

2009 BUSINESS EXCELLENCE AWARDS RECIPIENTS

Port Hope, April 17, 2010 – The Port Hope & District Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards Committee announced the recipients of the 2009 Business Excellence Awards. The 69 businesses nominated for the 2009 Business Excellence Awards were recognized during the gala dinner at Dalewood Golf & Curling Club, Port Hope.

The 2009 recipients of this prestigious award included:

SNAP Northumberland West for Micro Business of the Year
Scotia Bank Port Hope for Customer First
AkzoNobel Wood Coatings Ltd. for Excellence in Manufacturing
Osland Sheep and Beef Farm for Excellence in Agriculture
Cameco Corporation for Environmental
Lauria Hyundai/Lauria Motor Sales in Retail
Hill and Dale Manor in Hospitality & Tourism
UniTrak Corporation Limited Awarded Chamber's Choice Award
Also included with this years Business Excellence Awards was The Northumberland United Way which were presented the Port Hope Councils Choice Award.

The Chamber extends appreciation to the Award sponsors for 2009:

Platinum: Cameco Corporation, PaperWorks, Northumberland Today, RBC Financial Group, The Municipality of Port Hope, Port Hope Golf & Country Club, Ontario Power Generation

Gold: Northumberland News, Ganaraska Financial Services Group, 107.9 The Breeze/Star 93.3, CpK Interior Products **Wine/Gold:** McCurdy Financial Services

Silver: Fleming College-Cobourg Campus, Veridian Connections, Business Advisory Center-Northumberland, ScotiaBank, Port Hope Area Initiative Management Office, Northumberland County **Table Decorations:** Holton Flowers



Excellence is Agriculture
Kim Thomas - Paperworks
Cindy Osland - Osland Sheep and Beef Farm
Renee McLachlan- Paperworks



Excellence in Manufacturing
Judy Selvig - EDO Municipality of Port Hope
Peter Renmarker - AKZO Nobel Wood Coatings
Karen O'Hara - Councillor Municipality of Port Hope



Customer First
Diane Gaffney - Scotia Bank
Cliff Weatherilt - Northumberland Today



Micro Business
Debbie Beatty - Snap Northumberland West
Dave Gibson - Snap Northumberland West
Kassandra Glosbergen - Port Hope Golf & County



Environmental Award
Kim Boomhower - RBC Royal Bank
Andrew Thorne - Cameco Corp.
Shelley Storace - RBC Royal Bank



Hospitality and Tourism
Jeanne Henderson - Hill and Dale Manor
Pat McNeil - Ontario Power Generation



Excellence in Retail
Bud Lauria - Lauria Hyundai / Lauria Motor Sales
Andrew Thorne - Cameco Corp.



Chamber's Choice Unitrak

Cathy Moore - Chamber 1st Vice President
Julie Mavis - Chamber 2nd Vice President
Jennine Huffman - Chamber Past President
Bill Gorline - UniTrak Corporation Ltd
Marie Lytle - UniTrak Corporation Ltd
Sandra Holmes - Chamber Treasurer
Terry White - Chamber President



Councils Choice Award - Northumberland United Way
Ted Watts - Councillor Municipality of Port Hope
Bob Fudge - Councillor Municipality of Port Hope
Dave Turke - Councillor Municipality of Port Hope
Leslie Orapana - 2009 Chair Northumberland United Way
Karen O'Hara - Councillor Municipality of Port Hope
Lynda Kay - Northumberland United Way-Executive Director
Jeff Lees - Deputy Mayor Municipality of Port Hope
Tom Behan - 2010 Chair Northumberland United Way
Linda Thompson - Mayor Municipality of Port Hope