



Coffs Harbour Regional Landcare Inc

Allocation of Bush Regeneration Works Policy

Policy

This policy sets out how Coffs Harbour Regional Landcare (CHRL) will engage and allocate Bush Regeneration contractors to worksites and projects.

Purpose

This policy is aimed at ensuring that the process of engagement and allocation of bush regeneration works to contractors will be transparent and methodical.

1. CHRL will advertise locally for Expressions of Interest from Bush Regenerators in June every 2nd year (starting 2012).
2. Bush Regenerators will be required to meet the following requirements:
 - Have demonstrated experience in a range of bush regeneration techniques
 - Hold current public liability insurance to the value of \$20 million
 - Be fully aware of, and compliant with, Work Health and Safety (WH&S) requirements
 - Provide current fee schedules
3. In accordance with Coffs Harbour City Council (CHCC) policy, Bush Regenerators will only be allocated works on CHCC managed land if they have undergone accreditation to become an approved contractor with BNG Contractor Services Pty Ltd.
Further information, visit: www.bngconserve.com.au
4. In keeping with the Associations Incorporation Act 2009, CHRL must not select contractors in order to secure a monetary gain for its members. However, members may receive legitimate payments for service from CHRL.
5. CHRL will not engage third party organisations (eg. Employment recruitment agencies) to contract Bush Regenerators on its behalf.
6. CHRL reserves the right to nominate preferred contractors.
7. Preferred contractors will be allocated contracts by the CHRL Executive, taking into account, but not limited to, the following factors:
 - Price, including 'value for money'
 - Previous site and project history
 - Formal bush regeneration or Natural Resource management qualifications
 - Preference may be given to Indigenous green teams, where appropriate

*Allocation of Bush Regeneration Works Policy
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