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From: Simon Rickard – General Manager – Member Engagement & Sport

Date: 16 September 2026

Action: Submit EOI by Sunday 27 September at 11.59 pm 2026.

ASC Committee Expressions of Interest now Open (Winter – IRB and Pool Committees)

Life Saving Victoria (LSV) is seeking Expressions of Interest from experienced and passionate volunteers to Chair key committees of the Aquatic Sports Council (ASC).

As part of LSV's governance reforms, specialist volunteer committees are being established to provide expertise, advice and leadership across key areas of lifesaving sport. Committee Chairs play an important leadership role in shaping the future of sport by leading these volunteer committees

Expressions of Interest are currently open for the following Committee's:

- Pool Committee
- IRB Committee

For further information and to apply click - [HERE](#)

Pool Committee

LSV is seeking expressions of interest for **up to 6 Committee Member positions**, in addition to the appointed Chair and CEO Delegate.

We are looking for people who can collectively bring experience and knowledge across areas including:

- Pool lifesaving competition
- Coaching and athlete development
- Officiating
- Competition and event delivery
- Participation growth and development

- Metropolitan and regional club perspectives

The final Committee composition will seek an appropriate balance of skills, experience and perspectives.

The Pool Committee will support:

- Planning and development of the Victorian pool lifesaving competition calendar
- Competition formats, events and delivery
- Safe, consistent and positive competition experiences
- Opportunities to increase participation and introduce new clubs and athletes to pool lifesaving
- Development pathways for athletes, coaches and officials
- Victorian State Team selection, including State Coach and Team Manager roles
- Consistent application of competition rules and requirements
- Improvements based on feedback from clubs, athletes, coaches and officials
- Alignment with national pool lifesaving competition requirements and the LSV Sport Strategy

Please refer to the attached [Pool Committee Terms of Reference](#) for more information.

IRB Committee

LSV is seeking expressions of interest for **up to 5 Committee Member positions**, in addition to the appointed Chair and CEO Delegate.

We are looking for people who can collectively bring experience and knowledge from different parts of IRB racing, including:

- Athlete/competitor experience
- Team management
- Senior officiating
- Coaching and competitor development
- IRB competition, safety or operational experience
- Participation and development of IRB racing

The final Committee composition will seek an appropriate balance of skills, experience and perspectives, including metropolitan and regional club representation.

The IRB Committee will support:

- Planning and development of the Victorian IRB competition calendar
- IRB carnival and championship formats and delivery
- Safe, consistent and positive competition experiences
- Opportunities to increase participation in IRB racing across Victoria
- Regional collaboration and opportunities for clubs developing their IRB racing programs

- Development pathways for competitors, coaches and officials
- Consistent application of IRB competition rules and requirements
- Improvements based on feedback from clubs, competitors, coaches and officials
- Alignment with Surf Life Saving Australia competition requirements and the LSV Sport Strategy

Please refer to the attached [IRB Committee Terms of Reference](#) for more information.

For further information, please review the relevant Terms of Reference or contact:

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