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Dear Mayor, Reeve and Members of Council:

I am pleased to invite you to submit a nomination for the **2018 Senior of the Year Award**. This annual award was established in 1994 to give each municipality in Ontario the opportunity to **honour one outstanding local senior**; who, after the age of 65, has enriched the social, cultural, or civic life of his or her community. The award pays tribute to this accomplishment, while simultaneously showing how seniors are making a difference in the lives of those around them.

[Click here to submit a nomination.](#)

**Deadline: April 30, 2018**

A certificate will be provided by the Ontario government and include as signatories: Her Honour the Honourable Elizabeth Dowdeswell, Lieutenant Governor, myself, Minister of Seniors Affairs, and the local Head of Council.

The Government of Ontario is proud to work with municipalities on this initiative. Seniors have generously offered their time, knowledge and expertise to make this province a great place to live and it is important we recognize their valuable contributions.

If you have questions, please contact the Ontario Honours and Awards Secretariat:

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Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dipika Damerla".

Dipika Damerla  
Minister