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## **Supply and Delivery of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Corporate Wear 2022-2026**

Cumbria County Council  
Carlisle City Council  
Allerdale Borough Council  
Eden District Council  
Copeland Borough Council  
Barrow Borough Council  
South Lakeland District Council

F02: Contract notice

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

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

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Carlisle

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**NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Carlisle City Council

Carlisle

**Email**

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

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

Allerdale Borough Council

Workington

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

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

Main address

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

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

Eden District Council

Penrith

#### **Email**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Copeland Borough Council

Whitehaven

**Email**

[procurement@copeland.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@copeland.gov.uk)

**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://copeland.gov.uk/>

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Barrow Borough Council

Barrow in Furness

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

**I.1) Name and addresses**

South Lakeland District Council

Kendal

**Email**

[procurement@southlakeland.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@southlakeland.gov.uk)

**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD1 - Cumbria

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

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

The contract involves joint procurement

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.the-chest.org.uk/>

#### **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**

Supply and Delivery of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Corporate Wear 2022-2026

Reference number

DN613515

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

- 18000000 - Clothing, footwear, luggage articles and accessories

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

Supplies

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

A multiple supplier call-off framework is required to supply and deliver PPE and offer ancillary support services which will be available to all six District Councils and Cumbria County Council in Cumbria. The type of PPE is split into two Lots across each new council area:-

- Lot 1 – Highways, Fleet and Transport only PPE
- A) Cumberland Council

- B) Westmorland and Furness Council
- Lot 2 – All other general PPE and Corporate Wear
- A) Cumberland Council
- B) Westmorland and Furness Council

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and Corporate Wear includes but is not limited to items such as safety helmets, gloves, eye protection, high-visibility and weatherproof clothing, corporate wear and safety footwear as well as respiratory protective equipment (RPE).

### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,400,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 – Highways, Fleet and Transport only PPE

Lot No

1

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

- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18200000 - Outerwear
- 18300000 - Garments
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18800000 - Footwear

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

NUTS codes

- UKD1 - Cumbria

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

The Lot 1 catalogue will list core and essential high performance Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) products, as defined by the Highways, Transport & Fleet Departments. PPE includes but is not limited to goods such as safety helmets, gloves, eye protection, high-visibility and weatherproof clothing and safety footwear as well as respiratory protective equipment (RPE). There will be a maximum of three suppliers awarded onto Lot 1 of the call-off framework in each area.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 75

Price - Weighting: 25

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Council proposes to enter into the Framework Agreement for an initial period of 2 years with the successful Tenderers (Service Provider) with the option of two further 12 months extensions.

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The multiple supplier call-off framework will be available to the six District Councils in Cumbria. Please note that Cumbria is currently undergoing a Local Government Reorganisation. Government has announced that Cumbria County Council and the six district councils are to be replaced by two unitary authorities with effect from 01 April 2023. This Agreement is for use by Cumbria County Council as identified in the contract notice and any successor council(s) as defined in The Local Government (Structural Changes) (Transfer of Functions, Property, Rights and Liabilities) Regulations 2008 of Cumbria County Council.

The 6 district councils are:-

- Allerdale District Council
- Barrow Borough Council
- Carlisle City Council
- Copeland Borough Council
- Eden District Council
- South Lakeland District Council

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 – All other general PPE and Corporate Wear

Lot No

2

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

- 18100000 - Occupational clothing, special workwear and accessories
- 18200000 - Outerwear
- 18300000 - Garments
- 18400000 - Special clothing and accessories
- 18800000 - Footwear

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

NUTS codes

- UKD1 - Cumbria

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

The Lot 2 catalogue will list standard day-to-day PPE and Corporate Wear products as required by other departments throughout the Council. Lot 2 will be awarded to one supplier in each area. The 'Standard' catalogue will be accessible to all departments and has currently over 230 lines including but not limited to t-shirts, trousers, jackets, healthcare tunics and safety boots.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 75

Price - Weighting: 25

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £200,000

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Council proposes to enter into the Framework Agreement for an initial period of 2

years with the successful Tenderers (Service Provider) with the option of two further 12 months extensions.

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Open procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 8

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

#### **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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

23 June 2022

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

23 June 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

Suppliers wishing to express an interest and obtain access to the tender documents should go to [www.the-chest.org.uk](http://www.the-chest.org.uk) and click on current opportunities from the navigation area on the left of the screen. On the next screen enter the contract Reference (DN613515) in the box labelled 'contains' then click search. Click on the Blue link for the contract title to view the opportunity. To express an interest you will need to login. If you are not already registered on the [www.the-chest.org.uk](http://www.the-chest.org.uk) you will need to return to the home page and click on Register. Register free link in the navigation area on the left of the screen. Registration is free of charge and your username and password will be emailed to you.

Cumbria County Council is fully supportive of all aspects of diversity including ethnicity, race, religion, age, disability and sexual orientation. In this respect Cumbria County Council

welcomes expressions of interest from ethnic minority, disabled and other diverse business

communities and the voluntary sector. Economic operators are therefore required to fully comply with all statutory obligations/applicable legislation and there will be a requirement to participate in the authority's supplier audits on all aspects of diversity.

The contracting authority expressly reserves the right:

(i) not to award any contract as a result of the procurement process commenced by publication of this notice; and

(ii) to make whatever changes it may see fit to the content and structure of the tendering competition; and in no circumstances will the contracting authority be liable for any costs incurred by the candidates. Any expenditure, work or effort undertaken prior to contract award is accordingly a matter solely for the commercial judgement of potential suppliers. The contracting authority reserve the right to use any electronic portal during the life of the agreement.

The value provided in section II.1.5) is only an estimate.

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

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

High Court of England

London

Country

United Kingdom