

The Eastern Region Local Government Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Forum presents:

The 2017 Pauline McLeod Awards for Reconciliation

These community awards will again be sponsored in 2017 by the Eastern Region Local Government Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Forum (ERLGATSIF), which incorporates the City of Sydney, Bayside, Inner West, Randwick, Waverley and Woollahra Councils.

One of the pivotal objectives of the Forum is to promote Reconciliation on a regional basis.

The Pauline McLeod Awards aim to recognise those "silent achievers" who have worked so diligently in promoting Reconciliation through selfless acts. They may be your neighbours, work colleagues, family members or acquaintances. They will have one thing in common, and that is their desire to improve the quality of life for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples living or working within one or more of the above Local Government Areas.

Reconciliation can be most meaningful when the smallest gesture is performed. An individual or group may hold an activity or event with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and non-Indigenous peoples. They may have formed a touch footy club; held regular morning teas in the community; or provided equal employment opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

The Eastern Region Local Government Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Forum is offering the community an opportunity to be a part of the celebration for Reconciliation Week by nominating an individual or organisation in the region that has demonstrated their commitment to reconciliation over the past year. Nominees must either live, work or study within the local government areas of the City of Sydney, Randwick, Waverley, Woollahra, Botany Bay or Leichhardt.

There are two Award categories: the **Pauline McLeod Youth Award** is open to individuals 12 - 24 years old or groups consisting of young people in that age group; and the **Pauline McLeod Award** is open to individuals of any age and all other groups and organisations.

Nominations close Friday 5th May 2017 at 5pm.

Winners will be presented awards at the Pauline McLeod Award Ceremony which will be held during Reconciliation Week, at Bondi Pavilion on Friday 26th May 2017. The ceremony will include an exhibition of entries into the Pauline McLeod Primary School Art Competition and the Pauline McLeod High School Short Film Competition

For further information please contact the Coordinator of the Awards, Rebekah Raymond by email: <u>rebekah.raymond@innerwest.nsw.gov.au</u> or phone: (02) 9367 9106.

We look forward to receiving this year's nominations.

Kind Regards, Eastern Region Local Government Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Forum



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Nomination Form

Award Categories: (Please tick one)

- ☐ Pauline McLeod Youth Award (12 24 years old)
- Pauline McLeod Award (25 years+)

Nominee Details

Full Name:			
	(Individual/Group/ Organisation/ Company)		
Contact Person:	(From Group/ Organisation/ Company)		
Address:			
Suburb:	State:	. Postcode:	
Phone No.:	Mobile:		
Email:			
Date of Birth:	(If nomination in Youth Catego	ory)	
Nominator (your) Details			
Full Name:	(Individual/Group/ Organisation/ Company)		
Contact Person:			
(From Group/ Organisation/ Company)			
Address:			
Suburb:	State:	Postcode:	
Phone No.:	Mobile:		
Email:			

Describe why you wish to nominate this person or organisation for the Pauline McLeod Awards for Reconciliation. What are their achievements? (Approx 250 words)

Please note and attach copies (only) of any relevant supporting documentation:

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For more information call: Rebekah Raymond (02) 9367 9106

Please return nominations to: Rebekah Raymond

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