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**CAEM AGM Report
September 2020
AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE**

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The 2020 Awards of Excellence were held on February 27th at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre. Taking on a whole new look; the reception was held in the John Bassett Theatre Foyer, with an formal theatre production in the JBT.

For the first time, winners were announced live, which created an element of surprise and this was very well received. The post awards Networking Reception was held in Rooms 201 / 202 and hosted fabulous food stations in a room with beautiful décor. This format provided excellent networking opportunities for our members.

The total attendance was 142 and the event raised \$10,000, exceeding the goal by \$3000. Sincere thank you to The Metro Toronto Convention Centre, GES, Showtech and Freeman AV (now Encore), who collaboratively stepped up to allow us to produce such an extravagant event at very little cost. Many thanks to the multitude of other sponsors and the committee for their all of their efforts.