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Dear Mayor and Council,

You are invited to the 2018 Awards of Excellence ceremony on Thursday, February 8, 2018 from 5:30-8:00 pm at the Roundhouse Community Arts and Recreation Centre. The evening will feature a reception, entertainment, and award presentations to the youth, individuals and organizations that are making Vancouver a greener, healthier, more inclusive and more prosperous city.

A detailed itinerary will be sent to members of Council closer to the date outlining Councillors' assigned roles in the awards presentation. A complete list of the 2018 Awards of Excellence recipients is below for your reference.

Please reply to <u>lesley.matthews@vancouver.ca</u> by **Friday, February 2, 2018** if you plan to attend. You are also welcome to invite family, friends and supporters to the ceremony by sharing the attached invitation and Eventbrite link with them - https://aoe2018.eventbrite.ca.

Best Sadhu

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2018 Award of Excellence Recipients

Accessible City Award:

- Organization Western Institute for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
- Individual Michael Blonde

Civic Volunteer Award:

- Organization West End-Coal Harbour Community Policing Centre
- Individual Lillian Howard
- Youth Nushaiba Nanjiba

Diversity and Inclusion Award:

- Organization Pace Society
- Individual David C. Jones
- Youth Shivani Mysuria

Greenest City Leadership Award:

- Organization London Drugs
- Individual George Patrick Richard Benson
- Youth Maggie Fong

Healthy City for All Award:

- Organization Local Economic Development Lab
- Individual Carole Christopher
- Youth Ellen Sy

Canada 150+ Award of Excellence:

• Eagle Eyes - Gordon August

Mayor's Achievement Award:

- Organization Overdose Prevention Society
- Individual Vanessa Richards
- Youth Marpole Students for Modular Housing



Mayor Gregor Robertson and Vancouver City Council are pleased to invite you to attend the

AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE

Thursday, February 8, 2018, 5:30 - 8 pm

Roundhouse Community Arts and Recreation Centre Exhibition Hall, 181 Roundhouse Mews, Vancouver

RSVP by February 2 on Eventbrite: http://aoe2018.eventbrite.ca

Let us know if you require assistance related to accessibility, including dietary restrictions.

