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August 5, 2015

To: London Arts Council
London Advisory Committee on Heritage
Advisory Committee on the Environment
London Housing Advisory Committee
Community Safety & Crime Prevention Advisory Committee
Accessibility Advisory Committee
London Diversity & Race Relations Advisory Committee
London Sports Council

Re: **2016 Mayor's New Year's Honour List – Nominations Requested**

In accordance with Council Policy, each year London City Council enlists the assistance of London's Advisory Committees and Councils in nominating citizens for the Mayor's New Year's Honour List, which recognizes long standing contributions to the London community.

Please consider nominating a London citizen who is worthy of this honour in the category for which your Advisory Committee/Council is responsible, as follows:

NOMINATING BODY	CATEGORY	REPORTS TO
London Arts Council	The Arts	Council
London Sports Council	Sports	Council
London Advisory Committee on Heritage	Heritage	Planning
Advisory Committee on the Environment	The Environment	Planning
London Housing Advisory Committee	Housing	CAPS
Community Safety & Crime Prevention Advisory Committee	Safety and Crime Prevention	CAPS
Accessibility Advisory Committee	Persons with Disabilities	CAPS
London Diversity & Race Relations Advisory Committee	Humanitarianism	CAPS
London Diversity & Race Relations Advisory Committee	Diversity and Race Relations	CAPS

You may make your recommendation in confidence directly to your Advisory Committee or to me, no later than 9 AM, Monday, November 9, 2015. The nomination will be included on the appropriate Standing Committee agenda for recommendation to Council November 24, 2015. This timetable ensures that the slate of honourees can be finalized in time to notify the recipients and arrange the recognition event.

For your information and assistance, I have enclosed a list of the previous recipients (no individual can be recognized more than once in their lifetime), together with a copy of the Council Policy which details the criteria and process to be followed.

Thank you very much for your assistance and for your cooperation in adhering to the submission deadline.

Cathy Saunders
City Clerk

Attachments (3)

cc: Mayor Matt Brown



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MAYOR'S NEW YEAR'S HONOUR LIST (1976 – 2015)

1976 (Arts)

Catharine Kezia Brickenden
Lenore Crawford
Heinar Piller
Ray Sealey
Bruce Sharpe
Ruth Sharpe

1977 (Arts)

Martin Boundy
A. Elizabeth Murray
James Reaney
Margaret Skinner
Earle Terry

1978 (Arts)

Robin Dearing
Donald Fleckser
Angela Labatt
Dorothy Scuton
Pegi Walden

1979 (Arts)

Paul Eck
Edward Escaf
Clifford Evans
Arnim Walter

1980 (Arts)

Jane E. Bigelow
Barbara Ivey
Richard M. Ivey
Beryl Ivey

1981 (Arts)

Herbert J. Ariss
Dorothy Carter
Noreen DeShane
John H. Moore
S. Elizabeth Moore

1982 (Arts)

Wesanne McKellar
Edward R. Procnier
J. Allyn Taylor

1983 (Arts)

Robert L. (Bob) Turnbull
Frank L. Hallett
Kathleen M. Hallett
Ivor Brake
Phyllis J. Brake
Carol Johnston
Thomas F. Lawson

1984 (Arts)

Minnette Church
Betty Duffield

1985 (Arts)

Nancy Poole
Paddy Gunn O'Brien
Thomas F. Siess

1986 (Arts)

Sasha McInnis Hayman
Gregory R. Curnoe
Thomas J. Hannigan

1987 (Arts)

Caroline L. Conron
Stephen Joy
Gerald Fagan
Millard P. McBain

1988 (Arts)

Maurice A. Coghlin
Arthur Ender
Bernice Harper
Ian Turnbull

1989

Mervin Carter (Safety)
Robert Loveless (Physically Challenged)
Gordon Jorgenson (Crime Prevention)
Orlo Miller (Architectural Conservation)
Nancy Postian (Arts)
Thomas Purdy (Environment)

1990

Julia Beck (Architectural Conservation)
Ruth Clarke (Safety)
Sam Katz (Environment)
Helena Kline (Crime Prevention)
Nellie Porter (Housing)
Nancy Skinner (Physically Disabled)
Maurice Stubbs (Arts)

