NWT Association of Communities

2027 AGM AWARDS

MACA COMMUNITY EXCELLENCE AWARD

DEADLINE TO APPLY: January 29, 2027

Sponsored by:
Department of Municipal and Community Affairs
Government of the Northwest Territories

This award is sponsored by the Government of the Northwest Territories Department of Municipal and Community Affairs (MACA). **The winning community will receive $5,000 to support an initiative that exemplifies community excellence.**

MACA proposes to establish an annual award to be presented at the NWTAC Annual General Meeting (AGM) Dinner. This award will recognize excellence among NWT communities in areas aligned with MACA's mandate to support capable, accountable, and self-directed community governments providing a safe, sustainable, and healthy environment for residents.

AWARD FRAMEWORK

Structure: One award per year, with flexibility to recognize achievements in different categories.

Proposed Categories:

- ✓ Committee Choice
- ✓ Excellence in Governance
- ✓ Excellence in Service Delivery
- ✓ Excellence in Asset Management
- ✓ Excellence in Emergency Management

AWARD VALUE

- ✓ **Amount:** $5,000
- ✓ **Form:** Contribution to the winning community to support an initiative or project.

HOW TO APPLY:

Complete NWTAC nomination form and provide a detailed explanation of why your community should receive the MACA Community Excellence Award. NWTAC will administer the application and selection process, with MACA ratifying the final recommendation.