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Tender

Provision of Mixed Inert Waste Acceptance and Recycling Services (3 Lots)

Lancashire County Council

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Scope

Reference

AP/CORP/LCC/25/008

Description

Lancashire County Council is seeking tenders for the provision of Mixed Inert Waste Acceptance and Recycling Services.

In summary, the Services will comprise the acceptance, weighing and Recycling of Mixed Inert Waste arising from Lancashire's Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) and delivered to a Provider's Facility by the Authority and/or its transport contractor.

The Mixed Inert Waste may be delivered by the Authority and/or its respective transport contractor(s) predominantly using hooklift vehicles and 16-yard skips although the Authority reserves the right to use alternative vehicles, such as 8 wheeled tippers or articulated vehicles.

The Mixed Inert Waste will be made available to Providers under the List of Wastes Code

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Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £1,789,000 excluding VAT
- £2,146,800 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 May 2026 to 30 April 2028
- Possible extension to 30 April 2030
- 4 years

Description of possible extension:

The initial term is twenty four (24) months from the service commencement date and the Council may, in its absolute discretion, extend the term by any number of defined periods providing that the maximum term does not exceed forty eight (48) months.

Options

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

The initial term from the service commencement date will be twenty four (24) months with the option to extend by any number of defined periods providing that the maximum term

does not exceed forty eight (48) months.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 90500000 - Refuse and waste related services

Not the same for all lots

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

Lot 1. Lot 1 - North Lancashire

Description

The Services will comprise the acceptance, weighing and Recycling of Mixed Inert Waste arising from Lancashire's Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) based in the North of Lancashire and delivered to a Provider's Facility by the Authority and/or its transport contractor.

Lot value (estimated)

- £537,000 excluding VAT

- £644,400 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract locations

- UKD44 - Lancaster and Wyre
- UKD45 - Mid Lancashire

Same for all lots

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

Lot 2. Lot 2 - South Lancashire

Description

The Services will comprise the acceptance, weighing and Recycling of Mixed Inert Waste arising from Lancashire's Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) based in South Lancashire and delivered to a Provider's Facility by the Authority and/or its transport contractor.

Lot value (estimated)

- £780,000 excluding VAT
- £936,000 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract locations

- UKD45 - Mid Lancashire
- UKD47 - Chorley and West Lancashire

Same for all lots

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

Lot 3. Lot 3 - East Lancashire

Description

The Services will comprise the acceptance, weighing and Recycling of Mixed Inert Waste arising from Lancashire's Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) based in East Lancashire and delivered to a Provider's Facility by the Authority and/or its transport contractor.

Lot value (estimated)

- £472,000 excluding VAT
- £566,400 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Contract locations

- UKD46 - East Lancashire

Same for all lots

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

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

Unlimited

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

Each Lot will be a single supplier framework agreement, with prices set in the framework agreement.

If Lancashire County Council elects to source services through the agreement then it shall award any contracts in accordance with the terms laid down in the agreement by placing an order with the provider.

Please see the tender documents for more information.

Award method when using the framework

Without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

Lot 1. Lot 1 - North Lancashire

Lot 2. Lot 2 - South Lancashire

Lot 3. Lot 3 - East Lancashire

Financial capacity.

Insurances.

Please see the tender documents for further information relating to conditions of participation.

Technical ability conditions of participation

Lot 1. Lot 1 - North Lancashire

Lot 2. Lot 2 - South Lancashire

Lot 3. Lot 3 - East Lancashire

Relevant experience and contract examples.

Experience of sub-contractor management.

Health and safety.

Please see the tender documents for further information relating to conditions of participation.

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Lot 1 - North Lancashire

Lot 2. Lot 2 - South Lancashire

Lot 3. Lot 3 - East Lancashire

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

23 February 2026, 11:59pm

Tender submission deadline

5 March 2026, 11:00am

Submission address and any special instructions

The tender documents are available on Lancashire County Council's electronic tendering site: www.lancashire.gov.uk/fusion-supplier-portal/

Use of this system does not require high specification IT equipment or connections, nor high-level personal IT skills/capabilities. Access to the system/software and advice is free of charge. Registration is necessary in order to view the tender details and obtain tender documentation. Tenderers are advised to allow plenty of time for registration and to do this as early as possible during the tender period.

Please see www.lancashire.gov.uk/business/tenders-and-procurement/tenders/ for further information.

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

27 March 2026

Recurring procurement

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 12 January 2030

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type
Award Stage Questionnaire	A series of pass/fail questions relating to: - Provider Facility Details - Recycling Facility Details (if applicable) - Method Statements	Quality
Social Value	Weighting 10% (split 6% quantitative and 4% qualitative)	Quality
Price	Weighting 90%	Price

Weighting description

A mixture of pass/fail questions and weighted scores, as detailed below. Please also see tender documents for further information.

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Justification for not publishing a preliminary market engagement notice

A preliminary market engagement notice has been published (see OCID ocds-h6vhtk-05128a) . However, following market engagement the Authority has decided to publish two separate tenders which relate to the original pipeline and preliminary market engagement notices. The Find a Tender system appears to only allow one tender notice to be linked to an OCID, so the checkbox for this particular notice has had to be unchecked to allow for publication of this tender notice.

Contracting authority

Lancashire County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBBJ-2179-TNXM

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Region: UKD45 - Mid Lancashire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

SOCIAL VALUE PORTAL LTD

Summary of their role in this procurement: Evaluation and ongoing contract management support for the social value deliverables under the future contract.

- Companies House: 09197997

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQHH-4489-TLZM

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