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**Planning** 

# CONTRACT FOR THE PROVISION OF PASSENGER TRANSPORT SERVICES

London Borough of Hounslow

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## Scope

#### Reference

DN766219

# **Description**

The London of Borough of Hounslow requires suppliers that will deliver a range of Passenger Transport Services vehicles with Drivers including but not limited to: cars, people-carriers (MPVs), 9 up to 17 seater minibuses, wheelchair-accessible vehicles (from cars up to 17 seater minibuses), coaches and car derived vans.

Some service users require Passenger Assistants during transportation to provide additional support and administer medication, where required.

The Council will provide Passenger Assistants for some routes, but also requires

suppliers to provide suitable trained Passenger Assistants to meet requirements.

Suitable suppliers are invited to a virtual market engagement via Teams. The supplier event will take place on 18th March 2025 at 11am

Please email <u>transportoperations@hounslow.gov.uk</u> by 12noon on 14/03/2025 if you are interested in attending. Please ensure SUPPLIER EVENT is in the subject heading

This event is being held to provide further information and seek your views regarding our open framework agreement for Passenger Transport.

This open framework agreement will be tendered for an Initial period of 4 years with an option of a further 4 years extension, in 12month periods, at sole discretion of the Council.

#### Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

#### Contract dates (estimated)

- 31 July 2025 to 30 July 2029
- Possible extension to 30 July 2033
- 8 years

#### Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

• 63000000 - Supporting and auxiliary transport services; travel agencies services

#### **Contract locations**

• UK - United Kingdom

# **Engagement**

#### **Engagement deadline**

18 March 2025

### **Engagement process description**

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# **Participation**

# Particular suitability

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

#### **Submission**

### **Publication date of tender notice (estimated)**

21 March 2025

## **Procedure**

# Special regime

Light touch

# **Contracting authority**

## **London Borough of Hounslow**

• Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQYY-1684-DYLV

Hounslow House, 7 Bath Road

Hounslow, London

**TW3 3EB** 

# United Kingdom

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Region: UKI75 - Hounslow and Richmond upon Thames

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government