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Contract

## **GMCA Street Lighting Electrical Connections Framework Agreement 2025 - 2026 (2028)**

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Manchester City Council

Oldham Council

Rochdale Council

Salford City Council

Stockport Metropolitan Borough Council

Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council

Trafford Council

Bolton Council

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## **Region code**

UKD61 - Warrington

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**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

#### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

#### **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

GMCA Street Lighting Electrical Connections Framework Agreement 2025 - 2026 (2028)

Reference number

DN730587

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 50232100 - Street-lighting maintenance services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The purpose of this tender is to put in place a framework agreement to procure street lighting electrical connections services. The framework agreement will consist of five lots, of which two of the lots will be distribution network operator (DNO) geographical lots and three will be independent distribution network operator (IDNO) lots. All providers must be accredited for the appropriate work categories under the National Electricity Registration

Scheme (NERS), presently operated by Lloyds Register, to operate on the incumbent distribution network operator (DNO) electrical networks at any time during the term of the framework agreement. The distribution network operators for the two geographical lots are Electricity North West (Lot 1) and Scottish Power (Lot 2). The remaining three Independent Distribution Network Operator lots will be Energetics IDNO Sites (Lot 3), IPNL (Independent Power Networks) IDNO Sites (Lot 4) and ESP Electricity Limited IDNO Sites (Lot 5).

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £15,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Electricity North West (ENW) Distribution Network Operator Geographical Region

Lot No

1

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 34928500 - Street-lighting equipment
- 45233139 - Highway maintenance work
- 45316100 - Installation of outdoor illumination equipment
- 45316110 - Installation of road lighting equipment
- 45316211 - Installation of illuminated road signs

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Various sites and geographical locations across North-West England.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The purpose of this tender is to put in place a framework agreement to procure street lighting electrical connections services. The framework agreement will consist of five lots, of which two of the lots will be distribution network operator (DNO) geographical lots and three will be Independent Distribution Network Operator (IDNO) lots. All providers must be accredited for the appropriate work categories under the National Electricity Registration Scheme (NERS), presently operated by Lloyds Register, to operate on the incumbent distribution network operator (DNO) electrical networks at any time during the term of the framework agreement. The distribution network operators for the two geographical lots are Electricity North West (Lot 1) and Scottish Power (Lot 2). The remaining three Independent Distribution Network Operator lots will be Energetics IDNO Sites (Lot 3), IPNL (Independent Power Networks) IDNO Sites (Lot 4) and ESP Electricity Limited IDNO Sites (Lot 5). It is the intention to appoint a minimum of 3 providers to each lot subject to there being sufficient tenderers satisfying the criteria laid down within the tender process.

Services to be provided under the framework agreement will consist of street lighting electrical connections services (new connections, transfers and disconnections), including the erection and uprooting of lighting column, traffic sign pole, feeder pillar or illuminated

traffic bollards, lantern/bracket installation or exchange, cut-out terminations and cabling installation works, and painting.

Contracts called-off from the framework agreement will be awarded on a cascade basis, with the tenderer submitting the Most Economically Advantageous Tender being appointed as the first provider to the relevant lot, which will be contacted in the first instance in respect of any service requirements. Should the first provider not have the capacity and/or capability and/or not be willing to provide the services then the second provider and third provider would be contacted in turn. Alternatively, contracting bodies accessing the framework agreement may re-open competition to all providers capable of meeting the requirement within the framework agreement via a 'mini competition' process within the applicable lot(s).

The services provided under the framework agreement will be made available to members and associate members of the Greater Manchester Combined Authority (GMCA) and other participating authorities and organisational bodies as named within this Contract Notice.

The Invitation to Tender documentation contains further details on those organisations intending to use the framework agreement at its outset and indicative call-off quantities.

None of the named organisations will however be obliged to procure through the framework agreement. Economic operators should note that inclusion on the framework agreement is not a guarantee that any call-off contracts will be awarded.

