



# 2023 Local Government Road Safety Awards

## Information Sheet



## Background

The Local Government Road Safety Awards are a joint initiative of the WA Local Government Association's RoadWise and the Institute of Public Works Engineering Australasia – Western Australia Division. The Awards acknowledge achievements by Local Governments in the area of road safety and recognise contributions to safe system implementation including innovation in engineering countermeasures, policy and local road safety partnerships..

The Awards align with WA's Road Safety Strategy 2020-2030, which follows the globally recognised safe system approach to achieve a long-term vision of a road transport system where crashes resulting in death or serious injury are eliminated.

In acknowledging the shift to the safe system approach, the Local Government Road Safety Awards recognise Local Governments that have been innovative in moving towards the adoption and application of systems thinking in the following categories:

- Category A: Safe System Approach - Road Infrastructure Improvements
- Category B: Safe System Approach - Complementary Initiatives
- Category C: Safe System Approach - Local Road Safety Partnerships

## Nominations

Local Governments who work to improve their road network for the safety of their communities are encouraged to nominate for an award.

### Key Dates for 2023

- Nominations open - Monday, 3 April 2023
- Nominations close - Friday, 30 June 2023

## Further Information

For further information about the Awards and submitting nominations, contact your Regional Road Safety Advisor, contact details can be found on the RoadWise website [www.roadwise.asn.au/local-government/road-safety-in-your-area](http://www.roadwise.asn.au/local-government/road-safety-in-your-area).

## Contact Details

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