



PROCUREMENT REVIEW

OPERATIONAL WORK PLAN

Mandate commitment of the 19th Legislative Assembly

Government of
Northwest Territories



GOVERNMENT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES PROCUREMENT REVIEW

12 MONTH OPERATIONAL WORK PLAN TO REVIEW AND IMPLEMENT CHANGES TO GOVERNMENT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES (GNWT) PROCUREMENT POLICIES AND PRACTICES

Category	What has already been completed	What we would like to see accomplished within six months	What we would like to see accomplished by the end of the 19th Assembly
<i>Administrative Updates for government procurement</i>	"One Stop Shop" website for all procurement related information	Administrative changes to BIP (inspection process and renewal processes, approvals, and processing timelines, updated communications templates with suppliers) Administrative changes to NMPP (definition of manufacturing, application process, approvals, and processing timelines, updated communications templates with suppliers)	
<i>Enhanced transparency and accountability for government procurement</i>	Creation of an online contracts dashboard with search features and graphical representation of data Vendor performance management: BIP obligation tracking for construction contracts greater than \$250k	Enhanced vendor complaint process for contracts Amended guidelines for negotiated contracts to include enhanced reporting requirements Vendor performance management policy and guidelines	Online contracts dashboard complete with: user tips, definitions, reports, graphs and charts. Includes information on: Standing Offer Agreements, NWT and local content proposed and utilized in major construction projects including negotiated contracts
<i>Increase government procurement opportunities for Indigenous Businesses</i>	GNWT approved government procurement principles	Finalized shared principles related to procurement including Indigenous Procurement Policy Approaches through continued engagement with Indigenous Governments	Identify potential policy mechanisms to support enhanced Indigenous procurement

<p><i>Increase government procurement opportunities for NWT businesses</i></p>	<p>GNWT approved government procurement principles</p>		<p>Continue to move forward the outstanding action items from the NWT Manufacturing Strategy.</p> <p>BIP – Review and revise the definition of a northern resident</p> <p>Increase BIP thresholds for tenders and RFPs</p>
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*BIP: Business Incentive Policy

*NMPP: Northwest Territories Manufactured Products Policy