



**SOUTHEAST  
ENERGY  
SUMMIT**

**THE VANGUARD AWARD FOR  
INNOVATION IN EFFICIENT ENERGY**

## **ABOUT YOU**

*Tell us about yourself - the nominating party*

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## **ABOUT THE NOMINEE**

*Tell us about the nominee*

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

# ***THE VANGUARD AWARD FOR INNOVATION IN EFFICIENT ENERGY (ORGANIZATION OR PROGRAM)***

*How is the nominee qualified for this award?*

## **Award Qualifications**

At its best, efficient energy is a holistic approach to the generation, distribution and utilization of energy that maximizes social benefit and promotes prosperity. Efficient energy includes programs to optimize energy use in residential and commercial buildings, zero- and low-emission transportation and advanced technology. Innovation in efficient energy is characterized by a new method, technology or idea that has resulted in a net-new advancement in efficient energy. This award recognizes an outstanding organization or program that has championed an innovative approach to efficient energy in the Southeast.

1. The nominee must operate within SEEA's 11-state region (Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia). Please provide an address or service area that meets this qualification.
2. How does the nominee actively work towards optimizing the use and efficient energy to enhance the quality of life in the Southeast? (100 - 250 words)
3. How does the nominated organization or program meet the qualifications of the Vanguard Award for Innovation in Efficient Energy? Please provide specific examples. (250 - 500 words)
4. How has the nominated organization or program led to new or better results and/or efficiency advancements in the Southeast? (250 - 500 words)
5. How is the nominated organization or program scaling or replicating success in the Southeast? (250 - 500 words)

6. How does the nominated organization or program inspire you? (100 - 250 words)