

Call for Nominations

Award for Outstanding Contribution to the Sector

This Award recognises and acknowledges a local government professional who, over a minimum of ten years, has made an outstanding contribution to the local government sector in South Australia. The recipient is nominated by their peers and determined by a subcommittee of the Board of LG Professionals SA.

Nominations will be reviewed for the quality, breadth and impact of the nominee's service contributions to the local government sector and community.

Evidence should be presented of service impact that significantly exceeds what might normally be expected. The impact might be on the basis of a single but very important contribution, activities that have served a particularly broad community of beneficiaries, a sustained record of contributions over many years, etc.

Notes:

- No more than one Award will be made each year.
- It is not necessary to make an Award every year.
- The outcome of a nomination will not be shared with the Nominator, unless they are listed as a reference per the criteria for nominating
- LG Professionals SA will call for nominations each year, with nominations for 2024 closing Thursday 28 March 2024.

Criteria for Nominations

Nominators to submit up to 500 words on how the nominee addresses the following, along with the details of three referees who may be contacted for further information.

- For how many years has the nominee served in local government? In what roles, and at which Councils?
- In what ways has the nominee contributed above and beyond the parameters and expectations of their position?
- How has local government benefited from the nominee's contribution and initiatives? What are the nominee's significant contributions to local government?
- In what ways has the nominee supported individual local government colleagues?
- In what ways have they contributed to improvements in local government?
- Is the nominee a member of other professional associations? If so, what is their involvement?

The nomination must be accompanied by the names of three references who should be selected to represent a range of perspectives and institutions and be able to provide additional insights or evidence of the nominee's impact.

Nominations to be received by 5pm, Thursday 28 March 2024 and be submitted to Rhiannon Clarke, Chief Executive Officer at executive@lgprofessionalsa.org.au