

Policy Number	Policy Title
<b>CP01</b>	<b>Localised Purchasing (Regional Price Preference Policy)</b>

## OBJECTIVE

To ensure that Local Suppliers have every opportunity to provide goods and services for purchase by Council.

## POLICY

The Shire of Irwin may apply a regional price preference to tenders and quotations above \$1,000 (excluding GST) for the supply of goods, services and construction services, unless the CEO under delegation resolves that this policy not apply to a particular quotation or tender.

### Price preference

The following price preferences may be applied under this policy:

- 10% for goods and services up to a maximum price reduction of \$50,000 (excluding GST).
- 5% for Construction (building services) up to a maximum price reduction of \$50,000 (excluding GST).
- 10% for goods and services – including construction (building services) up to a maximum price reduction of \$500,000 (excluding GST) if tenders/quotations are being sought for the first time for goods and services that are currently being undertaken by Council.

### Regional business preference

- The price preference is applicable to businesses/contractors located within the Shire of Irwin, which is defined as a supplier having a type of physical presence (shop, depot, outlet, headquarters or other premises where the goods or services specifically being provided are supplied from).
- The price of the bids from local businesses/contractors will be reduced (for evaluation purposes only), by the amounts set out in the section *Price preference* of this policy.

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<b>Responsible Directorate:</b>	Chief Executive Officer		
<b>Legislation:</b>	Local Government Act 1995 Local Government (Functions and General) Regulations 1996		
<b>Related Policies and/or Procedures:</b>	Delegation CEO36 Application of Regional Price Preference Policy Record Keeping Plan Code of Conduct CP20 Purchasing Purchasing Procedure Manual		