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Tender

Invitation to Bid - Supply, Delivery, Collection and Disposal of Depolluted End of Life Vehicle's

Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue Authority

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Scope

Reference

DS529-25

Description

Devon and Somerset Fire and Rescue Service have an ongoing requirement for the supply, delivery, collection and disposal of depolluted end of life vehicles. These vehicles are used by our Firefighters for training purposes across the geographical area of Devon and Somerset.

The vehicles supplied are required to simulate a roadworthy condition. Due to the nature of the training and equipment used by our Firefighters, the vehicles will be subject to disassembly, with roofs, windscreens, glass and doors removed.

Current arrangements expire on 31st March 2026. This notice is to invite suppliers to bid for the new contracts commencing on 1st April 2026.

The lot structure and indicative annual volumes per lot, is as follows:

- Lot 1 - Barnstaple Area - 40 vehicles
- Lot 2 - Exeter Area - 100 vehicles
- Lot 3 - Plymouth Area - 45 vehicles
- Lot 4 - Taunton Area - 65 vehicles
- Lot 5 - Torquay Area - 45 vehicles
- Lot 6 - Yeovil Area - 50 vehicles

Suppliers are able to bid for one or more lots.

The contracts will have an initial period of two years, with the option to extend by a further 12 months (three year maximum term).

Total value (estimated)

- £200,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2029
- 3 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract may be extended for 12 months beyond the initial expiry date of 31st March 2028.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50190000 - Demolition services of vehicles
- 98390000 - Other services

Contract locations

- UKK - South West (England)

Lot 1. Barnstaple Area

Description

The Barnstaple Area includes the following Fire Stations:

Barnstaple, Ilfracombe, Appledore, Bideford, Braunton, Chulmleigh, Combe Martin, Hartland, Hatherleigh, Holsworthy, Lynton, South Molton, Torrington and Woolacombe.

Lot value (estimated)

- £23,200 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 2. Exeter Area

Description

The Exeter Area includes the following Fire Stations and training sites:

North Tawton, Okehampton, Exeter Danes Castle, Exmouth, Axminster, Colyton, Crediton, Cullompton, Honiton, Ottery St Mary, Seaton, Sidmouth, Clyst St George, Witheridge, Exeter Airport and Exeter Middlemoor.

Lot value (estimated)

- £58,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 3. Plymouth Area

Description

The Plymouth Area includes the following Fire Stations:

Kingsbridge, Salcombe, Plympton, Camels Head (Plymouth), Crownhill (Plymouth), Greenbank (Plymouth), Plymstock, Bere Alston, Ivybridge, Kingston, Modbury,

Princetown, Tavistock and Yelverton.

Lot value (estimated)

- £26,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 4. Taunton Area

Description

The Taunton Area includes the following Fire Stations:

Bampton, Tiverton, Taunton, Bridgwater, Burnham-on-Sea, Dulverton, Minehead, Nether Stowey, Porlock, Wellington, Williton, Wiveliscombe and Cheddar.

Lot value (estimated)

- £37,800 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 5. Torquay Area

Description

The Torquay Area includes the following Fire Stations:

Torquay, Paignton, Ashburton, Bovey Tracey, Brixham, Buckfastleigh, Chagford, Dartmouth, Dawlish, Moretonhampstead, Newton Abbot, Teignmouth and Totnes.

Lot value (estimated)

- £26,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 6. Yeovil Area

Description

The Yeovil Area includes the following Fire Stations:

Glastonbury, Street, Yeovil, Castle Cary, Chard, Crewkerne, Frome, Ilminster, Martock, Shepton Mallet, Somerton, Wells and Wincanton.

Lot value (estimated)

- £29,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Barnstaple Area

Lot 2. Exeter Area

Lot 3. Plymouth Area

Lot 4. Taunton Area

Lot 5. Torquay Area

Lot 6. Yeovil Area

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

20 January 2026, 10:00am

Tender submission deadline

29 January 2026, 10:00am

Submission address and any special instructions

Suppliers who are interested in this opportunity can email Bridget Phillips to request further information, including the set of bid documents (the Invitation to Tender documents).

Bridget's email is bphillips@dsfire.gov.uk

Completed bid documents are required to be sent by email (to Bridget).

Tenders may be submitted electronically

No

Award criteria

Quality - Pass/Fail

Price - 100%

Up to two suppliers may be awarded a contract against each lot. The highest scoring supplier shall be named as the Primary Supplier, and will be the first supplier requested to supply the required goods/services. The Secondary Supplier will only be approached in the event that the Primary Supplier is unable to supply.

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue Authority

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNLD-1131-HTWN

Service Headquarters

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United Kingdom

Email: procurement@dsfire.gov.uk

Region: UKK43 - Devon CC

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government