**2025 NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH AUSTRALASIA**

**MALCOLM GRANT OAM VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD**

*In recognition of an individual who has volunteered their time with Neighbourhood Watch (NHW) in Australia or Neighbourhood Support New Zealand (NSNZ), empowering people and communities through the development of strong partnerships, reducing the fear of crime,   
and promoting safer communities, engagement and social inclusion.*

**Apply online at:** [**www.nhwa.com.au/newsmedia/awards/**](http://www.nhwa.com.au/newsmedia/awards/)

**or email: admin@nhwa.com.au by Friday, 31 October 2025.**

While there is no set word limit, your application should not exceed pages. **Please attach all supporting documentation to your online form or email when submitting your application. Unlimited attachments.**

**NOMINEE INFORMATION**

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| Name: | Title: |
| NHW Group: | NHW Region: |
| Telephone: | Email: |
| Postal address: | State: |
| Length of NHW Service: | |
| Positions held (Please specify the level: State, District, or Area at NHW): | |
| NHW Awards/Recognition received previously: | |
| Other external Awards/Recognition received, if relevant: | |
| **AWARD CRITERIA**  **How has the nominee contributed to 3 or more of the below Award Criteria?**   * Reduce or prevent crime and disorder * Reduce fear of crime * Address issues relating to anti-social behaviour * Build community spirit and cohesion * Reassure members of the public * Enhance partnerships and/or working with other community groups * Improve the quality of life within local communities * Create safer neighbourhoods * Reporting of suspicious or criminal activity to police | |

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| **Where possible, provide examples that refer to the above Award Criteria.**  Evidence of contribution to NHW.    Reduction and/or prevention of crime and disorder. Reduction of fear of crime. Addressing issues related to anti-social behaviour.    Building community spirit and cohesion. Reassuring members of the public. Enhancing partnerships and/or working with other community groups.    Improve the quality of life within local communities. Creating safer neighbourhoods. Reporting of suspicious or criminal activity to police.    Explain how the nominee upholds one or more of Neighbourhood Watch Australasia's core values: Safety, Community, Inclusion, Integrity, and Professionalism.    Summarise why the nominee is deserving of the Neighbourhood Watch Australasia (NHWA) Malcolm Grant OAM Volunteer of the Year Award. |

**NOMINATOR INFORMATION**

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| Nominator: | Telephone: |
| Email: | |
| Postal address: | |
| Referee: | Telephone: |
| Email: | |
| **Does the nomination have the support of the relevant NHW jurisdiction?** Yes / No | |
| **Any other information relevant to the nomination:** | |
| **Please include supporting materials such as newspaper articles, photos, letters, or other relevant information. If possible, submit these documents in PDF or JPEG format.**  There is no limit to the number of attachments. | |

**Thank you for nominating a NHW or NSNZ volunteer.**

**NOTE:** NHWA Award nominations are **evaluated by an independent panel of delegates from across Australia.** The Award is coordinated by the NHWA National Office, and **winners are selected based on the information provided in the application.**

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