NWT Association of Communities

2027 AGM AWARDS

The **COMMUNITY BUILDER AWARDS** celebrate the people and organizations whose leadership, dedication, and vision strengthen communities across the Northwest Territories. These awards recognize outstanding elected officials, honour long-serving members of the NWT Association of Communities (NWTAC), and acknowledge individuals and organizations that have made a lasting impact on the quality of life in our Member Communities.

Through the generous support of AON, NWTAC is proud to continue recognizing excellence in leadership, innovation, service, and community building throughout the NWT.

Member Communities are invited to submit nominations in any of the following four award categories:

- ⇨ Community Builder Award
- ⇨ Community Service Award
- ⇨ Honour Roll (Long Service Award)
- ⇨ Evelyn Krutko Mighty Warrior Award

AWARD DESCRIPTIONS

COMMUNITY BUILDER AWARD

This award recognizes past or current elected officials who have demonstrated exemplary leadership within their council and broader community.

Eligibility/Criteria:

- ⇨ Must be, or have been, an elected official of an NWTAC Member Community
- ⇨ Must be nominated by an NWTAC Member Community in good standing
- ⇨ Active participation in community organizations beyond council duties
- ⇨ Demonstrated innovation in the operations of the council or community government

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

This award recognizes an individual, organization, or business that has provided outstanding service to Member Communities in the NWT. Contributions may include, but are not limited to, infrastructure development, volunteerism, youth initiatives, or other significant community improvements.

Criteria: Has made a meaningful and measurable impact on the well-being of a Member Community and its residents.

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ROLL OF HONOUR (LONG SERVICE)

This award honours elected officials who have dedicated 15 years or more to serving a Member Community Government.

Eligibility: Minimum of 15 years of service on a Member Community Government.

EVELYN KRUTKO MIGHTY WARRIOR AWARD

The Evelyn Krutko Mighty Warrior Award embodies the values and spirit of Evelyn Krutko: hardworking, honest, courageous, and dedicated to going above and beyond for the community.

Eligibility: Open to all NWT residents who exemplify Evelyn Krutko's legacy through leadership, resilience, and meaningful contributions to their community.

Nomination deadline: January 29, 2027

For more information, contact Yvonne Fleming at yvonne@nwtac.com

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