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[Ontario Recognizing Outstanding Bravery of Paramedics](#)

Ontario is honouring paramedics from across the province with the Ontario Award for Paramedic Bravery, given to those who have displayed exceptional acts of courage -- performed on the job or off-duty -- in the face of grave, personal danger.

May 31, 2017 | Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care

[Premier Lays Out Plan for Fair Workplaces and Better Jobs for Ontario Workers](#)

Premier Kathleen Wynne gave the following speech today about the government's responsibility to create more opportunity and security for workers with a plan for Fair Workplaces and Better Jobs:*

May 30, 2017 | Office of the Premier

[Ontario Passes Legislation to Lower Electricity Bills by 25 Per Cent](#)

Ontario passed legislation today that will lower electricity bills by 25 per cent on average for all residential customers to provide significant rate relief and ensure greater fairness.

May 31, 2017 | Ministry of Energy

[Ontario Raising Minimum Wage to \\$15 Per Hour](#)

Ontario is proposing the largest increase to the minimum wage in the province's history, raising it to \$15 per hour, as part of a plan to create better jobs and fair workplaces. This will give more than a quarter of employees in the province a pay increase and will help ensure that more workers are benefitting from Ontario's economic growth.

May 31, 2017 | Office of the Premier

[Modernizing Ontario's Construction Laws](#)

Ontario is modernizing provincial construction laws to address key issues and improve efficiency and competitiveness for construction businesses.

May 31, 2017 | Ministry of the Attorney General

[Reminder: Attorney General to Honour Excellence in Victim Services](#)

Attorney General Yasir Naqvi will honour 15 individuals and organizations dedicated to helping victims of crime in Ontario in a ceremony at Queen's Park.

May 31, 2017 | Ministry of the Attorney General

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