

ConnectSydney Sustainability Procurement Policy

Sydney Roads Asset Performance Contracts
Harbour Zone

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PURPOSE

This policy outlines our commitment in the delivery of the **Sydney Roads Asset Performance Contract (SRAPC)**: Harbour Zone to delivering long-term social, economic and environmental benefits. We acknowledge that our suppliers play an important role in helping us achieve a positive legacy for the entire SRAPC. This policy aligns with and supports: ISO20400:2017, the ISC (Infrastructure Sustainability Council) Procurement credits, TfNSW policies and the contract's Sustainability, APIC (Aboriginal Participation in Construction), Workforce Development, Safety and Environmental Requirements.

OBJECTIVES

- To deliver positive social and environmental outcomes across our supply chain by evaluating suppliers against non-financial sustainability (environmental or social) criteria.
- Use procurement as a driver for innovation to deliver long term benefits to the network, the environment and local communities.
- Encourage our major suppliers to pursue continuous improvement to achieve measurable change.
- Purchase necessary products and services on an 'as-needed' basis and sourcing sustainable alternatives.

POLICY

The contract seeks to engage in business with contractors and suppliers who share our values to:

- Work collaboratively to aspire to achieve an ISC rating of Excellence for the first works period.
- Select preferred goods and materials based on their capacity to be reused or repurposed at end of life.
- Implement processes and technologies that demonstrate a reduction of energy, waste and water during maintenance and capital/upgrade works.
- Deliver against incremental carbon reduction targets for all emissions scopes.
- Manage environmental, social, and ethical issues and opportunities encountered in their organisation and provide relevant information on performance in those areas when requested.
- Maximise procurement spend with Aboriginal-owned businesses.
- Continually monitor, mitigate and report adverse sustainability impacts from their own activities, or those linked to their supply chain.

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