

TENTERFIELD SHIRE COUNCIL

POLICY STATEMENT

HEADING:

Plant Replacement Policy

MEETING ADOPTED AND RESOLUTION NO.:

**23 August 2017
168/17**

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25 September 2013

342/13

Introduction:

Council' Engineering Department manages a fleet valued at approximately \$11.2M dollars. It is essential that the fleet is renewed at regular intervals to ensure that reliable plant is available and maintenance costs are controlled. This policy provides guidance on how this assessment is undertaken.

Policy:

Council has a Fleet Asset Management Plan (FAMP). This plan describes our fleet, the condition of each piece of plant and equipment, its age, hours of usage or km and expected life span. The FAMP describes how assets are prioritised for replacement based on a combination of;

- Service provided using the plant;
- Available plant replacement funding;
- Condition of individual pieces of plant;
- Age and usage profile of plant;
- Safety and reliability of plant items;
- Optimal life for plant items.

The FAMP and other Asset Management Plans form part of the Council's Integrated Planning and Reporting Framework and are available from Council's website at www.tenterfield.nsw.gov.au.

The FAMP is the controlling document for plant replacement prioritisation.