

# Policy document



## STRATEGIC

# PROCUREMENT

## Head of Power

Section 198 of the *Local Government Regulation 2012*.

### Key Supporting Council Document

Lockyer Valley Regional Council Corporate Plan 2017-2022

5.1 *Undertake robust and accountable financial, resource and infrastructure planning and management to ensure affordable and sustainable outcomes for our community.*

## Definitions

N/A

## Policy Objective

This policy establishes the procurement principles to be used by Lockyer Valley Regional Council in undertaking all procurement activities for the organisation.

## Policy Statement

Lockyer Valley Regional Council will carry out all procurement activities in accordance with the prescribed legislative framework and its Procurement Procedures Handbook.

To do so, Council will apply the sound contracting principles of:

- Value for money
- Open and effective competition
- The development of competitive local business and industry
- Environmental protection and

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- Ethical behaviour and fair dealing

Council will apply the ethics principles of integrity and impartiality, promoting the public good, commitment to the system of government, and accountability and transparency in undertaking its procurement activities.

Council will apply sound contracting practices when making its contracts to carry out work, supply goods or services, or dispose of non-current assets.

Council will also provide a framework for the development and implementation of systems, practices and controls for efficient, effective and economic financial and performance management in its procurement activities.

## Related Documents

Lockyer Valley Regional Council – *Procurement Procedures Handbook*