



## **City of Brantford Environmental Recognition Award Eligibility Requirements & Rules**

The City of Brantford will present Environmental Recognition Awards to recognize those who have made a tangible contribution to the preservation, enhancement and improvement of the environment in the City of Brantford. Recipients will be selected by the Environmental Policy Advisory Committee of the City of Brantford. Recipients will be honoured at a ceremony during Earth Week. More information is available at [www.brantford.ca/EnvironmentalAwards](http://www.brantford.ca/EnvironmentalAwards).

- Individuals who are nominated must be a resident of the City of Brantford. If he or she is not, the project must directly contribute to improving the environment in Brantford.
- Individuals may nominate themselves or be nominated by another person or group.
- No project is too big or too small.
- Nominations will be assessed by a panel created and monitored by the Environmental Policy Advisory Board.
- The committee can choose to issue no award if there are not enough nominations or nominations do not score well in the judging criteria.
- Previous nominees are eligible for nomination again but must be able to demonstrate progress on the initiatives identified in the previous nomination.
- Previous recipients of the Environmental Recognition Award are eligible for nomination again three years after receiving the award. For example, 2013 winners would be eligible for nomination again in 2016.
- Posthumous awards will not be given.
- Elected officials are not eligible for the Environmental Recognition Award.
- City of Brantford agencies, boards, commissions, special purpose bodies and City divisions are not eligible for the Environmental Recognition Award.