

Sustainability Leadership

Criteria

Nominations are sought for individuals, households, schools, community groups or small businesses that demonstrate leadership in contributing to a more sustainable Monash.

Achievements may include practical programs or actions, information sharing or policy/strategic outcomes that benefit the community and initiatives leading to positive behaviour change.

The assessment panel will be looking for initiatives or achievements that are inspiring or have educational outcomes.

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How has your nominee demonstrated community involvement and leadership in sustainability? (Bullet points allowed).

Examples may include:

- » Creating a positive sustainable change in the community
- » Initiating a project or being proactive on environmental issues
- » Engaging with the community on sustainability issues (e.g. holding workshops, stalls, meetings, showcases, working bees or open houses)
- » Sharing information about environmental issues (e.g. newsletters, photos, music- using a range of media).

Sustainability Initiatives

Please describe your nominee's key sustainability achievements (bullet points allowed).

Example areas include:

- » Reducing or avoiding waste
- » Reducing energy or water use
- » Recycling
- » Food security and sustainable food
- » Wildlife protection
- » Protecting and looking after our local environment or bushland.

Some activities may also support the priorities under Council's *Environmental Sustainability Strategy 2016-2026*.

Nomination Guidelines

Here are a few guidelines to assist with your nomination

- » Only **one category** can be selected (not multiple categories)
- » People who were **nominated before can be nominated** again
(Previous winners are unable to be nominated for future awards)
- » Ensure **contact details are correct**
- » **Highlight your nominee's achievements** and provide as much detail as possible
- » **Describe the positive changes** the nominee has brought to contribute to a sustainable Monash
- » If relevant, **include supporting documentation** i.e. photos, articles and personal references
- » Make sure your submission contains **at least 250 words**
- » Council staff and Councillors are not able to be nominated.

Submission of nominations

Submit your nomination at www.monash.vic.gov.au/awards

For **assistance completing a nomination**, to receive a hard copy or **translated** form, call 9518 3619.

Nominations **close Wednesday 5 June** 2024.

Awards ceremony

Held Thursday 22 August, at the Museum of Australian Photography, Wheelers Hill.

For more information or assistance with your nomination

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