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Tender

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

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

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Main address

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Buyer's address

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

I.1) Name and addresses

Carlisle City Council

Carlisle

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD1 - Cumbria

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.1) Name and addresses

Allerdale Borough Council

Workington

Email

procurement@allerdale.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD1 - Cumbria

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.1) Name and addresses

Eden District Council

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD1 - Cumbria

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Main address

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I.1) Name and addresses

Copeland Borough Council

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

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UKD1 - Cumbria

Internet address(es)

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I.1) Name and addresses

Barrow Borough Council

Barrow in Furness

Email

jmuir@barrowbc.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD1 - Cumbria

Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.1) Name and addresses

South Lakeland District Council

Kendal

Email

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

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, highvisibility 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

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II.2.11) Information about options

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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

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 <u>www.the-chest.org.uk</u> 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 <u>www.the-chest.org.uk</u> 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