

## Criteria Form

**Purpose** Established (2001) to acknowledge the important role the private sector plays in providing public works facilities and services. This award recognizes outstanding individual achievement through chapter activity and outstanding corporate achievement in support of the association's strategic plan, goals, and objectives.

**Eligibility** Any member of OPWA that has provided exceptional service to a municipality during a project or a time of need, such as an emergency event.

**Nomination Process** The Awards Committee will seek input from the Board based on their discussions with other committees. Self-nominations are not accepted.

For any issues with submission, please contact [chapteradmin@ontario.apwa.org](mailto:chapteradmin@ontario.apwa.org)

**Selection** The award winner will be someone who is actively involved with OPWA and is contributing to OPWA achieving their organizational goals. They are someone who volunteers their time and company resources (staff time, printing of materials, boardrooms, hosting/organizing events) and/or have provided exemplary service to a municipality during a time of need (severe weather event, assisted with a lack of resources etc).

Members are encouraged to nominate individuals for this award. The submissions will be reviewed by the awards committee. The winner of this award will be chosen by the awards committee with input from the OPWA Board of directions based on discussion with all committees.

**Deadline** **March 6, 2026 to be eligible. No exceptions.**

**Presentation** The winner of this award will be honoured at the annual OPWA Awards Luncheon, taking place on Wednesday May 13, 2026. The event will be held at the Mississauga Grand Banquet & Event Centre.

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