

BUTCH LENTON MEMORIAL BUSH COUNCIL INNOVATION AWARD

In recognition of the innovative contribution to Queensland made by Graeme 'Butch' Lenton as Mayor of Winton Shire Council, Peak Services continues the annual Butch Lenton Memorial Bush Council Innovation Award.

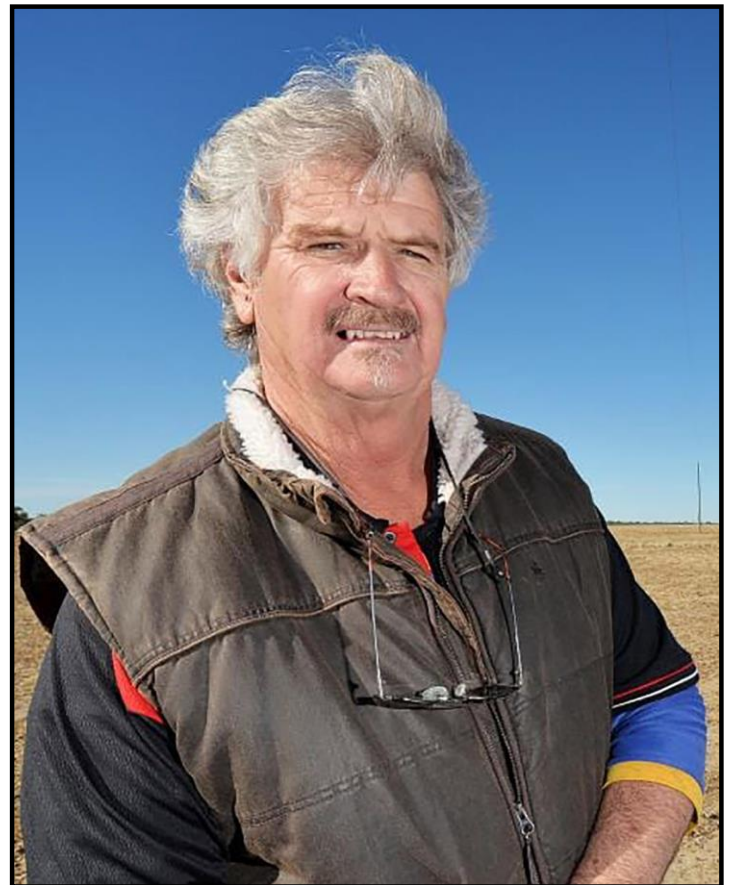
Butch, who passed away on 1 October 2017, spent more than 20 years - first as a councillor, then as mayor - pursuing his unique vision for the region in which he was born and raised. That vision extended far beyond driving the traditional agricultural and grazing industries existing in the area. It included developing tourism, renewable energy and telecommunications as key features of a thriving local economy.

The award is a small way for us to recognise innovation in Bush Councils and pay tribute to Butch's legacy. He was the driving force behind rebuilding the Waltzing Matilda Centre and the Geothermal Energy plant that Peak, have been managing, as well as many other innovative projects.

The award will be presented at the LGAQ Annual Conference each year and showcased at the Bush Councils Convention, held every two years.

We are seeking nominations for a council group or individual who would like to undertake or have completed an activity which demonstrates innovation.

The successful application will be awarded with a bursary of \$10,000 which will go towards the nominated innovative activity. The nominations will be judged by the committee made up of; LGAQ Chief Executive Officer Greg Hallam AM, Peak Services



Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer
Brent Reeman, Mayor of Barcaldine Regional
Council Rob Chandler and Mayor of McKinlay Shire
Council Belinda Murphy.

Applications open on 1 May 2019.

Nominations close on 13 September 2019.

APPLICATION FORM

NOMINEE:

Name/s: _____

Name of council: _____

Telephone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

NOMINATED BY:

Name/s: _____

Name of council: _____

Telephone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

SIGNED: _____

DATE: _____

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PLEASE LIST THE INNOVATIVE ACTIVITY YOU WOULD LIKE TO NOMINATE. THE ACTIVITY DOES NOT NEED TO HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AND CAN BE IN THE PLANNING STAGES.

(PLEASE ATTACH FURTHER PAGES AS REQUIRED TO SUPPORT YOUR NOMINATION)

PLEASE OUTLINE HOW YOUR COUNCIL WILL USE THE BURSARY FUNDING SHOULD YOU WIN?

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GUIDELINES:

Nominations are open to the following councils:

- Aurukun Shire Council
- Balonne Shire Council
- Banana Shire Council
- Barcaldine Regional Council
- Barcoo Shire Council
- Blackall-Tambo Regional Council
- Boulia Shire Council
- Bulloo Shire Council
- Burke Shire Council
- Carpentaria Shire Council
- Charters Towers Regional Council
- Cloncurry Shire Council
- Cherbourg Aboriginal Shire Council
- Croydon Shire Council
- Cook Shire Council
- Diamantina Shire Council
- Doomadgee Aboriginal Shire Council
- Ethridge Shire Council
- Flinders Shire Council
- Goondiwindi Regional Council
- Hope Vale Aboriginal Shire Council
- Isaac Regional Council
- Kowanyama Aboriginal Shire Council
- Lockhart River Aboriginal Shire Council
- Longreach Regional Council
- Mapoon Aboriginal Shire Council
- Maranoa Regional Council
- Mareeba Shire Council
- McKinlay Shire Council
- Mornington Shire Council
- Murweh Shire Council
- Napranum Aboriginal Shire Council
- North Burnett Regional Council
- Northern Peninsula Area Regional Council
- Paroo Shire Council
- Palm Island Aboriginal Shire Council
- Pormpuraaw Aboriginal Shire Council
- Quilpie Shire Council
- Richmond Shire Council
- South Burnett Regional Council
- Southern Downs Regional Council
- Tablelands Regional Council
- Torres Strait Island Regional Council
- Winton Shire Council
- Woorabinda Aboriginal Shire Council
- Wujal Wujal Aboriginal Shire Council
- Yarrabah Aboriginal Shire Council



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Only nominations that are deemed innovative by the judging committee will be accepted.

If one of the judging committee members are affiliated with a nomination (council) they will excuse themselves from judging that nomination.

Nominations must be received by the closing date of 1 August 2019.

The bursary will be awarded at the LGAQ Annual Conference to be held 14-16 October at the Cairns Convention Centre.

Please submit your applications via email to ssakzewski@wearepeak.com.au.

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