



## YOUNG TOWNSHIPS LEADER AWARD

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*Celebrating Youth Leadership in the Eastern Townships!*

### *About the YTLA*

The **Young Townships Leader Award (YTLA)** from Townshippers' Association, encourages younger citizens to become actively involved in their communities by celebrating their achievements, commitment, and efforts. They are the people in our community who serve as role models because of their actions. Established in 2006, the **YTLA** is presented annually to a young Townships leader(s) who has shown leadership within the English-speaking community of the historical Eastern Townships, either in their school, job, town or in the wider community.

**Thanks to our annual partners, the winning YTLA will be awarded \$1,000!**

### *Eligibility:*

Young Townships Leaders are people who:

- are residents of the historical Eastern Townships between the ages of 15 and 35;
- have carried out actions or initiatives demonstrating leadership within the past two years;
- have pursued these initiatives within the historical Eastern Townships English-speaking community;

**Exclusion:** *members of Townshippers' board of directors cannot be nominated for this award.*

### *Evaluation:*

A selection committee will evaluate the candidates in terms of effort, impact on local community and achieved objectives. **If your nomination is selected, please be prepared to submit a clear high-resolution photo of your candidate.**

### *What Will Happen to My Nomination?*

Once your nomination is received, all names and other identifying information are removed from the documents by Townshippers' office manager. They are then delivered to the selection committee. [**Exclusion:** *Townshippers' President, Executive Director and Office Manager are not eligible to sit on the selection committee.*] Nominations and selection information are kept confidential. Nominees will only be contacted if they are selected to receive an award.

### *Nominations:*

Nominations must meet all the above criteria to be considered for this award. If you nominated someone in the past and they were not selected, you can nominate them again. There are two ways to nominate someone: (1) online at [www.Townshippers.org/YTLA](http://www.Townshippers.org/YTLA) or (2) complete this form and return it, along with supporting documents, to: **Young Township Leader Award**, c/o Townshippers' Association, 100-257 Queen, Sherbrooke QC, J1M 1K7. Nomination packages may also be submitted by **fax to 819-566-0271** or email to: **[ct@Townshippers.org](mailto:ct@Townshippers.org)**

**This award is presented annually. Nominations accepted throughout the year.**

### **QUESTIONS?**

Contact Cathy Turner, 819-566-5717 (toll-free 1-866-566-5717), or email [ct@Townshippers.org](mailto:ct@Townshippers.org)

**Privacy Policy:** *Townshippers' Association respects your privacy. We protect your personal information and adhere to all legislative requirements with respect to protecting privacy. The information you provide will not be used for any other purpose.*



# YTLA NOMINATION

Before we get started, please ensure that your nomination meets the below criteria:

The person you are nominating is between the ages of 15 and 35.

They have carried out actions or initiatives demonstrating leadership.

These initiatives have been carried out over the past two years in the Eastern Townships.

Continue if all the above boxes are checked.

Please note: Incomplete applications will not be considered. Please type or **print clearly**.

## STEP 1 Information About the Nominee:

Nominee is:  an individual     a couple     a group    Are they aware of the nomination? Yes  No

Age as of January 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME(S): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/TOWN: \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

DAYTIME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

## STEP 2 Person Submitting Nomination:

[Cannot be part of the nominee's immediate family.]

\_\_\_\_\_

FULL NAME/ORGANIZATION

\_\_\_\_\_

CITY/TOWN

\_\_\_\_\_

DAYTIME PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL

How long have you known the nominee? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you related to the nominee?    Yes  No

*You will be required to submit a letter explaining why you think this nominee deserves this award in STEP 4.*

## STEP 3 Endorsement:

[Organization or individual who supports the nomination.]

\_\_\_\_\_

FULL NAME/ORGANIZATION

\_\_\_\_\_

CITY/TOWN

\_\_\_\_\_

DAYTIME PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL

How long have they known the nominee? \_\_\_\_\_

Are they related to the nominee?    Yes  No

*A letter of support is required from the organization or individual endorsing this nomination. The letter cannot be written by the nominator. It should focus on what the nominee has done and their impact on the community. [Tips at [www.Townshippers.org/YTLA](http://www.Townshippers.org/YTLA)]*

## STEP 4 Description of the Candidate's Contributions:

This is your chance to showcase your candidate's accomplishments so don't hold back! In a letter, tell us why you believe they deserve this award by sharing their initiatives or activities and the impact it has had in the community.

**THANK YOU & GOOD LUCK!**

