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Carol Lloyd

It is with great sadness LPA acknowledges the passing of Australian musician and rock icon Carol Lloyd on Monday 13 February 2017.

Widely known as a trailblazer in rock'n'roll, Carol established an incredibly successful career as a singer-songwriter in Australia and internationally.

Acting as the front woman of Railroad Gin and the Carol Lloyd Band and eventually, a solo artist, Carol has toured with AC/DC, Suzi Quatro, Billy Thorpe, Skyhooks, Daddy Cool, the Little River Band, Stevie Wright and Matt Taylor of Chain.

She was the first Australian artist to secure a worldwide publishing contract with EMI and garnered international success with Railroad Gin for their songs *A Matter Of Time*, *Do Ya Love Me* and *You Told The World*.

In October 2016, the Carol Lloyd Award was established in her honour, providing \$15,000 to an emerging female singer-songwriter from Queensland, with funds directed towards recording and touring.

Queensland Premier Anastacia Palaszczuk confirmed that the government would support the Carol Lloyd Award which will be announced at the Queensland Music Festival launch this year.

"Carol was a trailblazer in rock'n'roll and she was passionate about encouraging the next generation of musicians," Ms Palaszczuk said in a statement. "She was a family friend and an inspiration to me."

LPA would like to extend our sincerest condolences to Carol's family, friends and colleagues.



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