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Planning

PIN - Parking Policy Consultancy

Scottish Borders Council

F01: Prior information notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00394

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

PIN - Parking Policy Consultancy

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 60100000 - Road transport services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of consultancy in relation to parking policy

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71311200 - Transport systems consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Scottish Borders Council is seeking to review and identify opportunities for improvement to its existing parking policies. Having agreed to establish a member/officer working group, the Council are seeking to identify specialist expertise in the transport sector with specific emphasis on parking, enforcement, technology and community.

We wish to examine and understand the costs vs benefits of changing our current policies to help us modernise our parking policy and realise opportunities to improve the efficient performance of parking in our communities.

To achieve this, we are inviting expressions of interest from the private sector organisations who can offer expertise, resources, and innovative solutions in the review of the Councils current parking strategy in the following areas:

1. Current Policies arrangements (On and Off-street Parking)
2. Benchmarking and Best Practices (including public survey responses)
3. Financial Implications
4. Governance and Funding (Income allocation and criteria/Aggregation)
5. Mobile Home and Camper Van Provision
6. Digital Innovation
7. Risk & Mitigations
8. Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA)
9. Community Engagement
10. Decriminalised Parking Enforcement (DPE)

Depending on the outcome of the PIN, it is expected that a procurement will be carried out to appoint a suitably qualified bidder during May 2025.

II.2.14) Additional information

Interested parties are asked to complete the attached questionnaire and return it to the Council by close of business on 21/04/2025.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

30 May 2025

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

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