1991

Paul Ball (Crime Prevention)
Ian Chappell (Crime Prevention)
Silvia Clarke (Architectural Conservation)
Norman Davis (Crime Prevention)
Norma Dinniwel (Arts)
Jay Mayos (Environment)
Marilyn Neufeld (Physically Challenged)
Margaret Sharpe (Crime Prevention)
Glen Sifton (Safety)

1992

Kenneth Bovey (Environment)
Susan Eagle (Housing)
George Mottram (Safety)
Laverne Shipley (Crime Prevention)
Richard Verrette (Arts)
Debbie Willows (Physically Challenged)



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1993

Alan Benninger (Housing)
William Fyfe (Environment)
Wil Harlock (Architectural Conservation)
David Long (Housing)
Margaret MacGee (Safety)
Nancy McNee (Arts)
Craig Stainton (Housing)
Peter Valiquet (Crime Prevention)
Shirley Van Hoof (Physically Disabled)

1994

Michael Baker (Architectural Conservation)
Caroline Bolter (Environment)
Richard Izzard (Crime Prevention)
David Kirk (Safety)
John Moran (Physically Disabled)
John Schunk (Housing)
Katharine Smith (Arts)

1995

Ruth Drake (Architectural Conservation)
Martha Henry (Arts)
Jeff Henderson (Environment)
Sandra McNee (Housing)
Ron Newnes (Crime Prevention)
Tanys Quesnel (Physically Challenged)
Bill Woolford (Safety)

1996

Robert Baumbach and the Dixie Flyers (Arts)
Jess Davidson (Physically Challenged)
Rosemary Dickinson (Environment)
Gertrude Roes (Safety)
Mowbray Sifton (Housing)
Nancy Zwart Tausky (Architectural Conservation)

1997

Karen Burch (Environment)
Gretta Grant (Humanitarianism)
Marion Obeda (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Kim Pratt (Architectural Conservation)
Cesar Santander (Arts)
W. (Bill) Willcock (Housing)

1998

Paterson Ewen (Arts)
Tim Dupee (posthumously) (Physically Challenged)
Sargon Gabriel (Humanitarianism)
Mary Huffman (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Ann McKillop (Heritage Conservation)
Henry and Maria Stam (Environment)

1999

Dan Brock (Heritage Conservation)
Tom Crerar (Environment)
John Davidson (Physically Challenged)
O. Veronica Dryden (posthumously) (Humanitarianism)
Michael Edward Howe (Housing)
Phil Murphy (Arts)
Shelly Siskind (Safety and Crime Prevention)

2000

Lottie Brown (Heritage Conservation)
Hume Cronyn (Arts)
Paul Duerden (Sports)
John Falls (posthumously) (Physically Challenged)
Gwen Barton Jenkins (posthumously) (Humanitarianism)
Judy Potter (Housing)
Paul van der Werf (Environment)

2001

Douglas Bocking (Heritage Conservation)
Connie Cunningham (posthumously) (Housing)
Keith Cartwright (Physically Challenged)
Art Fidler (Arts)
Dan and Mary Lou Smoke (Humanitarianism)
Lesley Thompson (Sports)
Gosse VanOosten (Environment)
Audrey Warner (Safety and Crime Prevention)

2002

Eric Atkinson (Arts)
Bill Brock (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Debbie Dawtrey (Physically Challenged)
Susan Epstein (Environment)
Janet Hunten (Heritage)
Gail Irmiler (Housing)
Carolyn Rundle (Humanitarianism)
Darwin Semotiuk (Sports)

2003

Ralph Aldrich (Arts)
Mary Kerr (Heritage)
Michael Lewis (Physically Challenged)
Laila Norman (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Elaine Pensa (Humanitarianism)
Joseph Rea and the Archangelo Rea Foundation (Environment)
Jan Richardson (Housing)
Clarke Singer (Sports)

2004

Alan Cohen (Arts)
Ayshi Hassan (Humanitarianism)
Dr. Bill Judd (Heritage)
Carol Kish (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Rick Odegaard (Housing)
Jennifer Smith Ogg (Sports)
Cathy Vincent-Linderoos (Physically Challenged)
Dave and Winifred Wake (Environment)

