

Rural Municipality of Heart's Hill No. 352

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4.10 TENDERING

DEFINITION:

The process of inviting bids for large projects, goods and/or services

POLICY:

The Municipality will invite tenders to bid on road construction projects, goods and services when they meet or surpass the thresholds set out in the NWPTA and CFTA.

Projects, goods or services meeting or surpassing these thresholds will be publicly advertised on the Sask Tenders Website.

NWPT: MASH sector

Thresholds: Road construction - \$200,000

Services- \$75,000

Goods - \$75,000

The Municipality may choose to tender items below NWPT thresholds. Below NWPT threshold tenders will be advertised in the local paper, the R.M. Heart's Hill No. 352 website and/or facebook page.

RATIONALE:

The Federal and Provincial Governments have entered into Trade Agreements which Saskatchewan Municipalities are compelled to abide by. Municipalities fall under the MASH sector of the New West Partnership Trade Agreement therefore the Municipality will tender construction projects and the supply goods and services when thresholds are met by advertising on the Sask Tenders Website.

The Municipality may by resolution choose to tender items below NWPT thresholds as tendering provides competitive pricing, equal opportunity, transparency and accountability.

AUTHORITY:

NWPTA: New West Partnership Trade

CFTA Canadian Free Trade Agreement

The Municipalities Act: 184(2.1)

Procurement Guide, May 2019