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WELCOME BACK, TO OUR ANNUAL BUSINESS ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS!

It's a time of the year that everyone, board, staff, and members, look forward to. A time to look back at the previous year, and take stock and to celebrate the businesses and people in our community, who have achieved greatness. They may have successfully started a business, grown their business, or volunteered their time. This past year, in particular, has been a great challenge for businesses during the pandemic. All businesses have faced new challenges. The businesses in our community have continued to persevere, and have made an impact in the way we live and support each other. And tonight, we take time to celebrate them, and thank them for their hard work.

A huge thank you to our sponsors, for making this night possible. A huge thanks, also, to our volunteers, our board, and staff, who work throughout the year to make the Flamborough Chamber successful. As a small, but mighty chamber of commerce, we rely on the support of our community to effectively deliver the services, and advocacy our community needs.

A final thanks to all of you - the community I keep referring to. Your support and continued partnership make all the difference.

On behalf of myself, staff, and the board,



Matteo Patricelli



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AWARD CATEGORIES:

SMALL BUSINESS AWARD

LARGE BUSINESS AWARD

ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR AWARD

RESILIENCE AWARD FOR A BUSINESS

RESILIENCE AWARD FOR AN INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE
DESERVING NOMINEES!



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A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

It gives me great pleasure to bring greetings to this virtual edition of the Flamborough Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Business Achievement Awards.

The Flamborough Chamber does outstanding work representing its members and is a wonderful partner with the City and, in particular, our Economic Development Department, on such projects as Fast 40, our list of fastest-growing start-ups. The Chamber also does wonderful work on our *Open for Business* effort in reducing red tape.

These Business Achievement Awards serve to underline that Flamborough is a wonderful place to do business. The winners and all the nominees represent le crème de la crème of our business community. Congratulations! Your excellence is an example and inspiration to the entire community.

Thank you to the Chamber and its members for all your efforts supporting our public health measures during the pandemic fighting the spread of COVID-19. Thank you also to your executive director, Matteo Patricelli, for the valuable contribution he made to the Mayor's Task Force of Economic Recovery, which came up with so many quick wins to springboard our local economy back to prosperity.

We live in challenging times, but together we met these challenges and we are now achieving greater success than ever before.

The Flamborough Chamber is a major reason that Flamborough is such a wonderful and vibrant community.

Yours Sincerely,



Fred Eisenberger
Mayor





CONGRATULATIONS FROM YOUR ELECTED OFFICIALS



“On behalf of the government of Ontario I want to congratulate the 2022 Outstanding Business Achievement Award winners. Over the past year you continued to face some incredible economic challenges but managed to persevere through the difficult times.

I want to thank all of the business owners and operators in Flamborough, for the significant role you are playing in our economic recovery. Because of your contributions, Flamborough has a deep sense of community and is a wonderful place to live and raise a family.”

**Donna Skelly, MPP
Flamborough-Glanbrook**

“Thank you for participating in this year’s Outstanding Business Achievement Awards virtually. I wish it were in-person and certainly hope the OBAs will be next year.

As a member of the Flamborough Chamber since 2017, I’ve enjoyed attending the awards banquet in pre-pandemic years.

Congratulations to the 2022 winners! But frankly, all Flamborough businesses are winners. The fact that there are two categories for Resilience says it all. Small businesses bore too high of a burden and government programs were too often laden with red tape or insufficient.

It’s time to move on with business, life and the recovery! My office is open to help you -- just west of Clappison’s Corners.”

**Dan Muys, MP
Flamborough-Glanbrook**



“As City Councillor for Waterdown / Flamborough Ward 15, I am pleased to congratulate all of the nominated businesses that have been committed to Building Community Together through economic development to support our local communities. Your investment in our local economy is what keeps Flamborough strong especially throughout COVID-19, with extraordinary energy, innovation, professionalism and leadership in your pursuits. It is with a great deal of pride that I join you in celebration of continued success and growth as you foster business and community relationships across the city.”



Councillor Judi Partridge, Ward 15 ~ Flamborough

“Congratulations to the Flamborough Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Business Achievement Awards winners for 2022!

As the Councillor for Ward 12, I would like to recognize all the Flamborough business owners who have persevered during this extraordinary and unprecedented pandemic time.



And to those who have won one of the distinguished awards tonight, I would like to congratulate you on your corporate excellence and community service. Your commitment and investment in our community surely makes Flamborough a great place to live.”

**Councillor Lloyd Ferguson
Ward 12 Ancaster/West Flamborough**

“Congratulations to all the nominees and winners of the 2022 Flamborough Outstanding Business Awards. The past couple of years have been difficult for many, and I would like to acknowledge all of you who have persevered and overcome through these challenging times. May the future be bright for all.



On behalf of the residents in Ward 13, may I take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation for your many contributions to the Flamborough community and to recognize your achievements. We wish you years of continued success in the future.”

**Arlene VanderBeek,
City Councillor – Ward 13
Central Flamborough & Dundas**



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