzo •Mariner Finance</p> <p><b>Fire Department</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Coal Creek <b>Runner Up:</b> Crawfordville</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Walnut Twp •Waveland •Ladoga •Waynetown</p> <p><b>rant</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Greek's <b>Runner Up:</b> Brother's Pizza</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Valentino's •Brother's Pizza •Mama Fazio's •Italian Pie &amp; Bakery</p> <p><b>Mexican Restaurant</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Rancho Bravo <b>Runner Up:</b> Little Mexico</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Mi Corcel •El Charro •Aki Les Voy Takeria</p> <p><b>Milk Shake</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Darilicious <b>Runner Up:</b> Big Dipper</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Culver's •Steak 'n' Shake •Dairy Queen •Lindy Freeze •Emporium 109</p> <p><b>Onion Ring</b></p>	<p>•Madison Twp.</p> <p><b>Floor Covering Store</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Zahn's <b>Runner Up:</b> Home Depot</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Town &amp; Country Homecenter •Flooring Gallery Plus</p> <p><b>Flower Shop</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Milligan's <b>Runner Up:</b> Country Hearts</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> Just Because</p> <p><b>WINNER:</b> Sunoco Midwest Clean Fuel <b>Runner Up:</b> Culver's</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Applebee's •Buffalo Wild Wings •Arby's •New Ross Steak House •Dairy Queen •Burger King •Creekside •Steak n Shake</p> <p><b>Omelet</b> <b>WINNER:</b> The Breakfast Co. <b>Runner Up:</b> The Forum</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Cracker Barrel •Neighborhood Café</p> <p><b>Sweets</b> <b>WINNER:</b> Jack's Donuts <b>Runner Up:</b> Miss Sugar Ray Chocolatier</p> <p><b>Honorable Mentions:</b> •Dairy Queen •Culver's •Steak n Shake •Neighborhood Café</p>
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Sanders Funeral Care  
**Runner Up:**  
Family & Friends  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Burkhart  
•Porter  
•Hunt & Son  
•Machledt  
•Services-Morgan

**Hair Salon**  
**WINNER:**  
Savvy Chic  
**Runner Up:**  
Nogginz  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Hair Cellar  
•Beauty Bar on The Boulevard  
•Blondie's  
•Essentials  
•Hairport  
•KM Studio  
•Hair Heaven  
•B. Ryker  
•Hairloom  
•Redheads  
•Stop One  
•A Head of Hair

**Gas Station**  
**WINNER:**  
Sunoco Midwest Clean Fuel  
**Runner Up:**  
F&F Mart  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Kroger  
•New Ross Mini Mart

**Hardware Store**  
**WINNER:**  
Ladoga Hardware  
**Runner Up:**  
Home Depot  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Ace Hardware  
•Town & Country  
•Palmers  
•Waynetown Hardware

**Gift Shop**  
**WINNER:**  
Simpler Times  
**Runner Up:**  
In his Time  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Reclaimed by Grace  
•Milligan's  
•Cracker Barrel  
•Denharts Mercantile  
•Just Because  
•Harvest Inn  
•Heathcliff

**Heating/Cooling Company**  
**WINNER:**  
Riggins  
**Runner Up:**  
Cook  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Cox & Pritchett  
•Edward's Heating & Cooling  
•Hay-Bush Mechanical  
•Myers  
•Summers  
•Knuth Heating and Cooling  
•Bryant

**Gas / Propane Company**  
**WINNER:**  
Overpeck  
**Runner Up:**  
Ceres Solutions  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Amerigas  
•Vectren

**Health Food Store**  
**WINNER:**  
Sunflower  
**Runner Up:**  
Elderberry Everything  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Healthie's  
•Lighthouse Natural Living  
•One Step Closer

**Big Lots**  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Town & Country  
•American Rental  
•Stevenson's Mattress  
•Rent-a-Center  
•Cabbage's and Kings

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•SmartStyle  
•Merle Norman  
•Michelle Perry Studio  
•Beauty Vault

