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Contract

Management and Operation of Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC)

Gateshead Borough Council
South Tyneside Borough Council
Sunderland City Council

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Scope

Description

This contract is being led by Gateshead Council on behalf of Gateshead Council, South Tyneside Council and Sunderland City Council (the Partner Authorities), who have formed the South Tyne & Wear Waste Management Partnership (STWWMP), for the provision of a Service for the Management and Operation of Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) in Gateshead, South Tyneside and Sunderland.

The Borough Council of Gateshead has entered into back-to-back contractual arrangements with its partner authorities to pass down the relevant provisions of this Contract/Tender ("the Authority Contracts"). The Authority Contracts have been implemented by the Borough Council of Gateshead as the lead authority for the partner authorities under the Contract for and on behalf of itself and the partner authorities.

Lot 1. Gateshead Council (Lot 1)

Description

Site 1 - Campground HWRC, Wrekenton

Site 2 - Cowen Road HWRC, Blaydon

Lot 2. South Tyneside Council (Lot 2)

Description

Middlefields HWRC, Tyne Dock, South Shields

Lot 3. Sunderland City Council (Lot 3)

Description

Pallion HWRC, Pallion Ind Est, Sunderland

Contract 1. Gateshead - Management and Operation of Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC)

Lots

Lot 1. Gateshead Council (Lot 1)

Supplier

- SUEZ RECYCLING AND RECOVERY UK LTD

Contract value

- £6,461,242.90 excluding VAT
- £7,753,491.48 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

12 February 2026

Contract dates

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2034
- 8 years

Description of possible extension:

Commencing 1st April 2026 for an initial term of 48 months, with two additional optional extensions of 24 months each.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 90500000 - Refuse and waste related services

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)

Key performance indicators

Name

KPI-01 - Recycling and Reuse Rate

KPI-02 - Residual Waste Rate

KPI-03 - Regulatory Compliance - Environment Agency inspection

Contract 2. South Tyneside - Management and Operation of Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC)

Lots

Lot 2. South Tyneside Council (Lot 2)

Supplier

- SUEZ RECYCLING AND RECOVERY UK LTD

Contract value

- £4,756,870.35 excluding VAT
- £5,708,244.42 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

12 February 2026

Contract dates

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Key performance indicators

Name

KPI-01 - Recycling and Reuse Rate

KPI-02 - Residual Waste Rate

KPI-03 - Regulatory Compliance - Environment Agency inspection

Contract 3. Sunderland - Management and Operation of Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC)

Lots

Lot 3. Sunderland City Council (Lot 3)

Supplier

- SUEZ RECYCLING AND RECOVERY UK LTD

Contract value

- £6,441,731.92 excluding VAT
- £7,730,078.31 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Date signed

12 February 2026

Contract dates

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- Possible extension to 31 March 2034
- 8 years

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KPI-02 - Residual Waste Rate

KPI-03 - Regulatory Compliance - Environment Agency inspection

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

SUEZ RECYCLING AND RECOVERY UK LTD

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- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPGZ-4293-TZJP

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Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

Contract 2

Contract 3

Contracting authorities

Gateshead Borough Council

- UK Register of Learning Providers (UKPRN number): 10002639
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPGY-1151-NJQN

Civic Centre, Regent Terrace

Gateshead

NE8 1HH

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@gateshead.gov.uk

Website: <https://www.gateshead.gov.uk/article/31230/Learning-and-Skills>

Region: UKC22 - Tyneside

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

South Tyneside Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYPB-8737-VBHG

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Region: UKC22 - Tyneside

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Sunderland City Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLVZ-4154-GGRZ

City Hall, Plater Way,

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United Kingdom

Email: corporate.procurement@sunderland.gov.uk

Region: UKC23 - Sunderland

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Contact organisation

Contact Gateshead Borough Council for any enquiries.