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Tender

The Supply and Disposal of Firefighting Foam

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority

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Scope

Description

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority is conducting a procurement for the supply and disposal of firefighting foam, using the Open Procedure, in accordance with the requirements of the Procurement Act 2023. The contract will be divided into two lots:

Lot 1: The Supply of Firefighting Foam

Lot 2: The Disposal of Firefighting Foam

The objective of this tender process is to appoint either one or two contractors for the supply and/or disposal of firefighting foam.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Rivenhall:-Fire-suppression-foam-or-similar-compounds./4UXUTR4D7X>

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Total value (estimated)

- £220,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 35111520 - Fire suppression foam or similar compounds

Contract locations

- UKH3 - Essex

Not the same for all lots

Contract dates are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

Lot 1. Supply of Firefighting Foam

Description

Based on current risk within Essex County Fire and Rescue Service, the anticipated amount of foam required is 18,000 litres. The foam should be delivered in 1000 litre intermediate bulk containers (IBC) and top up stock will be required for each IBC used.

Lot value (estimated)

- £170,000 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 3 November 2025 to 2 November 2030
- Possible extension to 2 November 2035
- 10 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract will run initially for 5 years with an option to extend for a further 5 years.

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Disposal of Firefighting Foam

Description

Essex County Fire and Rescue Service is seeking to tender the disposal of its current 13,000 litre stock of AFFF firefighting foam.

Lot value (estimated)

- £50,000 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 3 November 2025 to 30 November 2025
- 28 days

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

Lot 1. Supply of Firefighting Foam

Please refer to the tender documents.

Lot 2. Disposal of Firefighting Foam

Please refer to tender documents

Technical ability conditions of participation

Lot 1. Supply of Firefighting Foam

Please refer to the tender documents.

Lot 2. Disposal of Firefighting Foam

Please refer to tender documents

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Supply of Firefighting Foam

Lot 2. Disposal of Firefighting Foam

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

23 May 2025, 2:00pm

Tender submission deadline

5 June 2025, 1:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

23 September 2025

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Price	Long criteria description	Price	50%
Quality	Long criteria description	Quality	50%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)
- Comprehensive and Progressive Agreement for Trans-Pacific Partnership (CPTPP)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government