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•Bal Hinch  
•Circle K  
•County Market  
•Marathon  
•Walmart  
•Sunoco (Linden)

**Planet Fitness**  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Crossfit 54  
•Park & Rec  
•Elavus CrossFit  
•Anytime Fitness  
•Park & Rec

**Skelgas**  
•Newtown Farm Service

**Rotary Jail**  
**Runner Up:**  
Lew Wallace Study  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Lane Place  
•Elston Homestead

**WINNER:**  
Crawfordsville Municipal  
**Runner Up:**  
Crawfordsville Country Club  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Rocky Ridge (Darlington)  
•Turkey Run

**Grain Elevator**  
**WINNER:**  
Waynetown Ag Center  
**Runner Up:**  
New Ross Grain  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Chism  
•Gary Nesbitt  
•Livesay Construction  
•TK Homes  
•Gary Estep  
•King Builders

**Newtown Farm Service**  
•Cargill  
•Peavy Co  
•Westland Co Op  
•ADM Grain

**C'ville Docs**  
**Runner Up:**  
Franciscan Health Crawfordsville  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•St. Vincent  
•IU/Arnett Health

**Grocery Store**  
**WINNER:**  
Kroger  
**Runner Up:**  
Four Seasons  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Wal Mart  
•F&F Mart  
•Wal Mart  
•Ladoga Grocery  
•Save A Lot  
•Bal Hinch

**Home Builder**  
**WINNER:**  
Jim Biddle  
**Runner Up:**  
Ratcliff Homes  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Hampton Inn & Suites  
•Holiday Inn Express  
•Crawfordsville Motel  
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Readers' Choice

## Insurance Agency/Agent

**WINNER:**

Clore Insurance  
**Runner Up:**  
Farm Bureau/Teresa Hatke

**Honorable Mentions:**

- Darrin Bechtel
- JM Thompson
- RT Insurance
- Farmers / Nick Grimes
- AllState
- Austin Earl
- State Farm / Chad Budreau
- State Farm / Chris Bouwkamp
- State Farm / Jason Wagner
- Farmers Insurance / Ryan Love
- Hannum
- American Family -

## Mini-Storage

**WINNER:**

U-Rent-It Center  
**Runner Up:**  
Storage of America

**Honorable Mentions:**

- Pac Away
- Wilson's
- U-Haul
- Storage Express
- Alcatraz

## Mom and Pop Store

**WINNER:**

Simpler Times

## Plant Nursery

**WINNER:**

Progreen Garden Center  
**Runner Up:**  
Ryan's

**Honorable Mentions:**

- Evergreen
- Country Corner Greenhouse
- Davidson's Greenhouse

## Nursing Home

**WINNER:**

Wellbrooke  
**Runner Up:**  
Whitlock

**Honorable Mentions:**

- Bickford Cottage
- Lane House
- Ben Hur
- Hickory Creek
- Williamsburg

## Office Supply Store

**WINNER:**

Wal-Mart  
**Runner Up:**

Patrick Bissell  
•Tarter Insurance Agency  
•Michelle Hunley

## Interior Design

**WINNER:**

Lora Craft-Whites  
**Internet Service Provider**

**WINNER:**

AT&T  
**Runner Up:**  
Comcast

**Honorable Mentions:**

- TDS
- Metronet

## Investment Broker

**WINNER:**

Edward Jones - South  
**Runner Up:**

**Runner Up:**

Reclaimed by Grace

**Honorable Mentions:**

- In His Time
- Just Because
- Denhart's Seed & Mercantile
- Gregg's
- Sunoco Midwest Clean Fuel
- Emporium 109
- Topline
- Wilson's Towing
- Gregg's
- Harvest Inn
- Coons Trim Company

