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Tender

COV - Taxi Framework

Coventry City Council

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Scope

Reference

COV-22140

Description

Coventry City Council is seeking to appoint a new framework of taxi operators to provide taxi services, including Home to School provision, to eligible individuals. The current arrangement is procured via the COV-5834 Dynamic Purchasing System for Taxis. Preliminary Market Engagement was held on 07 April 2025 at Whitley Depot, Coventry. On the award of the new Framework, the current DPS will be terminated. On Framework award, the Council will begin issuing further competitions for call-offs.

Commercial tool

Establishes an open framework

A series of frameworks with substantially the same terms. Awarded suppliers are carried over and new suppliers can bid.

Total value (estimated)

- £14,100,000 excluding VAT

- £16,920,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 14 July 2025 to 13 July 2029

- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 60120000 - Taxi services

Framework

Open framework scheme end date (estimated)

14 July 2029

Maximum number of suppliers

15

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

The initial term of the Framework will be for the period of twelve (12) months from commencement. The Framework will be subject to reopening events annually from commencement to a maximum term of four (4) years).

In accordance with Section 49(5) Open Frameworks of the Procurement Act 2023, when the Council reopens the Framework to invite new suppliers, incumbent Framework Suppliers may be awarded a place on the subsequent Framework by reference to either:

• A tender relating to an earlier award of a framework under the scheme, or

• A tender relating to the current (reopening) award.

The Council will engage with incumbent suppliers to understand on which basis they wish to participate, and the Supplier(s) will be required to formally declare in writing on what basis they wish to participate in the reopening exercise. Tenders received following a reopening event will be assessed in accordance with the methodology set out at 5. Evaluation and Award Process and may result in Suppliers that had previously been awarded Framework Agreement(s) not being awarded subsequent Framework Agreements.

Award method when using the framework

Either with or without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

30 May 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

11 June 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

www.csw-jets.co.uk

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

27 June 2025

Recurring procurement

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 1 May 2026

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Price Per Mile	Price	45.00%
Compliance	Quality	20.00%
Safeguarding	Quality	15.00%
Health & Safety	Quality	15.00%
Escort Hourly Rate	Price	5.00%

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Associated tender documents

http://www.csw-jets.co.uk

Associated tender documents are available free of charge at www.csw-jets.co.uk

Contracting authority

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government