



What Is A Procurement Preference?

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Procurement Preference

A procurement "preference" means an advantage given to offerors in a competition for contract award which may be granted based on pre-established criteria as written in Oregon laws and policies.

Two types of preferences:









Mandatory Preferences

Oregon laws require using these preferences:

- In-state printing
- Qualified Rehabilitation Facilities (QRFs)
- In-State Tie-Bid Awards
- Interstate Reciprocal Preference
- Goods Made from Recycled Materials
- Recyclable Food Service Products
- Goods Bought to be Recyclable or Reusable
- Outsourced Services





Discretionary Preferences

Oregon laws and policies provide the option to use these preferences:

- Intergovernmental Cooperation
- State Surplus Property
- Inmate Labor
- Affirmative Action; Limited Competition & Disabled Veteran
- Oregon Goods and Services
- Safer Products Through Green Chemistry
- Emerging Small Business or Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Business



Questions?







Thank You

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