



PRIME MINISTER . PREMIER MINISTRE

I am pleased to extend my warmest greetings to everyone attending the Consumers' Choice Award gala in Calgary.

In business, there is no greater compliment than earning the trust and loyalty of your customers. I congratulate everyone receiving this award tonight for their business achievement.

On behalf of the Government of Canada, please accept my best wishes for a memorable evening.



The Rt. Hon. Stephen Harper, P.C., M.P.

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Message from Honourable Ed Stelmach Premier of Alberta

On behalf of the Government of Alberta, I am pleased to provide greetings to the nominees and winners of the 2009/2010 Consumers' Choice Awards.

Calgary and area businesses and business people continued to show their skill and commitment over the course of a tough year. It is a testament to their overall excellence that their hard work in meeting the needs of their customers in a challenging business climate shone through. The Consumers' Choice Awards identify and promote this business excellence, and I am pleased to see them recognized.

Congratulations to all the nominees and winners of this year's Consumers' Choice Awards. Best wishes for continued success in the future.

Ed Stelmach

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A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR DAVE BRONCONNIER

On behalf of City Council and the people of Calgary, I am pleased to welcome you to the prestigious Calgary Consumers' Choice Awards. Tonight's Gala honours and provides recognition to pre-eminent Calgary businesses and business people.

Acknowledged around the world as a business community leader, Calgary is the headquarters of numerous commercial ventures. Renown as a regional, national and international city of influence, Calgary is overflowing with business-related success stories. Calgarians are tremendously proud of our unique business acuity, our entrepreneurial and elite services spirit. Generous, philanthropic and kind-hearted our citizens lend their expertise to local causes, support industry development and promote our city at every opportunity.

This is the ninth Consumer Choice Awards ceremony held in Calgary. Awards go to the local "Man and Woman of the Year" as well as the "Businessman and Businesswoman of the Year". Those nominated include Mr. Ric McIver (Alderman, The City of Calgary), Ms. Brienne Glass (News Anchor, Global Calgary), Mr. John Law (President and CEO, Husky Oil) and Ms. Mandie Crawford, (President of Roaring Women).

The CONSUMER CHOICE AWARD™ is a seal of excellence that serves to boost our city's business climate and distinction. For the award recipients this valuable accolade is a crowning achievement that represents earning the trust and loyalty of consumers.

Congratulations to all nominees and recipients of the 2009/2010 Calgary Consumers' Choice Awards. Enjoy your evening!



Dave Bronconnier
MAYOR