## Monument

Dollar Tree

**Honorable Mentions:**

- C.P. Products, Inc.
- Hoosier Ink & Toner

## Oil & Lube Company

**WINNER:**

Zippy Lube  
**Runner Up:**  
Surb's

**Honorable Mentions:**

Jiffy Lube

## Optometrist

**WINNER:**

Sugar Creek Eye Center  
**Runner Up:**  
Dr. Boyd

**Honorable Mentions:**

Dr. Ledgerwood

## Orthodontist

**WINNER:**

Dr. Aaron Altschul  
**Runner Up:**  
All Smiles

**Paint Store**

•Edward Jones (Tyler Baer)  
•Joe Sadowski

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Edward Jones (Brad Gonso)  
•Terry Daniels  
**Jewelry Store**

**WINNER:**

Moore's Jewelry & Repair  
**Runner Up:**  
Creek Jewelers

## Karate Studio

**WINNER:**

Top Level Martial Arts

## Landscape/Lawn Care Provider

**WINNER:**

Crawfordsville Outdoor

**Company**

**WINNER:**

Allen's Monuments  
**Runner Up:**  
Clements

**Honorable Mentions:**

C-Ville Monuments

## Moving Company

**WINNER:**

U-Haul  
**Runner Up:**  
Superior Moving Red Ball

**Museum**

**WINNER:**

Home Depot  
**Runner Up:**  
Sherwin Williams

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Morgan's Glass & Paint

•Ace Hardware

•Town & Country

## Painting Service

**WINNER:**

Buzz Kidd  
**Runner Up:**  
Edward's Painting (Mike Edwards)

