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Local school board trustee and former PSBAA president recognized with Public School Boards' Association of Alberta award

June 6, 2022 (Red Deer, AB) ... A long-serving public school board trustee with Prairie Rose Public Schools has been recognized with the Dick Baker Legacy Award from the Public School Boards' Association of Alberta (PSBAA).

Cathy Hogg, Board Chair and trustee with the Prairie Rose School Division and a former President of the PSBAA, was nominated by Nicole Buchanan, Board Chair and trustee with Red Deer Public Schools.

The Dick Baker Legacy Award is bestowed on a public school board trustee who has modelled the values of integrity, compassion, respect, mentoring, leadership and engagement of the heart and mind while always putting children first.

Nicole said, "Cathy Hogg has been, is, and continues to be a dedicated committed advocate for public education. Her passion and integrity are unwavering. Cathy demonstrates how important relationships are and goes into situations with compassion and understanding."

Cathy wears a pin that says, "Children First," and Nicole added that Cathy puts children front and centre in every conversation she has. "Whether it is a conversation with a friend, colleague, or member of government, there is never a doubt that Cathy Hogg highlights and promotes public education."

The PSBAA held its annual awards evening at its Spring General Assembly in Red Deer. A total of seven awards were presented.

The Public School Boards' Association of Alberta (PSBAA) is the voice of public school boards in the province. We believe public schools are the first choice in our

communities, where children can go to learn and live the values of democracy together, reflecting our hope, and shaping the future of our communities.

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