2005

Bernice Brooks (Environment)
Eugene DiTrollo (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Genet Hodder (Heritage)
Prof. Donald McKellar (Arts)
Patrick Murphy (Persons with Disabilities)
Barry Parker (Housing)
Shanti Radcliffe (Humanitarianism)
Jude St. John (Sports)



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2006

Jane Antoniak (Diversity and Race Relations)
John Barron (Arts)
Dale and Mark Hunter (Sports)
Jim Mahon (Environment)
Lorin MacDonald (Persons with Disabilities)
Darlene Ritchie (Housing)
Clare Robinson (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Sister Teresa Ryan (Humanitarianism)
Barry Wells (Heritage)

2007

Eleanor Bradley (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Peter Brennan (Arts)
Chris Doty (posthumously) (Heritage)
Peter Inch (Sports)
Sandy Levin (Environment)
Raul Lobet (posthumously) (Diversity and Race Relations)
Susie Matthias (Persons with Disabilities)
Glen Pearson and Jane Roy (Humanitarianism)

2008

Henri Boyi (Humanitarianism)
Dr. Cathy Chovaz (Persons with Disabilities)
Michelle Edwards (Diversity and Race Relations)
Stephen Harding (Heritage)
Thom McClenaghan (Environment)
Todd Sargeant (Sports)
Jeffrey Paul Schlemmer (Housing)
Dr. Margaret Whitby (Arts)

2009

Mohamed Al-Adeimi (Diversity and Race Relations)
Teresa Anglin (Humanitarianism)
Diana Anstead (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Margaret Capes (Housing)
Mike Circelli (Sports)
Nancy Finlayson (Environment)
Jeff Preston (Persons with Disabilities)
Theresa Regnier (Heritage)
Jim Scott (Arts)

2010

Alison Farough (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Jennifer Grainger (Heritage)
Charlene Lazenby (Housing)
Kathy Lewis (Persons with Disabilities)
Maryanne MacDonald (Environment)
Joyce Mitchell (Diversity and Race Relations)
Darlene Pratt (Arts)
Sister Margo Ritchie (Humanitarianism)
Ray Takahashi (Sports)

2011

Sister Joan Atkinson (Housing)
Major Archie Cairns (Arts)
Bill De Young (Environment)
Mike Lindsay (Sports)
Marlyn Loft (Heritage)
Christina Lord (Humanitarianism)
Dr. Gaston N.K. Mabaya (Diversity and Race Relations)
Marg Rooke (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Cheryl Stewart (Persons with Disabilities)

2012

Maryse Leitch (Arts)
Catherine McEwen (Heritage)
Josip Mrkoci (Sports)
Perpétue Nitunga (Humanitarianism)
Greg Playford (Housing)
Evelina Silveira (Diversity and Race Relations)
Maureen Temme (Environment)
Anne Robertson (Persons with Disabilities)

2013

Meredith Fraser (Diversity and Race Relations)
Bramwell Gregson (Arts)
Bruce Huff (Sports)
Suzanne Huot (Humanitarianism)
David Nelms (Housing)
Joe O'Neil (Heritage)
Shane O'Neill (Environment)
Lou Rivard (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Carmen Sprovieri (Persons with Disabilities)

2014

Barry Fay (Sports)
Talia Goldberg (Persons with Disabilities)
Rebecca Howse (Diversity and Race Relations)
John Nicholson (Arts)
Gary Smith (The Environment)
Lloyd Stevenson (Housing)
Kenneth Wright (Humanitarianism)

2015

Hilary Bates Neary (Heritage)
Damian Warner (Sports)
Patrick Mahon (The Arts)
Corina Morrison (Safety and Crime Prevention)
Michael Lynk (Humanitarianism)
Alfredo Caxaj (Diversity and Race Relations)
Martha Powell (Housing)
Roger Khouri (Persons with Disabilities)
Bob Porter (The Environment)



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COUNCIL POLICY 1(4)

MAYOR'S NEW YEAR'S HONOUR LIST

That the policy set out in Appendix 1(4A) concerning the Mayor's New Year's Honour List and City of London plaques, certificates and gifts be established, noting that a person may not necessarily be named in each of the nine (9) categories each year.