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Home Depot

•High Rollers

•Scaggs/Largent Screen Printing

•Addler

## Pest Exterminator

**WINNER:**

Arab  
**Runner Up:**  
Orkin

## Runner Up

Cowboy Mowing

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Hutson

•Light's Lawn Care

•McKlaskey Lawn Care

•Pro Green

•Davidson's

•Rhett Weliver

•Turner Landscaping

•VitaGreen

•A1 Lawn Service

•Dave Janssen

## Laundromat

**WINNER:**

Wash-N-Go  
**Runner Up:**  
Citgo

## Library

**WINNER:**

Darlington  
**Runner Up:**  
Crawfordsville

**WINNER:**

Lew Wallace Study  
**Runner Up:**  
Old Jail

**Honorable Mentions:**

## Music Store

**WINNER:**

Music on Grant  
**Runner Up:**  
Wabash Revisited

## Nail Salon

**WINNER:**

Nikki's Nailz  
**Runner Up:**

**Honorable Mentions:**

Brian Ledbetter

## Pet Groomer

**WINNER:**

Puppy Cuts  
**Runner Up:**  
Brenda's Grooming

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Jamie Halsey

•Doggie Boutique

•Jeanie Daye

•C'ville Vet Clinic

## Pet Kennel

**WINNER:**

R&R Pet Boarding  
**Runner Up:**  
Rin Tin Inn

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Pet Resort

•Cat's Nap

## Pharmacy

**WINNER:**

Walgreen's  
**Runner Up:**  
CVS

**Honorable Mentions:**

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Linden

•Waveland

•Ladoga

## Liquor Store

**WINNER:**

Ken's  
**Runner Up:**  
Malt Shoppe

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Kort & Keg Lodge

•American Legion

•Eagles

•Moose

•VFW

## Live Music Venue

**WINNER:**

Sugar Creek Music Hall  
**Massage Therapist**

**WINNER:**

Best Nails  
**Honorable Mentions:**

•Savvy Chic

•Hair Express

•Nails By Jen

•VIP Nails

•Tips & Toes

•Tipnotik

•Lavender & Hops

•Merle Norman

•Blondies

## Newspaper

**WINNER:**

The Paper  
**Runner Up:**  
Journal Review

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Kroger

•Wal-Mart

## Photographer

**WINNER:**

Abbey Elaine Photography  
**Runner Up:**  
Natalie Gomez

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Victoria Hunt Photography

•Memories by Madison

•Amanda Bannon

•Amethyst Crosby

•Joe Boswell

•Julie Abston

## Physician

**WINNER:**

Barry Mathison, MD  
**Runner Up:**  
John Roberts, MD

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Scott Douglas, MD

•Joshua Krumenacker, MD

•Kyle Graper, MD

•Katie L. Towles, MD, OB/GYN

## Healing Arts Center

**Runner Up:**

Kasey Hoffman / Advanced Chiropractic

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Kelly McKinney

•Heather Allen

•Candi Bell

•Nancy Morrison

•Massage by Becca

•Carolyn's Spa

•Angelina Ball

## Meat Market

**WINNER:**

Four Seasons Market  
**Runner Up:**  
Moody Meats

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Miller Quality Meats

•This Old Farm

•Back 40 Amish

•Ladoga Frozen Foods

## Newspaper Columnist

**WINNER:**

Butch Dale  
**Runner Up:**  
Tim Timmons

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Karen Zach

•John Marlowe

•Dick Wolfie

•Purdue Extension

•League of Women Voters

•Carrie Classon

•Dr. John Roberts

•Brian Howey

## Nurse Practitioner

**WINNER:**

Aimee Barnett, NP-C  
**Runner Up:**  
Corinna Cain, ANP-BC

**Honorable Mentions:**

•Jamie Barton, ANP-BC

•Stephanie Ross, FNP-C

•Jennifer Mertil, FNP-C, MSN

•Jill Reisman, PA - C, MS

•Penny Hunsberger, MS, RN, AGNP

## Podiatrist

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Dr. Chae  
**Runner Up:**  
Dr. Hiskes

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**WINNER:**  
Arni's  
**Runner Up:**  
Brother's Pizza  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Pizza Hut  
•Ladoga Pizza King  
•Waynetown Pizza King,  
•Papa John's  
•Domino's  
•Casey's  
•Pizza King

**Plumber**  
**WINNER:**  
French's Plumbing  
**Runner Up:**  
Edwards Plumbing  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Harold Mennen  
•Cox & Pritchett (Mike Pritchett)  
•Plumb Krazy, LLC  
•D&R  
•H&M Plumbing  
•Elder Plumbing

**Police Department**  
**WINNER:**  
Montgomery County Sheriff's  
**Runner Up:**  
Crawfordsville  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Waynetown  
•Darlington  
•Waveland  
•Ladoga

**Post Office**  
**WINNER:**  
Crawfordsville
- Runner Up:**  
Waynetown  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•New Ross  
•Waveland  
•Ladoga  
•Linden  
•New Richmond

**Preschool**  
**WINNER:**  
Little Mountie Preschool  
**Runner Up:**  
Discovery  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Creation Station  
•New Beginnings  
•Wilson Developmental  
•Hand in Hand  
•Little Creations  
•Rainbows and Rhymes  
•Montessori

**Print Shop**  
**WINNER:**  
Town & Country  
**Runner Up:**  
N' Print  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Scaggs/Largent Screen Printing  
•Phantom Neon  
•Coons Trim

**Radio Station**  
**WINNER:**  
WCDQ 106.3  
**Runner Up:**  
WIMC 103.9  
•WCVL  
Real Estate Agency/Agent  
**WINNER:**  
Cali Bridges  
**Runner Up:**  
Clark Dale
- Honorable Mentions:**  
•Steve Zachary  
•Carpenter Realty  
•Greg Morrison  
•Sarah Broadwater  
•Halderman Real Estate  
•FC Tucker  
•Chad Hess  
•Julie Hess  
•American Dream  
•Leslie Pyle  
•Hive Realty  
•Kasey Ferguson

**Rent-To-Own**  
**WINNER:**  
American Rental  
**Runner Up:**  
Town & Country  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Rent A Center  
•Aaron's Rent To Own

**Septic & Sewer Services**  
**WINNER:**  
Dutcher Trenching  
**Runner Up:**  
Scott Septic & Portables  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Roto Rooter

**Welding-Fabricator**  
**WINNER:**  
New Market Welding  
**Runner Up:**  
B&L Engineering  
**Honorable Mentions:**  
•Jarrod Zachary Welding  
•C&F Fabricating  
•Sugar Creek Fabricators  
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