

National Awards for Local Government 2012

- be recognised for your hard work!

Are you proud of your council's innovative approach to meeting your community's needs?

The National Awards for Local Government recognise, reward and promote the work of local government across Australia.

Award entries open 1 December 2011.

All elected local government organisations are eligible to enter the Awards.

2012 Award Categories

- **Active Arts**
Sponsored by the Office for the Arts, Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet
- **Asset and Financial Management**
Sponsored by the Department of Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government
- **Engaging and Strengthening Indigenous Communities**
Sponsored by the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs
- **Excellence in Alcohol Management**
Sponsored by the Department of Health and Ageing
- **Improving Services to Remote Communities**
Sponsored by the Department of Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government
- **Innovative Infrastructure Development**
Sponsored by the Department of Infrastructure and Transport
- **Land-Use Planning – Addressing Disaster Risk and Enhancing Resilience**
Sponsored by the Attorney-General's Department, through the Australian Emergency Management Institute
- **Promoting Reconciliation**
Sponsored by the Department of Families, Housing, Community Services and Indigenous Affairs
- **Regional Collaborations**
Sponsored by the Department of Regional Australia, Regional Development and Local Government
- **Rural and Remote Health**
Sponsored by the Department of Health and Ageing
- **Strength in Diversity**
Sponsored by the Department of Immigration and Citizenship

There will also be awards for **Excellence in Road Safety** and for **Women in Local Government**.

Further categories will be announced on our website soon. If you have any questions, please contact the Awards Team by email awards@regional.gov.au or freecall 1800 065 113.

Check out the 2011 winners at the official You Tube Channel at www.youtube.com/user/NALGAwardsTeam

More information can be found at www.regional.gov.au