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Planning

Gully Cleansing Baseline/Risk Based Model (Soft Market Test)

Wirral Council

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Scope

Reference

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Description

The Council is seeking a qualified contractor to undertake a comprehensive gully cleansing and asset validation programme over a two-year period to help the Council transition to a risk-based cyclical maintenance model.

The Council has approximately 60,000 gully assets. This is maintained by a single tanker and crew which achieves a 50% cleansing rate based on cleansing all gully assets each year. The Council aims to improve its maintenance efficiency and effectiveness through this exercise, providing the basis for a comprehensive risk-based model. This will determine the appropriate frequency and schedule of cleansing across the asset base, reducing the maintenance demand and improving performance.

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2028
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 90640000 - Gully cleaning and emptying services

Contract locations

- UKD74 - Wirral

Engagement

Engagement deadline

2 April 2025

Engagement process description

The preliminary market engagement information is available via The Chest (www.the-chest.org.uk), which is the Council's e-tendering portal. Expressions of interests by completing the relevant questions will be submitted on The Chest. Link to advert below.

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert?advertId=71d0b292-b6f9-ef11-8136-005056b64545&p=e0cc5631-4690-e511-80fb-000c29c9ba21>

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government