

Expression of Interest (EOI) – Lockyer and Somerset Region

Container Exchange (QLD) Ltd (COEX) is seeking parties wishing to operate Containers for Change container refund points (CRP) in the Lockyer and Somerset regions. This will be servicing the communities of Esk, Fernvale, Kilcoy, Lowood and Toogoolawah in the Somerset region and Gattton, Laidley, Forest Hill, Grantham, Helidon, Murphys Creek, Plainland and Withcott in the Lockyer region.

Background

Containers for Change QLD is Queensland's container refund scheme established by COEX on 1 November 2018 to give people an incentive to collect and return eligible drink containers for a 10-cent refund. In November 2023 the eligible containers were expanded to include glass wine and spirit bottles.

The aim is to reduce the amount of drink containers that are littered and increase Queensland's recycling rate by influencing and enabling all people to participate in the circular economy.

COEX works with local stakeholders to provide container recycling solutions that supports the community. We believe there is a better way to recycle that positively impacts individuals, communities, and the environment. Driving enablement and participation in the Queensland Containers for Change scheme.

Learn more - [Containers for Change](#) | [Container Exchange](#)

Container Refund Point Operator

As a CRP operator, you would play an integral role within Containers for Change. In your region you will provide improved refund point accessibility and a positive experience for customers when they return their containers for a refund.

As a CRP operator you can provide one or more of the collection point solutions below:

- Depot
- Bag Drop
- Container Collect
- Pop Up
- Reverse Vending Machine

CRP operators can make a difference by facilitating recycling and fundraising opportunities in their local communities. Helping to keep containers out of landfill and repurpose them using the Containers for Change circular economy. You can learn more about CRPs [here](#).

Opportunity

To deliver Containers for Change to the Lockyer Valley and Somerset communities and service the surrounding area by operating a CRP that improves accessibility and convenience for customers.



Apply

If you are interested in expressing your interest, please [complete the online EOI form](#) or complete and submit the following Expression of Interest form by **close of business Wednesday, 14 February 2024**.

Submit to - tenders@containerexchange.com.au

Expression of Interest response form

Participants are required to provide the details outlined in the table below.

| GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE PARTICIPANT OR PARTICIPANT REPRESENTATIVE | |
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| First Name | |
| Middle Name | |
| Surname | |
| Position in Participant Organisation | |
| Email | |
| Phone Number | |
| GENERAL INFORMATION ON THE PARTICIPANT'S ORGANISATION | |
| Organisation Name | |
| ORGANISATIONAL CONTACT DETAILS (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE) | |
| First Name | |
| Middle Name | |
| Surname | |
| Email | |
| Phone Number | |
| ABN / ACN <i>(including ABN / ACN of each entity comprising a consortium (if applicable))</i> | |
| Business trading name(s), including any intended business name in connection with the Scheme | |





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| Registered address | |
| Nature of current operations <i>Provide an overview of your company including industry, sector, nature of work and scope of operations and operational history.</i> | |
| Website (if applicable) | |
| Area of interest <i>Please outline particular area your business may be interested in providing services for the refund scheme</i> | |



As a duly authorised officer of _____ [Name of Organisation],

I: _____ confirm that this response is true and accurate in all material respects;

1. acknowledge that if any information provided is incorrect that there may be grounds to terminate the process in connection with this response and rescind any contracts awarded on the basis of this information;
2. authorise Container Exchange (QLD) Limited or its nominee to perform background and criminal history checks based on information provided in this Response form;
3. confirm that I have obtained express consent from each director, officeholder, executive of the participant, individual listed in this Response form and any other related entities or entities comprising of any consortium for Container Exchange (QLD) Limited to perform background and criminal history checks on them;
4. confirm a police check will be provided by the applicant as an attachment to the formal application submission.

Acknowledged:

[Full Name]

[Signature]

[Date]

