



**CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF CHATHAM-KENT  
CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION**

**FEATURE INDUSTRY**

**Bayside Brewing Company**

WHEREAS the Mayor and Council of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent recognize the contribution that corporate citizens have made and are making to enhance the economic health of this community;

Bayside Brewing Company was established in July 2012 by Nancy Cowan and Ken Royal, and their partners Frank Thompson and Josette deBrouwer as Chatham-Kent's first microbrewery. Later that year, in December, they launched Bayside's BrewPub to compliment the craft ales and lagers brewed on site.

Located at 970 Ross Lane, in the lakefront village of Eriean, the Bayside Brewing Company commands gorgeous lake views from inside the dining area and outside on the patio. Once the site of the former 'Tilt 'N' Hilt 'N' Hotel, the newly renovated location received overwhelming support and encouragement from the villagers.

While Bayside Brewing Company's main focus is on brewing craft ales and lagers on site, they are also proudly serving their beer to pubs, restaurants, events, and various licensees throughout Chatham-Kent, Windsor-Essex, Sarnia-Lambton, and the London area. In addition, the public can purchase beer for home from the elegantly designed retail section of the building.

The 60-seat BrewPub restaurant and 110-seat summer patio are casual places for families and friends to re-connect and recharge over fresh and local fare. They have created a unique experience in an ideal location utilizing valuable local employees to stimulate tourism in Eriean. Employing a variety of positions, including Brewery, Retail, Restaurant, and Marketing Managers, Head and Sous Chefs, to name a few, Bayside employs 10 full time employees and 25 seasonal or part time staff.

As a local employer, Bayside Brewing Company hosts many different not-for-profit community events, and donates time and products to local community events. They hope to continue to expand the brewery to allow for further growth in the retail beer market.

NOW THEREFORE I, Randy Hope, Mayor and CEO of the Municipality of Chatham-Kent, proclaim that Bayside Brewing Company is hereby designated as the "Feature Industry" for the month of June 2014.

PROCLAIMED at Chatham-Kent, Ontario this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 2014.

Randy R. Hope  
Mayor/CEO, Municipality of Chatham-Kent

*On Behalf of Chatham-Kent Council:*

Michael Bondy, Jim Brown, Marjorie Crew, Joe Faas, Bryon Fluker, Anne Gilbert, Karen Herman,  
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