



OAAC-24-30

June 7, 2024

Dear Accessibility Advisory Chairs and Coordinators,

RE: Accessibility Awards

**The Regional
Municipality of
Durham**

Office of the Chief
Administrative Officer

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The Region's Accessibility Advisory Committee (AAC) is pleased to announce that we will once again be presenting the Accessibility Awards. This year's awards will be presented at the Annual Accessibility Celebration to be held in September.

These awards recognize individuals and businesses that have made significant contributions to promoting accessibility. It is a crucial opportunity to acknowledge those who have achieved remarkable strides in making your community more accessible. We invite nominations from local AACs to honour leaders in accessibility within their communities. Contributions can be in various forms, including customer service, information and communications, transportation, the built environment, websites, or other initiatives that promote inclusiveness, participation, and independence for persons with disabilities.

Celebrating these successes is vital for raising awareness about accessibility and dismantling barriers faced by persons with disabilities.

We encourage you to consider deserving individuals and businesses in your community and submit your nominations to the Region of Durham Accessibility Coordinator by July 15, 2024. Please use the following Microsoft Forms link to register your nominee:

[Click here to register your nominee!](#)

Awardees will be invited to the Accessibility Celebration to receive their Award.

Sincerely,



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