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Media Release

SPASA Victoria Proud Finalists for Association Achievement of the Year Award

SPASA Victoria is extremely proud to be announced as a finalist for the Association Achievement of the Year Award.

The Association Achievement of the Year Award is presented to an association that has made an outstanding achievement in a particular project, area of operations, governance, activity or initiative.

"SPASA Victoria is thrilled to be nominated for this important award. For over a decade, SPASA Victoria advocated for mandatory pool and spa barrier inspections in Victoria and we are elated that the decision to implement a mandatory barrier inspection program in Victoria has been made by the Andrews Government," says SPASA Victoria CEO, Chris Samartzis.

The award is judged by Associations Forum, a body committed to assisting associations and charities in governance, operations, membership and finances.

SPASA Victoria entered this award with a submission on their <u>Pool and Spa Safety campaign</u>, which resulted in legislation change that mandated pool and spa barrier inspections in Victoria.

The Association Awards will be presented at Association Forum's National Conference Dinner on Monday 15 July 2019.



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