

## Procurement Practices for Alberta's Municipalities

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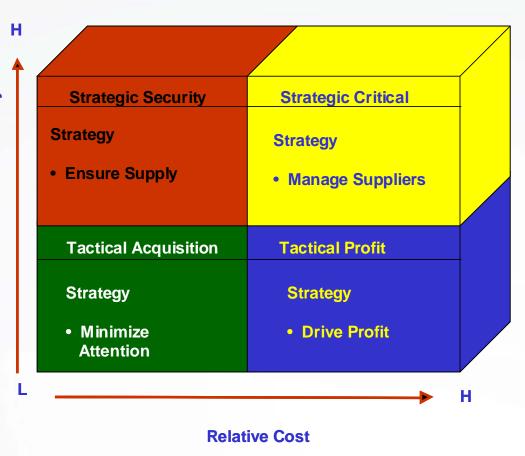




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### **Purchasing Strategies**

**Risk and Market Difficulty** 







### Strategy – Tactical Acquisitions

Decrease Inventory Cost control Measurement Attention Paperwork Increase Blanket Orders User-accountability Consignment stocks Procurement Card Reduce administration to enable focus on higher value higher risk items.





Service	Benefit
Procurement Card	<ul> <li>Reduced AP costs</li> <li>Spend control through governance &amp; access security</li> <li>Spend visibility and analytics available on-line</li> <li>Instant credit with vendors</li> <li>AMSC credit line and card management</li> </ul>
Access to GOA Agreements	<ul> <li>Reduce cost and improve services through volume purchases</li> <li>Reduce purchase cycle time</li> <li>Reduced sourcing costs</li> <li>Continuous improvement – additions, updates</li> </ul>
AMSC Agreements & Group Purchases	<ul> <li>Standing offers customized for member requirements</li> <li>Groups purchases focus on specific requirements</li> <li>Reduced sourcing cost</li> </ul>
Purchasing Support Services	<ul> <li>Includes advice, sourcing, purchasing, and consulting support</li> <li>Access to procurement expertise, tools, information, and techniques</li> <li>Dedicated purchase management</li> <li>Reduced purchasing administration</li> <li>Self serve and buyer assisted options</li> </ul>





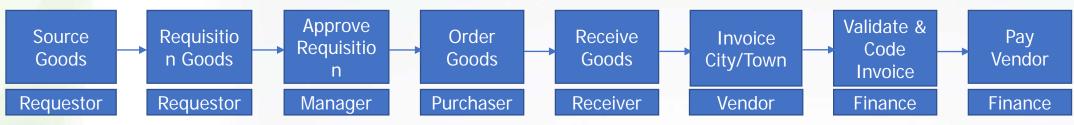
Service	Benefit
Procurement Card	Reduced AP costs
	Spend control through governance & access security
	Spend visibility and analytics available on-line
	Instant credit with vendors
	AMSC credit line and card management
	Rebates on purchase volumes available



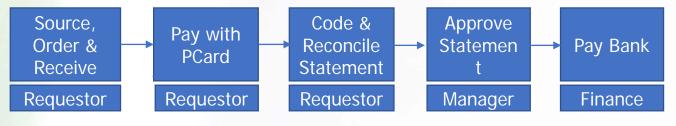


### P-Card vs. PO Processes

#### PO Purchase



#### P-Card Purchase







	Service	Feature Includes
/	Procurement Card	P – Card program includes:
		• Consolidate business spending – Purchasing, Travel & Entertainment and Fleet – to single
		card
		No card fees for setup, annual renewal, card replacement or changes
		Transactions Controls
		<ul> <li>Blocking – Industry merchant category (MCC), country, vendor</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Transactions limits – daily, monthly and transaction value</li> </ul>
		Robust online reporting and management tool
		Payment 30 days from receipt of AUMA statement
		P-Card Program Management (AMSC)
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# **GOA** Agreements

- Apparel & Textiles
- Computers
- Cellular Phones & Airtime
- Electronics
- Enforcement Equipment
- Fleet Supplies
- Fuel
- Furniture

- Health and Medical Supplies
- Janitorial Supplies
- Office Equipment
- Office Supplies
- Radios
- Signage
- Software





## **Discount Examples**

Offer
<ul> <li>Voice &amp; Data on Smartphone - \$39.50 per month</li> <li>Unlimited local calling unlimited data and text</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Unlimited local calling, unlimited data and text.</li> <li>Save 3¢/L or more at retail locations</li> <li>Save 7¢/L or more using Bluewave Energy Cardlock</li> <li>Markup of 2.5¢/L on the posted rack price of bulk fuel</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>88% discount, excluding market* items, which are discounted by 25%.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>40% discount, excluding net items, which are discounted by 38%</li> </ul>
<ul><li>AFFRRCS Radios</li><li>AUMA can consolidate purchases to obtain bulk price discounts</li></ul>

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	<ul> <li>techniques</li> <li>Reduced purchasing administration</li> <li>Dedicated purchase management</li> <li>Self serve and buyer assisted options</li> </ul>





Service	Feature Includes
Membership	<ul> <li>Membership includes:</li> <li>Purchasing advice</li> <li>Access to Procurement Card (P-Card) program</li> <li>Support to source and purchase with P-Card on standing offers</li> <li>Access to standing offer agreements</li> <li>Group purchase agreement development</li> </ul>
Additional Purchasing Support	<ul> <li>Self Service option – no charge</li> <li>Consulting services can include: <ul> <li>Strategic procurement planning</li> <li>Competitive bid management (RFTs and RFPs)</li> <li>Award and order supplies and services</li> <li>Contract management</li> <li>Purchasing governance development (policies &amp; procedures)</li> </ul> </li> <li>% of purchase value or hourly rate depending on nature of project. <ul> <li>* Some purchasing support fees are waived when members use the AMSC procurement card to make a purchase.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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