HAVE YOUR SAY!
AMENDED SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT (SCM) POLICY

The City of Cape Town invites members of the public and interested parties to comment on the amended SCM Policy.

The policy amendments aim to further align the SCM Policy with improved tender evaluation processes and strengthen reputational risk clauses for the City.

The intended outcomes of the amendments are to safeguard the City from reputational risk from contractors not paying their subcontractors and to take appropriate action against those contractors. Mitigation measures against abuse of the SCM system are further enhanced by extending the period for listing a supplier on the tender defaulters list from five (5) to ten (10) years. In order to align to a Supreme Court of Appeal ruling, the bid validity clause is also being amended to require consent to extend the validity period from responsive bidders only.

In terms of section 17 of the Local Government: Municipal Systems Act, Act 32 of 2000, the public and interested parties may submit comments to the municipality in respect of the amended policy from 5 March to 7 April 2026.

Comments, recommendations and input may be submitted by:

Email: SCM.Enquiries@capetown.gov.za, attention: Adam Kariel
Online: Scan the QR code to submit your comments digitally
Written submission: Deliver to any of the City's subcouncil offices or City libraries (in the comment box provided)
Website: www.capetown.gov.za/haveyoursay and www.capetown.gov.za/collaborate

Have Your Say Platform

Collaboration Platform

The amended SCM Policy together with an executive summary of the amendments will be available for viewing on the City website: www.capetown.gov.za/haveyoursay. In addition, the executive summary will be available in the three official Western Cape languages at subcouncil offices during the public participation period.

The City's Public Participation Unit will assist people living with disabilities who are unable to submit written comments to have their objections recorded and submitted to the City.

For special assistance contact Zandile Mahlasela on 021 400 5501 or Zandile.Mahlasela@capetown.gov.za.

Contact the City on SCM.Enquiries@capetown.gov.za if you require more information on the amended policy or how to submit comments.

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