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# **Public Interest Awards**

#### **PURPOSE:**

The PIA Public Interest Awards were created to give public recognition to those making important contributions in promoting the public interest in Alberta.

### **CRITERIA:**

The award is given to two individuals and/or organizations each year making an exemplary contribution in one or more of the following ways:

- effectively drawing public attention to the importance of preserving and enhancing an element of public services, public institutions, public spaces, the public good or the public interest
- mobilizing support in one or more of the above areas
- promoting effective cooperation among individuals and organizations in one or more of the above areas
- working to strengthen Alberta's public sphere and public interest in any other effective manner.

#### **PROCEDURES:**

The Board of Public Interest Alberta will make the selections and the awards will be presented in Edmonton our Annual General Meeting in June. The successful nominees will be advised prior to the event to ensure their availability to accept the award.

Nominators are required to complete the attached form and submit to the PIA office no later than May 31, 2017.

## **NOMINATION FORM**

With this form, nominators should submit the following:

- A brief biography or history of the nominee (one page maximum)
- A description of the nominee's achievements, and their importance in promoting the public interest in Alberta
- Letter(s) of support
- Other information helpful in supporting the nomination

The complete nomination should be delivered, mailed or faxed by May 31, 2017 to:

Public Interest Alberta Suite 604 12323 Stony Plain Road Edmonton, AB T5N 3Y5

Fax: 780-420-0435

Date:	
Name of the person or group being nominated:	
Current information for the nominee:	
Address:	_
Phone:	_
E-mail:	
Name of the person or group nominating:	
Current information for the nominator:	-
Address:	
Phone:	
E-mail:	
Nominator's signature:	