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## 2014 Civic Award Presentations

Peterborough Sport and Wellness Centre June 9, 2015 7:00 pm



## Councillor Vassiliadis

## 12. Sustainable Peterborough Coordinating Committee – Environmental Stewardship/Sustainability

The Sustainable Peterborough Coordinating Committee is committed to leading the City and County of Peterborough to a sustainable future. The 5 Sustainable Peterborough working groups are: Future of Food and Farming; Climate Change; Energy; Kawartha Naturally Connected, and Economic Development. Volunteer members on the Committee are:

Linda Slavin

Cheryl Lyon & Fred Irwin

Dawn Berry-Merriam

Jenny Olauson

Dr. Stephen Hill

Peter Hughes

John Knight Tom Cowie

The following committee members attend the committee as part of a work commitment, and receive honourable mentions:

Ken Doherty Jeannette Thompson Melanie Kawalec

Sheridan Graham Lois O'Neill Meredith Carter Larry Stinson Trish O'Connor Brigid Ayotte

Pat Kemp

David Clifford

As of December 2014, these dedicated individuals signed 100 community partners across the Greater Peterborough Area to the Sustain Peterborough Community Partnership Program. These community partners have committed to embedding sustainability into their daily operations, their lives and their actions.

The Sustainable Peterborough Coordinating Committee has developed annual report cards to communicate local initiatives and demonstrate the commitment of businesses, agencies and organizations to increased sustainability. One letter of support stated the following: "Their work with the Greater Peterborough Area Climate Change Action Plan to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, set reduction targets, and implement actions will further assist the transformation towards a high-performing economy that will enhance economic growth over the long term."

The committee is making a difference by helping to build a healthier environment, a stronger and more vibrant social and cultural network, and a prospering economy for the future. We wish them continued success.