

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/010295-2024>

Planning

## **SLC Passenger Transport Services**

South Lanarkshire Council

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-010295

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-044e3e

Published 28 March 2024, 12:59pm

### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

South Lanarkshire Council

Almada Street

Hamilton

ML3 0AA

#### **Contact**

Louise McNaught

#### **Email**

[louise.mcnaught@southlanarkshire.gov.uk](mailto:louise.mcnaught@southlanarkshire.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKM95 - South Lanarkshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.southlanarkshire.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00410](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00410)

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

---

## **Section II: Object**

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

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

SLC Passenger Transport Services

Reference number

SLC/FC/23/019

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

- 60120000 - Taxi services

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

Services

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

South Lanarkshire Council (the Council) is expecting to carry out a new procurement process in 2024, for the provision of passenger transport services, to ensure attendance of pupils at South Lanarkshire Council schools and establishments, and also other general taxi requirements.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKM95 - South Lanarkshire

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

The Council's current framework is due to expire on 31 October 2024 and we are looking to implement a new contractual agreement with the hopes of increasing supplier capacity.

The Council is considering the following procurement routes:-

## 1. Framework

## 2. Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS)

To gauge the market the Council has issued a survey. This survey is being made publicly available to any organisations interested in the provision of Additional Support Needs (ASN) Passenger Transport Services for South Lanarkshire Council (the Council) and other taxi requirements. The survey can be accessed by the URL or QR code located within the additional documents area. Survey responses must be submitted by no later than 11:59pm on 17 April 2024.

This exercise is intended to provide potential bidders with the opportunity to view and comment on the Council's requirements if they wish to do so. This builds on a commitment to engage with the market, by sharing information and seeking input from the market to enable us to develop the final Invitation to Tender (ITT) in a fair and transparent manner.

### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

2 September 2024

---

## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

---

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Public Contracts Scotland Web Site at

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search\\_Switch.aspx?ID=760014](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=760014).

(SC Ref:760014)