

2024 AFL MAY DAY Solidarity Award Call for Nominations



The Alberta Federation of Labour invites our affiliated unions and labour councils and committees to submit nominations for the 2024 May Day Solidarity Award. Your nominee should be a union member or a group of individuals who have made a recognized contribution in the areas of peace, social justice and workers' rights.

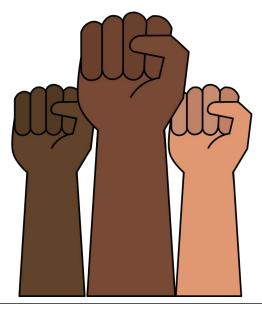
Please include a detailed biography with your nomination; which includes specific contributions to the labour and social justice movements.

The annual May Day Solidarity Award was created in 1989 and is given to an Alberta trade unionist for their contributions in advancing workers' rights within and outside the labour movement.

The deadline for accepting nominations for the May Day Award is:

Tuesday, April 2, 2024

All submissions should be emailed to the AFL Executive Council via afl@afl.org. The recipient of this award will be determined at the April 2024 Executive Council meeting and the award ceremony will take place at the 2024 AFL Midterm Forum May 17 – 18 at the MacEwan Centre in Calgary.



Past recipients of AFL May Day Award are:

2022	Stalwart Six	International Brotherhood of Boilermakers
2022	Glynnis Lieb	Canadian Union of Public Employees
2021	Trudy Thomson	Health Sciences Association of Alberta
2020	Nancy Furlong	Non–Academic Staff Association
2019	Peggy Morton	Canadian Union of Public Employees
2018	Maureen Werlin	Canadian Office and Professional Employees
2017	Dougal MacDonald	Canadian Union of Public Employees
2016	Elisabeth Ballermann	Health Sciences Association of Alberta
2015	Albert Johnson (posthumous)	United Food & Commercial Workers/
		Edmonton & District Labour Council
2014	Brian Henderson	Canadian Union of Postal Workers
2013	Yessy Byl	Canadian Union of Public Employees
2012	Winston Gereluk	Alberta Labour History Institute
2011	Dianne Wyntjes	Canadian Union of Public Employees
2010	Greg McMaster	Canadian Union of Postal Workers
	Tom Olenuk	Canadian Union of Postal Workers
2009	Linda Robinson	Canadian Office and Professional Employees
2008	Aloma Mitchell	Calgary & District Labour Council
2007	Diane Hollingshead	Canadian Auto Workers
2006	Lakeside Packers' Strikers	United Food & Commercial Workers
2005	Peg Askin	Telecommunications Workers Union
2004	Ramon Antipan	Canadian Union of Postal Workers
2003	Shaw Centre Strikers	United Food & Commercial Workers
2002	Jack McMorran	United Food & Commercial Workers
2001	Gordon Christie	Calgary & District Labour Council
2000	Gordon Steele	United Food & Commercial Workers
1999	S'ean Gillen	Canadian Auto Workers
	John Ewasiw	United Food & Commercial Workers
1998	Carol Anne Dean	Alberta Union of Provincial Employees
1997	Eileen Clancy Teslenko	Canadian Union of Public Employees
1996	Neil Reimer	Communications, Energy & Paperworkers
1995	Cindy McCallum	Canadian Union of Postal Workers
1994	Hans Mueller	Aluminum, Brick & Glass Workers
1993	Norm MacLellan	Canadian Paperworkers Union
1992	Clarence Lacombe	Canadian Union of Public Employees
1991	Gunter Bruckner	Amalgamated Transit Union
1990	William Paterson	Calgary & District Labour Council
1989	Dave Werlin	Canadian Union of Public Employees