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## **Provision of CVL Transformation Works – Track, Drainage and Level Boarding (TDLB)**

Transport for Wales

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

C001287.00

### **Description**

TfW are looking to appoint a contractor to deliver track, drainage and associated level boarding (TDLB) enhancements at a number of Core Valley Lines and Network Rail stations.

As part of the TfW Core Valley Line (CVL) Transformation works, there is a requirement to improve the train services by increasing the speed of trains, increasing the frequency and reliability of services and to improve the passenger experience by providing level boarding at stations. To achieve these improvements the network will require new track and drainage infrastructure and improved platforms. A summary of the Works to be constructed as part of the Contract Scope include:

Cathays LSI – Track Works

Caerphilly Station – Track and Level Boarding

Cardiff Central Station – Track Works

Danescourt Drainage

Mountain Ash to Fernhill Track Drainage

Various Buffer Stop Enhancements and Replacements

TfW intends to award further track, drainage and level boarding works through one of its live track contracts prior to the December 2026 timetable change, further details of which can be found in the ITT documents on etenderwales.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £5,300,000 excluding VAT
- £6,360,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 5 May 2026 to 28 May 2027
- 1 year, 24 days

### **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

Scope for level boarding works to be varied into agreement

## **Main procurement category**

Works

## **CPV classifications**

- 45230000 - Construction work for pipelines, communication and power lines, for highways, roads, airfields and railways; flatwork
- 45220000 - Engineering works and construction works

## **Contract locations**

- UKL - Wales

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

9 February 2026, 12:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

27 February 2026, 12:00pm

### Submission address and any special instructions

<https://etenderwales.ukp.app.jaggaer.com/web/login.shtml>

ITT code itt\_122310

### Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

### Languages that may be used for submission

- Welsh
- English

### Award decision date (estimated)

27 March 2026

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### Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Price	Price	50.00%
Quality	Quality	50.00%

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### Other information

## **Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

## **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Transport for Wales**

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Region: UKL15 - Central Valleys

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales