

Australian Vessel Traffic Services Award nomination form

About the award

The Australian Vessel Traffic Services (VTS) Award recognises outstanding contributions by a VTS to the safety of life at sea, safety and efficiency of navigation, and protection of the marine environment which is beyond their normal operational scope.

Eligibility

The award is for contributions made during 2021. It is open to VTS authorities, VTS centres, individual VTS's and individuals employed by VTS authorities.

Nominations

Visit our website for more information about criteria and how to submit your nomination: amsa.gov.au/vtsaward

Submissions close 5pm Monday 28 February 2022.

Nominees details

Who are you nominating for the award?	<input type="checkbox"/> Individual/s	Name(s)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Group	
	<input type="checkbox"/> VTS Centre	
	<input type="checkbox"/> VTS Authority	
Contact details of nominees	Address	
	Mobile	
	Work phone	
	Email	
Is the nominee aware of the nomination?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

Nominated by

Name	
Email	
Work phone	
Mobile	
<input type="checkbox"/> I certify that the information contained in this nomination is true and correct	
Signature	
Date	

Submitting your nomination

Please describe the activity that prompted this nomination, in less than 800 words.

You can use the guide below to help you.

You can also include the following to support your evidence:

- photographs
- reports
- letters
- witness contact detail
- multimedia files such as incident replays, voice files or screen captures.

Nomination Guide

You can use this guide to help you write about why you are making your nomination.

Your evidence could include:

- The facts about the event or the contribution:
 - what was achieved
 - how this was more than 'business as usual'
 - what would have happened if the VTS did not assist/intervene
 - number of people involved in the team work
 - who was helped
 - estimated costs saved
- How the activity contributed to one or more of the following:
 - safety of life at sea
 - safety of navigation

- search and rescue
- efficiency of vessel traffic movement
- protection of the marine environment
- supporting maritime security
- protection of adjacent communities and infrastructure
- supporting law enforcement

- An event where a VTS contributed to the safety of life at sea, improved the safety and efficiency of navigation, or supported the protection of the environment within a VTS area by mitigating the development of an unsafe situation.
- How the VTS helped another agency with a successful response activity (e.g. pollution response).
- How the event helped to improve safety, efficiency, safety culture or delivery of service
- How leadership and/or innovation contributes to significant enhancements to the service provided or to the national or international framework for VTS
- How the VTS showed the use of best practices.

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Nominations will be judged based on the information provided. The VTS award selection panel will not contact the nominator or seek any additional information.

Nomination evidence (in less than 800 words)