

The **Local Buying Program (LBP)** in Queensland provides small businesses that operate a primary trading address in the **Central Highlands, Isaac and Mackay** local government areas the opportunity to competitively supply goods and services to **BHP, BMA and BMC** operations across Central Queensland.

The LBP is delivered in partnership between BHP and C-Res. **C-Res** is a cost neutral entity that proudly delivers the LBP across all BHP Minerals Australia assets nationwide.

Approved Spend **\$21,832,610**

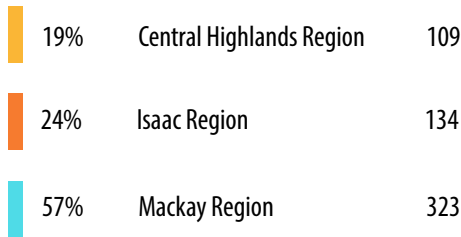


Average Payment Days **17.5**

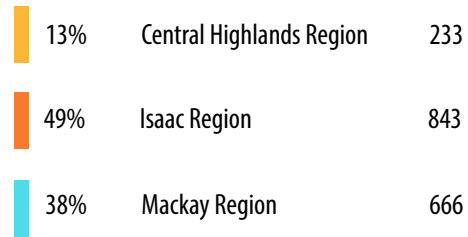
(From receipt of invoice)



Local Business Participation **566**



Approved Work Opportunities **1,742**



Since Commencement (2012): Approved Spend **\$237,986,288** | Average Payment Days **13.1** | Approved Work Opportunities **20,156**



The **Local Buying Foundation (LBF)** is a critical element of the **Local Buying Program (LBP)**. In Queensland, BHP make a financial contribution to the LBF for every approved LBP transaction. The aim of the LBF is to enhance the economic sustainability of regions within the operational footprint of BHP Minerals Australia assets in Queensland through the support of programs and initiatives that target local business training and development needs.

LOCAL BUYING FOUNDATION
AN INITIATIVE OF THE LOCAL BUYING PROGRAM

Congratulations to the QLD Funding Round Three Applicants:

- **Central Highlands Development Corporation** - Tap Into Tenders 2018-2020
- **Central Highlands Regional Resources Use Planning** - Future Food & Fibre Conference 2019
- **Mackay Region Chamber of Commerce** - Winning the War on Talent
- **Resource Industry Network** - Personal Branding for Your Career Success

For more information on successfully funded LBF projects, visit www.localbuyingfoundation.com.au.

July - September 2018

\$314,255
Total Funding Received

\$28,650
Total Value of Projects Funded

4
Total Projects Funded

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