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INFORMATION:

2012 Charlotte-Mecklenburg Crowns of Enterprise Awards
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In celebration of Small Business Month, the City of Charlotte and Mecklenburg County are now accepting nominations for the inaugural 2012 Charlotte-Mecklenburg Crowns of Enterprise Awards. The Crowns of Enterprise Awards were developed to recognize and honor small businesses that have demonstrated exemplary leadership and sound business strategies. This is the first time the City and the County have collaborated to acknowledge their Small Business Enterprise (SBE), Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women Business Enterprise (WBE) firms.

Staff is requesting that Council encourage eligible S/M/WBE firms to submit an award nomination form by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 23, 2012. The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Crowns of Enterprise Awards eligibility requirements and nomination form can be downloaded at www.CharMeck.org.

The award winners will be announced at the Crowns of Enterprise Awards Networking Reception from 5 – 8 p.m. on Thursday, May 24, 2012. The Mayor, City Council members and County Commissioners are welcomed and encouraged to attend. Invitations will be mailed at a later date.

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