

Pincourt/NDIP Fire and Emergency Protection Department Recognized for Excellence in Fire Prevention

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ATPIQ Bestows Two Prestigious Awards on the Prevention Division of the Fire and Emergency Protection Department, for Innovative Projects.

The Prevention Division of the Pincourt/Notre-Dame-de-l'Île-Perrot (NDIP) Emergency and Fire Protection and Department has earned two major honours, the Triangle Rouge Award and the Triangle Vert Award, at the annual seminar of the Association des techniciens en prévention incendie du Québec (ATPIQ).

The **Triangle Rouge Award**, given for the creation of prevention tools, was presented for the “Not Just a Bin” program. This project supports residents dealing with compulsive hoarding issues. Over the past five years, this initiative has resolved 20 complex cases by applying an interdisciplinary approach that blends fire safety, psychosocial services and the health care network. Beyond material clean-up, the program provides compassionate support designed to restore dignity and safety for occupants.

The **Triangle Vert Award**, which highlights the quality of awareness activities, was given for a partnership with Chêne-Bleu High School. The service has integrated fire prevention concepts directly into the Secondary 4 chemistry curriculum. This approach has raised awareness among more than 1,260 students by linking science to the realities of firefighting.

“I am proud to see our Fire Service receive such recognition. These awards prove that here, innovation and compassion go hand in hand. Thank you to the team for protecting our citizens and inspiring our youth with such dedication.” said Claude Comeau, Mayor of Pincourt.

“These two recognitions are well deserved. The team puts the community at the centre of its actions every day, and we are extremely proud. A huge congratulations!” said Mrs. Danie Deschênes, Mayor of Notre-Dame-de-l'Île-Perrot.

“These distinctions confirm that innovation and a people-focused approach are pillars of modern public safety. Our team doesn’t just enforce rules; they build bridges with the community to save lives in lasting ways,” stated Nicolas Demurtas, Preventive Measures Manager.

Through these projects, the **Pincourt/NDIP Prevention Division is establishing itself as a provincial leader.** The educational initiative, considered unique in Quebec, is expected to be used as a model by other school service centres in the province.

About the Pincourt/NDIP Fire Protection and Emergency Services

The Service protects citizens and property within the territories of Pincourt and Notre-Dame-de-l'Île-Perrot. In addition to emergency response, its Prevention Division focuses on education, intermunicipal collaboration, and the development of innovative social programs to reduce the risk of disasters.

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