

The
imagineCALGARY
Awards



2009
Nomination Package

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The imagineCALGARY Awards have been established to recognize and celebrate achievements and actions that help realize the Vision of *The imagineCALGARY Plan for Long Range Urban Sustainability*. Each year, outstanding contributions towards the long-term sustainability of Calgary will be recognized through two awards – the *Partner in Action Award* and the *Leadership in Sustainability Award*.

Nomination Information

Organizations nominated for an imagineCALGARY Award must meet the following criteria:

- Nominees must have conducted operations in the Calgary trade market, within a 10-kilometer radius of established city limits, for a minimum of three years prior to the date of nomination.
- Nominees must be Calgary-based or be a local branch of a provincial, national or international organization.
- Crown corporations and Cooperative Associations are eligible to be recommended for nomination.
- Nominees must demonstrate sound financial standing evidenced through the provision of an annual financial statement and where possible an Annual Report.
- Nominees must operate within ethical and transparent reporting guidelines.

How to Submit a Nomination

Step 1:

Review the award categories and determine which category is most appropriate for the organization you wish to nominate. The two awards do not share all eligibility requirements.

Step 2:

Complete the appropriate nomination form for the award (included in this document).

Step 3:

Mail, fax, email or hand-deliver your nomination packaged to be received by **Friday, September 18, 2009 at 4:00 p.m. (MDT)**. Nominations received after this date will not be considered.

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Award Categories

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THE imagineCALGARY PARTNER IN ACTION AWARD

The imagineCALGARY Partner in Action Award is awarded to an active imagineCALGARY Partner demonstrating excellence, innovation, involvement and leadership in the adoption and activation of practices that support the long-term sustainability of the city of Calgary within the target scope of *The imagineCALGARY Plan*.

THE imagineCALGARY LEADERSHIP IN SUSTAINABILITY AWARD

The imagineCALGARY Leadership in Sustainability Award is awarded to an organization or business that is not an imagineCALGARY Partner organization yet but which demonstrates excellence, innovation, involvement and leadership in the adoption and incorporation of practices that support the long-term sustainability of the city of Calgary within the target scope of *The imagineCALGARY Plan*.

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Nominee Information

Name of Nominee:

Contact Name:

Address:

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Nominator Information (must be an active imagineCALGARY Partner)

Name of Nominator:

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Partner in Action Information

What areas of *The imagineCALGARY Plan For Long Range Urban Sustainability* (Built Environment, Economic, Governance, Natural Environment, Social) have been impacted by this organization's actions?

Please describe how this Partner organization has acted towards achieving the Vision of *The imagineCALGARY Plan*.

Please describe any new initiatives that this Partner has undertaken specifically towards incorporating elements of *The imagineCALGARY Plan* into their organization's work, planning and culture.

Please describe how this Partner has contributed to the success of imagineCALGARY outside its own organization (i.e. collaborating with other actors in the community; communicating the value of imagineCALGARY to their network; involvement in imagineCALGARY Committees, etc.).

In addition to completing the nomination questions, you may submit supporting materials such as newspaper articles, photographs, testimonials, etc.

- Materials must be kept to a maximum of 14 pages (single-sided 8½" x 11"), including photographs.
- Type your nomination letter, or use legible handwriting on plain, white paper.
- Cerlox or bound presentation folders will not be accepted (the nomination package submitted will be reproduced many times for the jury).
- Nominations will not be returned.
- The imagineCALGARY Awards jury reviews all nominations and makes decisions based entirely on the information provided in the nomination package.

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Leadership in Sustainability Information

What areas of *The imagineCALGARY Plan for Long Range Urban Sustainability* (Built Environment, Economic, Governance, Natural Environment, Social) have been impacted by this organization's actions?

Please describe how this organization has demonstrated vision and leadership towards creating a more sustainable future for Calgary.

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