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Contract

## **DPS for the Provision of Bus & Taxi Services**

Carmarthenshire County Council  
Pembrokeshire County Council  
Pembrokeshire College

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

Carmarthenshire County Council

County Hall

Carmarthen

SA31 1JP

#### **Email**

[JAMaughan@carmarthenshire.gov.uk](mailto:JAMaughan@carmarthenshire.gov.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1267234567

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKL14 - South West Wales

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.carmarthenshire.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

[http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0281](http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0281)

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Pembrokeshire County Council

County Hall, Haverfordwest

Pembrokeshire

SA61 1TP

**Email**

[nigel.morgan@pembrokeshire.gov.uk](mailto:nigel.morgan@pembrokeshire.gov.uk)

**Telephone**

+44 1437775905

**Fax**

+44 1437776510

**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKL14 - South West Wales

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

[http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0255](http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0255)

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

Pembrokeshire College

Haverfordwest

Pembrokeshire

SA61 1SZ

### **Email**

[donna.barker@pembrokeshire.ac.uk](mailto:donna.barker@pembrokeshire.ac.uk)

### **Telephone**

+44 1437753264

### **Fax**

+44 1437753001

### **Country**

United Kingdom

### **NUTS code**

UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.pembrokeshire.ac.uk>

Buyer's address

[http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0271](http://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0271)

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

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

Regional or local authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

DPS for the Provision of Bus & Taxi Services

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

- 60120000 - Taxi services

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

Services

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

\*\*\*\*\*This is a Contract Award Notice for DPS Bus and Taxi Services\*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\*This is NOT an Invitation to Tender\*\*\*\*\*

Award from the DPS for Bus and Taxi Services for Carmarthenshire County Council and Pembrokeshire County Council from 1st January 2024 to 31st March 2024.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £22,892,014.26

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 60112000 - Public road transport services

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

NUTS codes

- UKL14 - South West Wales

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

PSV Contracts in Carmarthenshire

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Cost criterion - Name: Cost of Route / Weighting: 100

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Restricted procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2019/S 063-146707](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

Town Rider & Dial a Ride

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

1 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Preseli Rural Transport Association

PRESELI RURAL TRANSPORT ASSOCIATION, Yr Hen Ysgol Bwlchygroes

Llanfyrnach

SA350DP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £696,150

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

302, 322, 349, 356 & 381

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

1 April 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 12

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 12

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 12

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 12

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

First Cymru Buses Ltd

Heol Gwyrosydd, Penlan

Swansea

SA57BN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL18 - Swansea

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,399,582.32



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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

Fflecsi North West Pembrokeshire - Option A & B

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

1 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Pembrokeshire Voluntary Transport

9, Cedar Close, Cuffern

Haverfordwest

SA616HR

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL1 - West Wales and the Valleys

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,398,040

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

T163, T164, T254, T256, T258, T264, T301, T302 & T303

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

1 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 11

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 11

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 11

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 11

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

First Cymru Buses Ltd

Heol Gwyrosydd, Penlan

Swansea

SA57BN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL18 - Swansea

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £10,546,241.94

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

342, 430, Fflecsi Mid Pembs, T11, 400 & 404

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

1 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Richards Bros

Richards Bros, Moylgrove Garage

CARDIGAN

SA433AG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL - Wales

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,235,580

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Contract No**

403A & 403B

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

1 April 2024

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Sarah Bell Minibuses

Rhosyn Gwyn, Trecwn

Haverfordwest

SA625XP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL14 - South West Wales

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £616,420

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## Section VI. Complementary information

### VI.3) Additional information

To assist you in locating these opportunities on the BRAVO E Procurement System the project code is: project\_38046

Applicants must ensure that all PQQ questions are fully responded to. The following PQQ Project codes may further assist you in locating the opportunities:

PQQ code: pqq\_32527

Please also ensure you check the Attachments area for any documents/ information which may assist you with your submission or you are required to upload as part of your submission as per information contained within the tender pack.

Suppliers Instructions How to express interest in this Tender:

1. Register your company on the etenderwales portal (this is only required once)

- Browse to the eSourcing Portal: [www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk](http://www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk)
- Click the "Suppliers register here" link
- Enter your correct business and user details
- Note the username you chose and click "Save" when complete
- You will shortly receive an email with your unique password (please keep this secure)
- Agree to the terms and conditions and click "continue"

2. Express an Interest in the Project

- Login to the portal with the username/password
- Click the "PQQs Open to All Suppliers" link.
- Click on the relevant PQQ to access the content.
- Click the "Express Interest" button at the top of the screen
- This will move the PQQ into your "My PQQs" page. (This is a secure area reserved for

your projects only)

- Click on the PQQ code, you can now access any attachments by clicking the "Buyer Attachments" on the left hand side of the screen

### 3. Responding to the tender

- At the top of the screen you can choose to Create Response or Decline to Respond (please give a reason if declining)

- You can now use the Messages function on to communicate with the buyer and seek any clarification

- Note the deadline for completion, then follow the onscreen instructions to complete the PQQ

- There may be a mixture of online & offline actions for you to perform (there is detailed online help available)

If you require any further assistance use the online help, or the BravoSolution help desk is available Mon - Fri (8am - 6pm) on:

- email: [help@bravosolution.co.uk](mailto:help@bravosolution.co.uk)

- Phone: 0800 368 4850/ Fax: 020 7080 0480

Tenders or Requests to Participate must be sent to:

Official name:

[www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk](http://www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk)

Postal Address:

Carmarthenshire County Council will be conducting this procurement exercise through the Value Wales e-Tendering portal. This can be found at

[www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk](http://www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk) , all information may be downloaded and returned through this channel.

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## **VI.4) Procedures for review**

### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom