Do you know a reeve, councillor, or administrator with an inspiring story? Nominations for the Lieutenant Governor's Award for Outstanding Service to Rural Saskatchewan are now open! The 2026 nomination period runs April 1 until December 31, and everything you need to know is right here.

Nominations Guidelines

- The Lieutenant Governor's Award for Outstanding Service to Rural Saskatchewan is awarded to a reeve, councillor, or administrator for their lifetime contribution to rural Saskatchewan.
- Retired and/or actively working individuals are eligible.
- Age is not a determining factor.
- Emphasis is placed on the candidate's community service and leadership.
- All candidates MUST be nominated by an RM and be approved and signed by council.
- A completed nomination form must be submitted along with biographical information.
- Applications are valid for a twoyear period; the first year of the nomination and the following year.

The Selection Process

- The selection committee reviews all nominations and selects one individual who has not yet been formally recognized for their exemplary contributions in making rural Saskatchewan a better place to live.
- The committee includes representatives from the following organizations: The Lieutenant Governor of Saskatchewan's Office, Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities, the Ministry of Government Relations, and the Rural Municipal Administrators' Association.
- The award is presented to the successful candidate at the opening ceremonies of the SARM Annual Convention. This forum provides an excellent opportunity to publicly recognize the recipient of this prestigious award.

To submit a nomination or request a nomination form, please contact:

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