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More QE II Platinum Jubilee medals awarded in Calgary

EDMONTON – About 100 outstanding Albertans received Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee medals on Sunday, December 4, at an invitation-only medal ceremony hosted by Alberta Municipalities (ABmunis) at the Hyatt Regency hotel in Calgary.

Citizen community builders, sitting mayors and past ABmunis presidents and lifetime members from central and southern Alberta were on hand to receive medals in recognition of their significant contributions to Canada, Alberta and the communities in which they live and serve.

“These medals recognize the remarkable contributions made by so many community leaders and change-makers from across central and southern Alberta,” said ABmunis President Cathy Heron. “They remind us of how much can be accomplished when we support one another and work together to make our communities great places in which to live, work and raise families.”

The Government of Alberta struck 7,000 Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee medals to commemorate Her Majesty’s unsurpassed 70-year reign. The medals are being distributed to worthy recipients on behalf of the provincial government by numerous partner organizations, including ABmunis.

Journalists may download photos from the December 4 medal awards ceremony by clicking on this link: [QE II Platinum Jubilee medal awards ceremony \(Calgary\)](#)

Please note the images *are not* captioned.

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From the smallest village to the largest city, across every region of the province, Alberta Municipalities (ABmunis) represents the communities where over 85% of Albertans live. Previously known as the Alberta Urban Municipalities Association (AUMA), ABmunis was founded in 1905 to provide urban and rural-region communities a united voice. Alberta Municipalities now serves and represents 275 of Alberta’s 334 municipalities.

We work with elected and administrative leaders of Alberta's summer villages, villages, town, cities, and specialized municipalities to advocate for solutions to their common issues, which we categorize as economic, environment, governance, infrastructure, or social.

And we help them build resilient and thriving communities by providing valuable services. We use our members' combined purchasing power to negotiate the best possible value and competitive pricing on employee benefits, insurance, energy, and other services needed to run an effective and efficient municipality.