

## **2025 Enviro-Depot of the Year Awards**

#### Rules

Enviro-Depot of the Year is coordinated and administered by Divert NS. The nomination period begins September 2, 2025 and closes on October 3, 2025. The award recipients will be announced at Divert NS' annual Depot Day event on November 26, 2025.

### How to Nominate

To nominate an Enviro-Depot, you must visit Divert NS' Enviro-Depot of the Year webpage at <a href="https://divertns.ca/enviro-depot-year">https://divertns.ca/enviro-depot-year</a> and complete the digital nomination form before the closing date on October 3. 2025.

# **Eligibility**

The awards are open to all Enviro-Depots in Nova Scotia. All Nova Scotians can nominate their local Enviro-Depot for Enviro-Depot of the Year. Enviro-Depot locations can also self-nominate. Finalists for the awards will be contacted to consent to the nomination.

#### The Awards

Two Enviro-Depots will receive awards as the nominations are categorized for "small" and "large" depots to ensure fair consideration is given to each nominee.

- Small Depot of the Year: Award for a small Enviro-Depot™ (processes less than 5 million containers per year) in Nova Scotia who has been nominated for going above and beyond in their community.
- Large Depot of the Year: Award for a large Enviro-Depot<sup>™</sup> (processes more than 5 million containers per year) in Nova Scotia who has been nominated for going above and beyond in their community.

All decisions made by the judging committee are final.

## **Award Recognition and Presentation**

Award winners will be recognized on Divert NS' website and social media channels, may be promoted via local media, and will be invited to attend the 2025 Depot Day event in Truro, Nova Scotia to receive their award.

### **Please Note**

- By participating in the Enviro-Depot of the Year Awards, each nominee accepts and agrees to these official rules and all decisions of the judging committee.
- All nominations become the property of Divert NS and will not be returned.
- Incomplete nominations and nominations with falsified information will be disqualified. The decision to disqualify any nomination is at the sole discretion of Divert NS and will occur without notice or communication to the nominee. The disqualification decision is final and not subject to review.
- By participating in the Enviro-Depot of the Year Awards, recipients authorize Divert NS to broadcast, publish and otherwise use their name, city/town of residence, comments and photograph for publicity purposes, without any form of remuneration.

Any personal information gathered from nominees will be used solely for the administration of the Enviro-Depot of the Year award, will be kept in a secure and confidential location, and will not be rented or sold. If you wish to cancel your nomination after submission, please mail/email: Divert NS, 35 Commercial Street, Suite 400, Truro, NS B2N 3H9; or info@divertns.ca. If you have questions about how Divert NS collects, uses or discloses your personal information with regards to the Depot of the Year, please contact Lyndsey Darling at Idarling@divertns.ca.

# **Right to Cancel or Modify**

Divert NS reserves the right to modify or cancel the Enviro-Depot of the Year Awards at any time without notice to the nominees.