

Gainesville, FL. – Perry Roofing was chosen from an elite group of 34 local businesses to receive the Commitment to the Environment Business of the Year Award on Wednesday, October 14 by the Gainesville Chamber of Commerce.

“Perry Roofing is a phenomenal example of a business empowering its employees to take ownership and make a lasting impact on our environment,” Gainesville Chamber of Commerce president Brent Christensen said.

Winners were chosen by an anonymous panel of judges who selected the winners based on a point system. Perry Roofing’s environmental policy received the most points in the category and was announced the winner of the Commitment to the Environment award sponsored by GRU at the Business of the Year Luncheon on October 14.

“This is the third award our company has taken home from the chamber in the past ten years, and we are extremely proud,” Perry Roofing President Keith Perry said. “This award is not for me, but for our entire team. We rise and fall together and when one of us succeeds—we all do.”

According to Perry, the 33-year-old company has an extensive environmental policy that highlights the organizations overall commitment to the environment. Not only does the roofing contractor install and market environmental roofing products, but the daily operations of all departments have recycling and economically friendly programs in place which include hybrid vehicles, recycled print materials, motion sensory lighting and re-use of salvaged materials.

Looking forward, Perry Roofing has detailed plans to grow its environmental impact and cool roofing division by truly committing to their tagline: “Protecting More Than Buildings.”