The framework agreement will initially run for a period of 2 years and will allow for 2 further periods of extension of 12 months each. The maximum duration of the framework agreement will be 4 years.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Business Continuity / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Management Information / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Health and Safety at Work / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Training / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Exit Planning / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - Scottish Power Distribution Network Operator Geographical Region

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 34928500 - Street-lighting equipment
- 45233139 - Highway maintenance work
- 45316100 - Installation of outdoor illumination equipment

- 45316110 - Installation of road lighting equipment
- 45316211 - Installation of illuminated road signs

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Various sites and geographical locations across North-West England.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The purpose of this tender is to put in place a framework agreement to procure street lighting electrical connections services. The framework agreement will consist of five lots, of which two of the lots will be distribution network operator (DNO) geographical lots and three will be Independent Distribution Network Operator (IDNO) lots. All providers must be accredited for the appropriate work categories under the National Electricity Registration Scheme (NERS), presently operated by Lloyds Register, to operate on the incumbent distribution network operator (DNO) electrical networks at any time during the term of the framework agreement. The distribution network operators for the two geographical lots are Electricity North West (Lot 1) and Scottish Power (Lot 2). The remaining three Independent Distribution Network Operator lots will be Energetics IDNO Sites (Lot 3), IPNL (Independent Power Networks) IDNO Sites (Lot 4) and ESP Electricity Limited IDNO Sites (Lot 5). It is the intention to appoint a minimum of 3 providers to each lot subject to there being sufficient tenderers satisfying the criteria laid down within the tender process.

Services to be provided under the framework agreement will consist of street lighting



electrical connections services (new connections, transfers and disconnections), including the erection and uprooting of lighting column, traffic sign pole, feeder pillar or illuminated traffic bollards, lantern/bracket installation or exchange, cut-out terminations and cabling installation works, and painting.

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None of the named organisations will however be obliged to procure through the framework agreement. Economic operators should note that inclusion on the framework agreement is not a guarantee that any call-off contracts will be awarded.

The framework agreement will initially run for a period of 2 years and will allow for 2 further periods of extension of 12 months each. The maximum duration of the framework agreement will be 4 years.

## **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Business Continuity / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Management Information / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Health and Safety at Work / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Training / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Exit Planning / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 60

## **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

## **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - Energetics Independent Distribution Network Operator Sites

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 34928500 - Street-lighting equipment

- 45233139 - Highway maintenance work
- 45316100 - Installation of outdoor illumination equipment
- 45316110 - Installation of road lighting equipment
- 45316211 - Installation of illuminated road signs

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Various sites and geographical locations across North-West England.

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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Services to be provided under the framework agreement will consist of street lighting electrical connections services (new connections, transfers and disconnections), including the erection and uprooting of lighting column, traffic sign pole, feeder pillar or illuminated traffic bollards, lantern/bracket installation or exchange, cut-out terminations and cabling installation works, and painting.

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Business Continuity / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Management Information / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Health and Safety at Work / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Training / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Exit Planning / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 - IPNL (Independent Power Networks) Independent Distribution Network Operator Sites

Lot No

## **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 34928500 - Street-lighting equipment
- 45233139 - Highway maintenance work
- 45316100 - Installation of outdoor illumination equipment
- 45316110 - Installation of road lighting equipment
- 45316211 - Installation of illuminated road signs

## **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Various sites and geographical locations across North-West England.

## **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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Power Networks) IDNO Sites (Lot 4) and ESP Electricity Limited IDNO Sites (Lot 5). It is the intention to appoint a minimum of 3 providers to each lot subject to there being sufficient tenderers satisfying the criteria laid down within the tender process.

Services to be provided under the framework agreement will consist of street lighting electrical connections services (new connections, transfers and disconnections), including the erection and uprooting of lighting column, traffic sign pole, feeder pillar or illuminated traffic bollards, lantern/bracket installation or exchange, cut-out terminations and cabling installation works, and painting.

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Business Continuity / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Management Information / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Health and Safety at Work / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Training / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Exit Planning / Weighting: 2

Price - Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 5 - ESP Electricity Ltd Independent Distribution Network Operator Sites

Lot No



5

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 34928500 - Street-lighting equipment
- 45233139 - Highway maintenance work
- 45316100 - Installation of outdoor illumination equipment
- 45316110 - Installation of road lighting equipment
- 45316211 - Installation of illuminated road signs

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKD - North West (England)

Main site or place of performance

Various sites and geographical locations across North-West England.

