

YOUNG TOWNSHIPS LEADER AWARD Nomination Form

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The Young Townships Leader Award (YTLA) encourages younger citizens who are actively involved in their communities by celebrating their achievements, contributions, and efforts. Established in 2006, the YTLA is presented annually to at least one Townshipper aged 15 to 35 who has shown leadership within the English-speaking community in the Eastern Townships through their actions at school, work, or in the wider community within the previous two years (24 months prior to April 30, 2020).

Help Townshippers' Association encourage the younger members of our community to reach their full potential and become engaged in the community at large – culturally, socially and economically – by nominating them for the YTLA! Thanks to our partners, YTLA recipients will be receive a \$1,000 cash prize!

Nominations for this annual award are accepted all year long and the 16th Young Townships Leaders Award will be presented at Townshippers' Association's annual general meeting in June 2020. Nominations received after April 30 will be considered for the 2021 awards.

To nominate someone for an award, send this completed form and required documents, to:

Young Townships Leader Award

c/o Townshippers' Association 3355 College Street Sherbrooke, QC J1M 0B8

Before submitting your nomination please be sure it contains the following **four elements**:

- (1) Your name and contact information;
- (2) An endorsement letter from someone supporting your nomination, along with that person's name and contact information;
- (3) The nominee's name and contact information;
- (4) An explanation of the nominee's accomplishments and/or contributions to the English-speaking community in the Eastern Townships in the last two years (24 months prior to April 30, 2020).

Questions or problems submitting your nomination?

Contact Cathy Turner at 819-566-5717 (1-877-566-5717), ct@townshippers.org.

Once you submit a nomination, all names and other identifying information are removed from the documents by the Office Manager so that the selection committee* can review nomination packages based solely on their contents.Nominations and selection information are confidential. Nominees will only be contacted if they are selected to receive an award.

*Townshippers' Association President, Executive Director and Office Manager are not eligible to sit on the selection committee.

AWARD PARTNERS

The cash prize is made possible each year through the generous support of partners, which in 2019-2020 included: Canada, Quebec, Cass Funeral Homes, Global Excel Management, NAV Canada, Champlain Regional College, and Stanstead College.

Employees and Directors of Townshippers' Association cannot be nominated for this award.

Before we get started, please ensure that your nomination meets the below criteria:

The person you are nominating is between the ages of 15 and 35.

They have carried out actions or initiatives demonstrating leadership.

These initiatives have been carried out over the past two years in the Eastern Townships.

Continue if all the above boxes are checked.

Please note: Incomplete applications will not be considered. Please type or **print clearly**.

Nominee's Information				
Nominee is:	an individual	a couple		a group
Are they aware of the nomination?		Yes	No	
NAME(S):				
ADDRESS:				
CITY/TOWN:				POSTAL CODE:
DAYTIME TELEPHONE:		E-MAIL:		
Nominator's Information FULL NAME/ORGANIZATION:				
CITY/TOWN:				
DAYTIME TELEPHONE:		E-MAIL:		
How long have you kno	wn the nominee?			
Are you related to the r	nominee?	Yes	No	
Endorsement FULL NAME/ORGANIZA	TION:			
CITY/TOWN:				
DAYTIME TELEPHONE:		E-MAIL:		
How long have you kno	wn the nominee?			
Are you related to the nominee?		Yes	No	

A letter of support is required from the organization or individual endorsing this nomination. The letter cannot be written by the nominator. It should focus on what the nominee has done and their impact on the community.

Description of the Candidate's Contributions

Tell us why you believe this nomination deserves this award. For each nomination, please include a minimum of TWO documents that prove why the nominee deserves this award. These documents may include a list of the initiatives and/or activities they have carried out, a letter explaining how they meet the selection criteria for the award, a scrapbook, clippings of other coverage (newspapers, newsletters) short video or other piece of creative work that helps show why they are deserving.

Thank you & good luck!

Privacy Policy: Townshippers' Association respects your privacy. We protect your personal information and adhere to all legislative requirements with respect to protecting privacy. The information you provide will not be used for any other purpose.