Tom Miller Human Rights Award

Nomination Form



The Tom Miller Human Rights Award honours the legacy of the late Tom Miller, Nova Scotia's first Black alderman. A dedicated, principled and tireless advocate, Tom championed the rights of all Canadians, particularly those facing discrimination or poverty.

The Cape Breton Regional Municipality invites nominations for this award, which recognizes a CBRM resident who has made a significant contribution to advancing human rights in our community. Nominees may be recognized for their leadership in encouraging, promoting, initiating or developing efforts that uphold human rights.

The award recipient and one guest will receive complimentary tickets to the African Heritage Month Gala, where they will be seated with members of Tom's family. The gala will take place at the Membertou Trade and Convention Centre on Saturday, January 30, 2027.

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Nominee information

Name		
Street address		
City or community	**Province**	**Postal code**
Phone	**Email**	

Nominator information

Name		
Street address		
City or community	**Province**	**Postal code**
Phone	**Email**	

Reason for nomination

Describe the nominee's contribution to advancing human rights in the community. Include specific examples of their work and its impact.

Long responses scroll within this field. Attach a separate sheet if needed for printing.

Submit your nomination

Email recreation@cbrm.ns.ca

Mail or deliver CBRM Recreation, 320 Esplanade, Suite 204, Sydney, NS B1P 7B9

Nominations close on December 18, 2026 and the recipient will be notified in early January 2027.