**II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The purpose of this tender is to put in place a framework agreement to procure street lighting electrical connections services. The framework agreement will consist of five lots, of which two of the lots will be distribution network operator (DNO) geographical lots and three will be Independent Distribution Network Operator (IDNO) lots. All providers must be accredited for the appropriate work categories under the National Electricity Registration Scheme (NERS), presently operated by Lloyds Register, to operate on the incumbent distribution network operator (DNO) electrical networks at any time during the term of the framework agreement. The distribution network operators for the two geographical lots are Electricity North West (Lot 1) and Scottish Power (Lot 2). The remaining three Independent

Distribution Network Operator lots will be Energetics IDNO Sites (Lot 3), IPNL (Independent Power Networks) IDNO Sites (Lot 4) and ESP Electricity Limited IDNO Sites (Lot 5). It is the intention to appoint a minimum of 3 providers to each lot subject to there being sufficient tenderers satisfying the criteria laid down within the tender process.

Services to be provided under the framework agreement will consist of street lighting electrical connections services (new connections, transfers and disconnections), including the erection and uprooting of lighting column, traffic sign pole, feeder pillar or illuminated traffic bollards, lantern/bracket installation or exchange, cut-out terminations and cabling installation works, and painting.

Contracts called-off from the framework agreement will be awarded on a cascade basis, with the tenderer submitting the Most Economically Advantageous Tender being appointed as the first provider to the relevant lot, which will be contacted in the first instance in respect of any service requirements. Should the first provider not have the capacity and/or capability and/or not be willing to provide the services then the second provider and third provider would be contacted in turn. Alternatively, contracting bodies accessing the framework agreement may re-open competition to all providers capable of meeting the requirement within the framework agreement via a 'mini competition' process within the applicable lot(s).

The services provided under the framework agreement will be made available to members and associate members of the Greater Manchester Combined Authority (GMCA) and other participating authorities and organisational bodies as named within this Contract Notice.

The Invitation to Tender documentation contains further details on those organisations intending to use the framework agreement at its outset and indicative call-off quantities.

None of the named organisations will however be obliged to procure through the framework

agreement. Economic operators should note that inclusion on the framework agreement is not a guarantee that any call-off contracts will be awarded.

The framework agreement will initially run for a period of 2 years and will allow for 2 further periods of extension of 12 months each. The maximum duration of the framework agreement will be 4 years.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Business Continuity / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Management Information / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Health and Safety at Work / Weighting: 3

Quality criterion - Name: Training / Weighting: 2

Quality criterion - Name: Exit Planning / Weighting: 2

Price - Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-020769](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

Lot 1

### **Title**

Lot 1 - Electricity North West (ENW) Distribution Network Operator Geographical Region

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

17 December 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Altitude Services Limited

Bird Hall Cottage, Rowlands Road

Bury

BL9 5PA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Amey Highways Limited

Chancery Exchange, 10 Furnival Street

London

EC4A 1AB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

E.ON Energy Solutions Limited

Westwood Way, Westwood Business Park

Coventry

CV4 8LG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG13 - Warwickshire

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

J McCann and Co Limited

McCann House, 110 Nottingham Road, Chilwell

Nottingham

NG9 6DQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

Lot 2

### **Title**

Lot 2 - Scottish Power Distribution Network Operator Geographical Region

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

17 December 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG13 - Warwickshire

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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Nottingham

NG9 6DQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

Lot 3

### **Title**

Lot 3 - Energetics Independent Distribution Network Operator Sites

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

17 December 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Altitude Services Limited

Bird Hall Cottage, Rowlands Road

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BL9 5PA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

E.ON Energy Solutions Limited

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

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The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

J McCann and Co Limited

McCann House, 110 Nottingham Road, Chilwell

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

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### **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Lot No**

Lot 4

#### **Title**

Lot 4 - IPNL (Independent Power Networks) Independent Distribution Network Operator Sites

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### **V.2) Award of contract**

##### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

17 December 2024

##### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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The contractor is an SME

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Country

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The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

J McCann and Co Limited

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NG9 6DQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF14 - Nottingham

The contractor is an SME

No

### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

Lot 5

### **Title**

Lot 5 - ESP Electricity Ltd Independent Distribution Network Operator Sites

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

17 December 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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Country

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

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Country

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The contractor is an SME

No

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Royal Courts of Justice

Strand, Holborn

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom