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For Immediate Release

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To: Representatives of the Media

From: Lynn Fawn, Acting Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk

Subject: 2018 Peterborough County Recognition Award Winners Announced

May 16, 2018 - Peterborough County Council announced the 2018 Recognition Award Recipients at its May 16th, 2018 Regular Council Meeting.

Warden Joe Taylor stated: "We are extremely proud of our County residents and their accomplishments. County Council will recognize our award recipients at the 2018 Recognition Awards Ceremony to be held on Friday, May 25th, 2018 at the Otonabee-South Monaghan Memorial Community Centre in the Village of Keene, at 7:00 p.m.

Accessibility Recognition (One County-wide Award) - A group, individual or business who has contributed to accessibility improvements within the County of Peterborough.

Asphodel-Norwood

Norwood Agricultural Society

Acts of Heroism (Unlimited awards) - Individuals will have had to display bravery in the face of personal risk, injury or death, at an incident that took place either in the County of Peterborough or was to the benefit of a County of Peterborough resident and which action did not occur while the individual was acting in his/her professional capacity while on duty.

Cavan Monaghan

Julie Buchan (City of Kawartha Lakes), Mike Mills (City of Peterborough) and Lou Trozzolo (Township of Cavan Monaghan)

Douro-Dummer

Christopher Hay (Campbellford), Jeffrey Stewart (Township of Douro-Dummer) and Francis Underwood (Township of North Kawartha)

Trent Lakes

Keelee Peacock

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Agricultural Leadership (One award per municipality) - Any individual or farm enterprise is eligible to be nominated in this category. Factors that will be used to assess the nomination will include such items as innovations, agricultural promotion and the recognition brought to the County through its operation. It may include involvement in agricultural organizations. Leadership in the agricultural community will also be considered.

Asphodel-Norwood

Tim and Annette Klompmaker & Family

Cavan Monaghan

Millbrook Orchards – Mike Arndt

Douro-Dummer

Larry Jinkerson

Otonabee-South Monaghan

Keenedale Lodge Farms Inc. – Bryon and Jim Nelson

Selwyn

Molly's Acres – Joyce Arscott

Business Leadership/Entrepreneurial Innovation (One award per municipality) -

This award will consider new and successful initiatives of both new and established businesses that have made outstanding contributions to the County of Peterborough. Businesses or individuals who have demonstrated excellence in the promotion of tourism within the County of Peterborough are also eligible under this category.

Cavan Monaghan

Nexicom – John and Paul Downs

Douro-Dummer

MJ's Off the Hook Designs – Michelle Moore

Havelock-Belmont-Methuen

Belmont Lake Brewery – Julie and Norrie Bearcroft

North Kawartha

Waddell Custom Homes – Andrew Waddell

Otonabee-South Monaghan

Taylors Recycled Plastic Products Inc.

Selwyn

Style Boutique – Diana Carter

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Community Volunteer of the Year (One award per municipality) - To recognize groups or individuals within the County of Peterborough who have demonstrated community involvement or volunteerism.

Asphodel-Norwood	Kevin English
Cavan Monaghan	Jason Conrad
Douro-Dummer	Dianne Hartwick
Havelock-Belmont-Methuen	Jen Van Allen
North Kawartha	Barry Rand
Otonabee-South Monaghan	Gus Bolin
Selwyn	Bill Sarginson
Trent Lakes	Shelley Bertram Fallis

Environmental/Sustainability Recognition (One County-wide Award) - Nominees will have demonstrated innovation and/or leadership in environmental conservation, stewardship and sustainability by having:

- Developed innovative green technologies or
- Started businesses to support and encourage sustainable living, or
- Donated conservation lands or easements or
- Undertaken ecosystem restoration or research or
- Educated others about the importance of protecting the environment or
- Achieved the overall vision for sustainability through one of the identified theme areas set out in the Sustainable Peterborough Plan: Agriculture and Local Food; Climate Change; Cultural Assets; Economic Development and Employment; Healthy Communities; Land Use Planning; Natural Assets; Energy; Transportation; Waste; and Water.

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Heritage Preservation (One award per municipality) - This award will be presented to either a group or individual that promotes heritage and preserves the history of Peterborough County. This could include, but is not limited to, Fair boards, Women's Institutes, historical societies, etc. A community, public or private organization which has reached a significant milestone such as 100th anniversary of the organization is also eligible under this category. **(Birthdays and anniversaries will be recognized on an on-going basis as requested.)**

Douro-Dummer

Murray Batten

Selwyn

Selwyn Women's Institute

Leadership in Arts and Culture (One award per municipality) - An individual or group will have demonstrated excellence in the arts, bringing recognition to Peterborough County.

Asphodel-Norwood

Baily Baptie

Cavan Monaghan

Valerie Kent

Douro-Dummer

Friends of the Douro-Dummer Public Library

Havelock-Belmont-Methuen

Jan Thornhill

North Kawartha

Joe McCauley

Otonabee-South Monaghan

Jonathan Bennett

Selwyn

Melissa Payne

Sporting Excellence (One County-wide award) - Teams or individuals must have won a provincial, national or international sporting event.

Douro-Dummer

Hannah Darling

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Youth (One award per municipality) - Awarded to an individual 25 years of age or younger who has contributed to the betterment of the community and/or school environment.

Cavan Monaghan

Jade Eagleson

Otonabee-South Monaghan

Hamish McMaster

Selwyn

Avery Spalding

Special Award - The Awards and Bursaries Committee has discretionary power to recommend to County Council the awarding to recipients should unusual circumstances arise.

Asphodel-Norwood, Douro-Dummer,
Havelock-Belmont-Methuen, and Otonabee-
South Monaghan

Peterborough County Agricultural Heritage
Building Fundraising Committee (PCAHB)

Plans are underway for the 2019 Recognition Awards to be held in the Township of Selwyn on Friday, May 24th, 2019 with nominations due on March 15th, 2019.

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