Sustainable Procurement

**Highly Commended in Division C**

**Tweed Shire Council**  
*Improve Council’s Sustainable Procurement*

Tweed has undertaken several projects in the 2013/14 financial year to improve Council’s sustainable procurement. These projects include: Formation of a sustainable procurement working group; introduction of a Local Preference policy clause in Council’s procurement policy; Sustainable Choice procurement training; and a review of systems related to sustainable procurement (i.e. sustainable procurement expenditure tracking).

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**Winner in Division C and Overall Winner**

**City of Canada Bay**  
*Sustainable Procurement*

The City of Canada Bay’s Sustainable Procurement Policy and Guidelines have continued to be integrated into Council’s everyday procedures. A second sustainable supplier survey has encouraged their suppliers to consider sustainable procurement in their business operations, and the results have led to a number of great outcomes including a biodiesel trial, 100% carbon neutral paper and new opportunities to further integrate sustainable development principles into Council’s design & tender process.

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