ADOPTED APRIL 18, 1988; AMENDED FEBRUARY 19, 1996; JUNE 17, 1996; AUGUST 6, 1996;
SEPTEMBER 16, 1996; AUGUST 3, 1999, JULY 25, 2005, FEBRUARY 6, 2006

Appendix 1(4A) Mayor's New Year's Honour List

- (a) That the following policy be established effective February 6, 2006 concerning the Mayor's New Year's Honour List namely:
- (i) a Mayor's New Year's Honour List be compiled each year to recognize persons who have contributed in an outstanding manner to the community of London in one of the following categories, namely:
 - 1. The Arts (i.e. contributions to fostering and/or the production of human creativity);
 - 2. Heritage (i.e. contributions to the awareness, preservation and protection of heritage resources);
 - 3. The Environment (i.e. contributions to the awareness, preservation and protection of the environment);
 - 4. Housing (i.e. contributions to the provision of safe and accessible housing for all members of the community);
 - 5. Safety & Crime Prevention (i.e. contributions to a safe and secure community);
 - 6. Persons with Disabilities (i.e. contributions to the promotion and facilitation of a barrier-free community for citizens of all abilities, including those with disabilities);
 - 7. Humanitarianism (i.e. contributions to human welfare through philanthropic and other efforts);
 - 8. Sports (i.e. contributions to the awareness of and participation in sports activity and/or demonstrated excellence within a particular sports activity); and
 - 9. Diversity and Race Relations (i.e. contributions to the elimination of hate and discrimination).
 - (ii) the recipients be named by City Council, on the recommendation of the following advisory committees, through the Standing Committees or the Board of Control, based upon the reporting relationship of the respective advisory committee, with respect to their individual categories as outlined above:
 - 1. London Arts Council;
 - 2. London Advisory Committee on Heritage;
 - 3. Advisory Committee on the Environment;
 - 4. London Housing Advisory Committee;
 - 5. Community Safety & Crime Prevention Advisory Committee;
 - 6. Accessibility Advisory Committee;
 - 7. London Diversity and Race Relations Advisory Committee;

8. London Sports Council; and
9. London Diversity and Race Relations Advisory Committee

(iii) the Mayor's New Year's Honour List Program be subject to the following conditions:

- a maximum of nine persons being named in any one year, with no more than one being from each of the nine categories referred to above, and on the understanding that a person may not necessarily be named in each category each year; it being noted that the Municipal council may, at its sole discretion and on an exception basis, choose to recognize two individuals in any one category in a given year should the Municipal council determine that two individuals have inseparably partnered in contributing to their respective category, thereby increasing the aggregate amount of nominees beyond the usual maximum of nine persons to be named in any one year;
 - the recipients being chosen for long standing contributions in their respective categories;
 - the name of any one individual being included on the Honour List only once in his/her lifetime;
 - any person currently serving as a member of any one of the advisory committees referred to in section (ii) not being eligible for naming to the list during his/her term of office;
 - nominees being recommended by the advisory committees referred to in section (ii) receiving at least seventy-five percent of the total eligible votes on the respective advisory committee;
 - the recipients being honoured at the first meeting of the City Council in January, with dinner and an appropriately worded scroll.
- (b) That a plaque be displayed in the main lobby of City Hall honouring those persons named each year to the Mayor's New Year's Honour List and that the City Clerk be authorized to add the names of the new honourees each year.
- (c) That separate individual plaques be presented only by the London Advisory Committee on Heritage to be used to identify designated buildings in the community as being of architectural significance.
- (d) That all gifts, certificates, plaques and other forms of recognition presented to the City of London from time to time be placed in the control of the City Clerk for cataloguing, and for display, storage and maintenance as appropriate.
- (e) That notwithstanding the recommendation of the Community Housing Advisory Committee contained in Section (c) of clause 1 of its 8th Report (1987), no action be taken to prepare a permanent plaque for the purpose of recording the names of persons who receive Certificates of Appreciation for their contribution to the housing needs of the community.