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David Ashmore brings a wealth of expertise and experience ideally suited for appointment to the Yarra Ranges Audit and Risk Management Committee with over four decades of experience as a Chartered Accountant and commitment to governance excellence and strategic leadership.

Throughout his career, David has held various key positions in both the corporate and public sectors. He served as a Partner at Ernst & Young and later at Grant Thornton, specialising in Audit and Assurance services. During his tenure, he managed a diverse portfolio of clients across the Public, Private, and Not-for-Profit sectors, demonstrating his versatility and proficiency in financial management.

David's involvement in Audit and Risk Committees spans over fifteen years, with dedicated service on Committees for local councils such as Stonnington, Yarra, and Baw Baw. His leadership in these Committees, including serving as Chair, showcases his adeptness in guiding organisations towards effective risk management and governance practices.

In addition to his roles in Local Government Committees, David has also contributed to ASX listed companies, including his current position as Chairman at Saferoads Holdings Ltd. His extensive corporate background and directorships highlight his strategic oversight and governance expertise in various organisational settings.

David's professional affiliations include being a Fellow of both the Australian Institute of Chartered Accountants and the Financial Services Institute of Australia, as well as a Graduate of the Australian Institute of Company Directors. These memberships underscore his commitment to professional excellence and adherence to governance best practices.

David's approachable demeanour and collaborative style further enhance his ability to navigate complex situations with composure and tact, making him a valuable asset to any organisation's Audit and Risk Management Committee.

Driven by his aspiration to leverage his extensive experience to empower dynamic businesses in cultivating resilience, value, and ethical governance practices, David remains dedicated to his goal of contributing meaningfully to organisational success.