SUPPORTING TENNIS – LOCAL GOVERNMENT
NOMINATION CRITERIA

The Award period for the 2023 Tennis NSW Awards is September 2022 - August 2023.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA
An award will be presented to one Local Government Authority, who is judged to have provided outstanding engagement with and support of tennis in their community. This award is open to all 128 Councils in NSW.

SELECTION CRITERIA
The selection panel will consider the following in assessing nominations, based on Tennis NSW's Vision 2025 Strategic Plan which are:

- Outstanding engagement and collaboration with Tennis NSW and local tennis stakeholders throughout the Award period
- Support/partnership/direct investment provided that has enabled venues to be more sustainable, accessible, accountable, inclusive and deliver enhanced community benefit - e.g.
    - Enhancing tennis infrastructure and/or innovation in facility design
    - Has developed / is in the process of developing a tennis strategy or engaged in tennis facility planning
    - Supporting and driving the adoption of digital accessibility initiatives across the area
    - Implementation of effective and balanced management models that support the growth of the sport and enhanced offerings and service provided to the community (including around leases, licenses and management agreements)
    - Local area promotion, forums, support in attracting and hosting tennis events, club development and good governance, child safety
    - Other innovation that has delivered improved participation and experiences for the community, particularly those that promote diversity, inclusion and safety

SELECTION PROCESS
Only information provided in the nomination forms and the supporting information attached to the submission will be considered by the selection panel. For nomination forms and relevant supporting information to be considered, nominators <u>must</u> submit the nomination form through the online platform. Supporting documentation can be submitted via the online form as well as a minimum of one (1) high resolution image.

Tennis NSW reserves the right to submit nominations for each award category.

The selection panel in its absolute discretion will determine all decisions in relation to the 2023 Tennis NSW Awards (including any questions in relation to eligibility). All decisions are final, and no correspondence will be entered.

Tennis NSW reserves the right to not award a recipient in any given category if the nominations submitted do not meet the nomination requirements.

TIMELINE

Wednesday 2 August 2023: Nominations open

- Nominations will only be accepted through the Tennis NSW Awards Online form which can be found on our website https://www.tennis.com.au/nsw/about-us/events/nsw-tennis-awards
- No nominations will be accepted without a high-res image of the nominee

Sunday 3 September 2023: Nominations close

Thursday 19 October 2023: Tennis NSW Awards

REQUIREMENTS OF AWARD RECIPIENTS

The successful recipients will be required to fulfill the following items upon reasonable request:

- If required, participate in marketing and promotional activities in the 12 months following the event
- If required, participate in tennis pilot programs and initiatives