## **Selected Local Government Purchasing Policies - Purchase Threshold Comparison**

Local Government	Purchase Value Threshold 1	Purchase Value Threshold 2	Purchase Value Threshold 3	Purchase Value Threshold 4	Purchase Value Threshold 5
	Up to \$1,000	From \$1,001 and up to \$20,000	From \$20,001 and up to \$60,000	From \$60,001 and up to \$250,00	Over \$250,000
Town of Bassendean	Direct Purchase	Obtain at least Two (2) written quotations	Informal RFQ, seek three written quotations	Formal RFQ, seek at least three written quotations	Request for Tender (RFT)
City of Vincent	Up to \$2000	\$2,001 and up to \$20,000	Over \$20,001 and up to \$100,000	\$100,001 and up to \$250,000	Over \$250,000
	Direct Purchase from the open market with zero quotations required.	Seek two written quotations from the open market.	Seek three written quotations from the open market	Formal RFQ, with three written quotations. OR	Request for Tender  OR
	OR  Purchase directly from: an existing panel of pre-qualified suppliers administered by the City; or a pre-qualified supplier on the WALGA Preferred Supply Program or State Government CUA; with zero quotations required.	OR  Purchase directly from: an existing panel of pre-qualified suppliers administered by the City; or a pre-qualified supplier on the WALGA Preferred Supply Program or State Government CUA; with zero quotations required	OR  Purchase directly from: an existing panel of pre-qualified suppliers administered by the City; or a pre-qualified supplier on the WALGA Preferred Supply Program or State Government CUA; requiring two written quotations	Seek three (3) written quotations from a pre- qualified panel of suppliers (whether administered by the City through the WALGA preferred supply program or State Government CUA).	Where the purchase is expected to be over \$250,000: Obtain at least three written quotations from suppliers by formal invitation under a Request for Quotation (RFQ),
City of Bayswater	Up to \$150  Direct purchase  Over \$150 to \$1,000	Over \$1,000 and up to \$40,000  Three written quotations	\$40,000 - \$250,000 Informal RFQ	N/A	Over \$250,000  Request for Tender. WALGA-Preferred Supply Contracts considered only where competitive quotations can be achieved.
Town of Claremont	\$1,000 to \$5,000  Two oral or written quotations	Over \$5,000 and up to \$15,000  Two oral or written quotations from suppliers following issue of a brief outlining the specified requirement	Over \$15,000 and up to \$50,000  Three written quotations from suppliers following issue of a brief outlining the specified requirement	Over \$50,000 and up to \$250,000  Formal RFQ, with three written quotations. From pre-qualified suppliers, formal RFQ not required, but three written quotations required.	Over \$250,000  Request for Tender
Town of Cottesloe	Up to \$2,000 Direct purchase	\$2,000 to \$10,000  Two verbal quotations	\$10,000 to \$50,000  Two written quotations	\$50,000 to \$250,000  Three written quotations.	\$250,000 and above  Request for Tender

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	Up to \$5,000	Over \$5,001 and up to \$20,000	Over \$20,001 and up to \$50,000	Over \$50,001 and up to \$250,000	Over \$250,000
Town of East Fremantle	Direct purchase using Purchasing card, or one oral or written quotation	Two written quotations	Three written quotations	Formal RFQ, with three written quotations	Request for Tender, unless the purchasing requirement can be met through a panel of pre-qualified suppliers
Town of Victoria Park	Up to \$5,000	From \$5,000 up to \$50,000	From \$50,000 up to \$250,000	N/A	Above \$250,000
	One quotation	Three written quotations	Three written quotations		Request for Tender, unless the purchasing requirement can be met through a panel of pre-qualified suppliers
	\$0 to \$5,000	\$5,001 to \$50,000	\$50,001 to \$100,000	\$100,001 to \$250,000	Over \$250,000
City of Subiaco	One verbal or written quotation	Two written quotationsten quotation can be in the form of an advertised price.	Informal RFQ, with three written quotations	Formal RFQ	Request for Tender, or formal RFQ with three written quotations for tender exempt arrangement
	Under \$5,000	From \$5,001 to \$50,000	From \$50,001 to \$250,000	N/A	Over \$250,000
Town of Mosman Park	One verbal or one written quotation	Three written quotations, or one written quotation for WALGA/CUA preferred supplier	Three written quotations		Request for Tender, or formal RFQ with three written quotations for tender exempt arrangement