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Tender

Copy of Framework Agreement for the Provision of Home to School Transport Lots 1-7

City & County of Swansea

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Scope

Reference

CCS/24/377

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £1,999,998 excluding VAT
- £2,399,997 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 60130000 - Special-purpose road passenger-transport services
- 60112000 - Public road transport services

Contract locations

- UKL18 - Swansea

Not the same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

Lot 1. Lot 1 - Vehicle up to 70 seats (+)

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 70 seats (+)

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,856 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in increments of 12 months

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Lot 2 - Vehicle up to 60 seats

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 60 seats

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,856 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in increments of 12 months

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3. Lot 3 - Vehicle up to 49 seats

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 49 seats

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,856 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in 12 month increments

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 4. Lot 4 - Vehicle up to 39 seats

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 39 seats

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,855 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in increments of 12 months

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 5. Lot 5 - Vehicle up to 29 seats

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 29 seats

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,856 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in increments of 12 months

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 6. Lot 6 - Vehicle up to 16 seats

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 16 seats

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,856 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in increments of 12 months

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 7. Lot 7 - Vehicle up to 8 seats

Description

Swansea Council intend to develop a Framework Agreement of providers in order to carry out Home to School Transport for pupils to Primary and Secondary schools within the City & County of Swansea Boundary which is integral to the enabling pupils to access education safely and on time and allows development of social skills and independence. This Lot requires operator ability to provide a vehicle up to 8 seats

Lot value (estimated)

- £285,714 excluding VAT
- £342,856 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 June 2025 to 1 June 2027
- Possible extension to 1 June 2029
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

24 months in increments of 12 months

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

70

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

See tender documents

Award method when using the framework

With competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

Lot 1. Lot 1 - Vehicle up to 70 seats (+)

Must adhere to all appropriate vehicle/licensing legislation

Lot 2. Lot 2 - Vehicle up to 60 seats

Lot 3. Lot 3 - Vehicle up to 49 seats

Lot 4. Lot 4 - Vehicle up to 39 seats

Lot 5. Lot 5 - Vehicle up to 29 seats

Lot 6. Lot 6 - Vehicle up to 16 seats

Lot 7. Lot 7 - Vehicle up to 8 seats

Must adhere to all appropriate vehicle/licensing legislation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Lot 1 - Vehicle up to 70 seats (+)

Lot 2. Lot 2 - Vehicle up to 60 seats

Lot 3. Lot 3 - Vehicle up to 49 seats

Lot 4. Lot 4 - Vehicle up to 39 seats

Lot 5. Lot 5 - Vehicle up to 29 seats

Lot 6. Lot 6 - Vehicle up to 16 seats

Lot 7. Lot 7 - Vehicle up to 8 seats

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

21 March 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

28 March 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

- Welsh
- English

Award decision date (estimated)

1 April 2025

Recurring procurement

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 1 April 2025

Award criteria

Lot 1. Lot 1 - Vehicle up to 70 seats (+)

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Ability to provide vehicle	Operator ability to provide vehicle will be evaluated	Quality	100.00%

Lot 2. Lot 2 - Vehicle up to 60 seats

Lot 3. Lot 3 - Vehicle up to 49 seats

Lot 4. Lot 4 - Vehicle up to 39 seats

Lot 5. Lot 5 - Vehicle up to 29 seats

Lot 6. Lot 6 - Vehicle up to 16 seats

Lot 7. Lot 7 - Vehicle up to 8 seats

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Ability to provide vehicle	Operator ability to provide vehicle will be evaluated	Quality	100.00%

Other information

Payment terms

See tender documents

Description of risks to contract performance

See tender documents

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/>

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Tenders or requests to participate must be sent electronically

Technical specifications to be met

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Contracting authority

City & County of Swansea

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYYD-8699-BJGD

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Region: UKL18 - Swansea

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Devolved regulations that apply: Wales