

LIFE MEMBERSHIP OF ANZASW

1. All nominations for Life membership shall be made to the Chief Executive in the first instance, to be received no later than August. The Chief Executive will then present to the Governance Board.
2. Nominations are required to be supported by more than one Branch/Roopu (i.e. seconded by a Branch/Roopu other than the Branch/Roopu to which the member belongs) and with the acceptance, in writing, of the nominee who shall also provide a current curriculum vitae.
3. Nominations of Tangata Whenua members are to be considered by a National Hui of Maori members.
4. All nominations shall require the recommendation of the Governance Board before being forwarded for ratification at a general meeting of the Association, normally the Annual General Meeting in November each year.
5. At each point of the process the nominator (and nominee) is to be kept advised of progress with the nomination.
6. In consideration of any award of Life membership the following guidelines should be considered:
 - i. Nominees should have a minimum of 10 years membership, unless there are exceptional circumstances.
 - ii. The contribution of nominees to the Association is outstanding and clearly demonstrated.
 - iii. The award of Life membership is limited, as a very special honour, to approximately 1% of the Association's total membership at any time.

NB: Whilst the life member will not be subject to membership fees, they will still need to maintain Professional Indemnity Insurance and the Disciplinary Levy, as well as any other future costs that may be associated with membership of ANZASW.