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Accord in top honour

THE Vincent Accord has been recognised at the Injury Control Council of WA's Injury Prevention awards.

The Accord includes the WA Police, local government, venue managers and other State Government bodies, working with the community to prevent injuries and help make the Town of Vincent a safer place.

It was established in 2005 and since then, there has been a decrease in assaults around licensed premises and a reduction in the level of noise complaints and anti-social behaviour.

The Accord was highly commended in the category for Community Injury Prevention. ICCWA chief executive Deborah Costello said reducing alcohol and drug related harm involved all levels of government and community.

"The Vincent Accord has certainly taken this approach and we applaud their efforts," she said.