



**SHIRE OF CHRISTMAS ISLAND
PUBLIC NOTICE**

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COMMUNITY CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARDS 2017

At the Ordinary Council Meeting held on Tuesday 27 September 2016, Council approved the Community Citizen of the Year Awards 2017 (formerly the Premier's Active Citizenship Awards) program.

The Shire of Christmas Island is calling for nominations from inspiring community members or community groups from our community on Christmas Island to be considered for the Award that will be presented in conjunction with the celebration of Australia Day 2017.

The four award categories are:

- Citizen of the Year
- Citizen of the Year – Youth (under 25 years)
- Citizen of the Year – Senior (over 65 years)
- Active Citizenship – Group or Event

A Judging Panel comprised of Cr Hafiz Masli, Cr Rosnah Pal, Cr Gordon Thomson and the Acting CEO Mr David Price was also established.

Nominations are now open and close on Monday 31 October 2016. Nominations can only be done online from <http://www.citizenshipawards.com.au/> and further information can be obtained from this website too.

For further information please contact Council's Acting Manager Community Services, Ms Susan De Cruz on 9164 8300.

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Acting Chief Executive Officer