## DOUGLAS SHIRE

## NOTICE TO TENDERS



## **IMPORTANT NOTICE: LEGISLATIVE CHANGES**

- Applicable: Current Open Tenders & Closed Tenders
- Effective: 2 October 2020

Tenderers are advised that changes to the Local Government Act 2009 (Qld) and the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Qld) will commence on 12 October 2020.

As a consequence of these changes, the Principal may be required to make documentation and information contained in, or provided by a tenderer in connection with a tender (including documentation and information identified by a tenderer as confidential) publicly available where that documentation or information is:

- (a) discussed in a local government meeting (as defined in the Local Government Act 2009 (Qld)) (Local Government Meeting); or
- (b) included in a report or other document that:
  - (i) relates to an item on the agenda for a Local Government Meeting and is made available to councillors or committee members for the purposes of the meeting;
  - (ii) is directly relevant to a matter considered or voted on at a Local Government Meeting; or
  - (iii) is presented at a Local Government Meeting for the consideration or information of the local government or committee; or
- (c) otherwise required to be disclosed pursuant to a provision of the Local Government Act 2009 (Qld) or the Local Government Regulation 2012 (Qld).

These changes will apply to documentation and information submitted by a tenderer in connection with this procurement process, including documentation and information which has already been provided or which is provided prior to 12 October 2020.