

## INDUSTRY PARTNER OWNER NOMINATION PROGRAM

**Informed and educated owners are key to the growth and advancement of the design-build project delivery method. Experience shows that the more owners know about design-build the more likely they are to take advantage of its benefits by issuing design-build RFPs. In an effort to expand the pool of educated owners, DBIA offers each industry partner member, benefit recipient or additional contact the opportunity to nominate one public or private owners for individual level membership.**

The following rules apply to this program:

- Individual owner membership is associated with the DBIA region; however regions rely on IP members to nominate individual owners for these memberships.
- Communication with the Industry Partner member regarding owner nomination opportunities will be issued by and through appropriate region leadership and staff.
- DBIA National must receive a completed individual membership application from the region with the following notations:
  - Payment section includes “Industry Partner Owner Nomination”
  - Name of Industry Partner member firm, benefit recipient or additional contact making the nomination
- DBIA National will process the individual owner member in the same manner as all other new members, with the exception that their annual renewal notice will be sent with an amount due of \$0.
- The membership will renew automatically on an annual basis at no cost to the individual owner for the length of their employment by the owner organization.
- Individual members leaving an owner organization may transfer their membership to another employee at the owner organization.
- This membership is not transferable to another organization.
- Individual owners upgrading to the owner industry partner membership category will be treated as new industry partners and invoiced accordingly.
- All industry partners are strongly encouraged to participate in this program by nominating an owner for DBIA membership.