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**Planning** 

# South West Wales Regional Civil Engineering Contractors Framework

Carmarthenshire County Council
Cyngor Sir Ceredigion County Council
Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council
Pembrokeshire County Council
City & County of Swansea

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Carmarthenshire County Council

County Hall

Carmarthen

**SA31 1JP** 

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#### **Telephone**

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKL14 - South West Wales

# Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.carmarthenshire.gov.wales

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0281

# I.1) Name and addresses

Cyngor Sir Ceredigion County Council

Canolfan Rheidol, Rhoddfa Padarn

Aberystwyth

**SY23 3UE** 

#### **Email**

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# **Telephone**

+44 1545570881

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKL14 - South West Wales

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.ceredigion.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0491

# I.1) Name and addresses

Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council

Civic Centre

Port Talbot

**SA13 1PJ** 

#### **Email**

procurement@npt.gov.uk

# **Telephone**

+44 1639763929

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKL17 - Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot

### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.npt.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0274

# I.1) Name and addresses

Pembrokeshire County Council County Hall, Haverfordwest Pembrokeshire **SA61 1TP Email** nigel.morgan@pembrokeshire.gov.uk **Telephone** +44 1437775905 Fax +44 1437776510 Country **United Kingdom NUTS** code UKL14 - South West Wales Internet address(es) Main address http://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk Buyer's address https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0255 I.1) Name and addresses City & County of Swansea

Civic Centre

Swansea	
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procurement@swansea.gov.uk

# **Telephone**

+44 1792637242

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKL18 - Swansea

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.swansea.gov.uk/dobusiness

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0254

# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

# I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# 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

South West Wales Regional Civil Engineering Contractors Framework

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 45000000 - Construction work

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

#### II.1.4) Short description

PLEASE NOTE - THIS IS A PRIOR INFORMATION NOTICE and NOT AN INVITATION TO TENDER.

Carmarthenshire County Council in association with Ceredigion County Council, Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council, Pembrokeshire County Council and Swansea Council ('the Councils') wish to appoint suitably qualified Contractors for the delivery of civil engineering related construction projects across the region.

The Framework will include value-banded and geographical/regional lots for Civil Engineering Works (e.g. Very Small, Small, Medium and Large Civils Work) as well as lots for Specialist Civils Work (e.g. Demolition, Public Lighting, Lining & Road Marking, Surfacing, Ground Investigations, Marine Works, Traffic Management).

However, at this stage, the arrangement and lotting structure are still under development and may be subject to change. Final details will be published in the tender documentation, together with details of Community Benefits, measures for the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act and Decarbonisation policy agenda.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

County-specific lots for Civil Engineering Works

Lot No

1

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

- 45000000 Construction work
- 45200000 Works for complete or part construction and civil engineering work
- 45233000 Construction, foundation and surface works for highways, roads
- 45233130 Construction work for highways
- 45233100 Construction work for highways, roads
- 45233131 Construction work for elevated highways
- 45233300 Foundation work for highways, roads, streets and footpaths
- 45233210 Surface work for highways
- 45233310 Foundation work for highways
- 45230000 Construction work for pipelines, communication and power lines, for highways, roads, airfields and railways; flatwork
- 45233139 Highway maintenance work

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

- UKL14 South West Wales
- UKL17 Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot
- UKL18 Swansea

Main site or place of performance

Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion, Neath Port Talbot, Pembrokeshire and Swansea.

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

The Framework will include value-banded and geographical lots for Civil Engineering Works (e.g. Very Small Civils Work 0 - 50,000 GBP and Small Civils Work 0 - 400,000 GBP).

A key addition proposed for this new Framework will be the inclusion of county-specific lots for very small civil works for up to 50,000 GBP in value. The Councils wish to encourage Small & Medium Businesses to bid for a place on these lots.

Please see the Framework Information presentation attached to this Notice for more details of the types of works required in the Very Small lots.

However, at this stage, the lotting structure is still under development and may be subject to change. Final lot details will be published in the tender documentation.

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Regional lots for Civil Engineering Works

Lot No

2

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

- 45000000 Construction work
- 45200000 Works for complete or part construction and civil engineering work
- 45233000 Construction, foundation and surface works for highways, roads
- 45233130 Construction work for highways
- 45233100 Construction work for highways, roads
- 45233131 Construction work for elevated highways
- 45233300 Foundation work for highways, roads, streets and footpaths
- 45233210 Surface work for highways

- 45233310 Foundation work for highways
- 45230000 Construction work for pipelines, communication and power lines, for highways, roads, airfields and railways; flatwork
- 45233139 Highway maintenance work

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

- UKL14 South West Wales
- UKL17 Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot
- UKL18 Swansea

Main site or place of performance

Whole region encompassing the counties of Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion, Neath Port Talbot, Pembrokeshire and Swansea.

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

The Framework will include regional value-banded lots for Civil Engineering Works (e.g. Medium Civils Work 400,000 - 2,000,000 GBP and Large Civils Work 2,000,000+ GBP).

Please see the Framework Information presentation attached to this Notice for more details.

However, at this stage, the lotting structure is still under development and may be subject to change. Final lot details will be published in the tender documentation.

# II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Specialist Lots for Civils Works

Lot No

3

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

• 45000000 - Construction work

- 45111000 Demolition, site preparation and clearance work
- 45111100 Demolition work
- 50232000 Maintenance services of public-lighting installations and traffic lights
- 50232100 Street-lighting maintenance services
- 45233221 Road-surface painting work
- 45233228 Surface coating construction work
- 45233200 Various surface works
- 45233139 Highway maintenance work
- 45233210 Surface work for highways
- 45233223 Carriageway resurfacing works
- 45233251 Resurfacing works
- 45233250 Surfacing work except for roads
- 45111250 Ground investigation work
- 71351500 Ground investigation services
- 98363000 Diving services
- 63712700 Traffic control services
- 63712000 Support services for road transport
- 34923000 Road traffic-control equipment

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

#### **NUTS** codes

- UKL14 South West Wales
- UKL17 Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot
- UKL18 Swansea

Main site or place of performance

Whole region encompassing the counties of Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion, Neath Port Talbot, Pembrokeshire and Swansea.

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

The Framework will include lots for specialist civils work such as:

- Demolition
- Public Lighting
- Lining & Road Marking
- Surfacing
- Ground Investigations
- Marine Works (Excluding Coastal)
- Traffic Management

Please see the Framework Information presentation attached to this Notice for more details.

However, at this stage, the lotting structure is still under development and may be subject to change. Final lot details will be published in the tender documentation.

# II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

5 September 2022

# Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

#### FRAMEWORK INFORMATION

Initial framework information presentations are attached to assist interested parties in preparing to bid. However, at this stage, the framework lotting structure and other details are under development and are subject to change. Final details will be published in the tender documentation.

#### **TENDER SUPPORT**

The Councils wish to encourage Small & Medium Businesses to bid for a place on the Framework. If your company requires further information about the Framework or the tendering process, please contact Carmarthenshire County Council (as Administrative Lead Authority of this joint Framework) via the messaging facility on this Prior Information Notice. Any queries and the subsequent responses may be published (anonymously) to all interested parties.

#### **BUSINESS WALES TENDER SUPPORT**

Business Wales is offering interested parties the following support:

- General Pre-Tender Refresher / Tender-Ready support sessions (e.g. support to register on relevant platforms such as Sell2Wales and eTenderWales), currently scheduled for September 8th 2022 (Thursday) from 11am 1pm
- Live-Tender Webinar / Workshop specifically for this Framework tender, once the tender is published which is currently scheduled for September 28th 2022 (Wednesday) (Times to be confirmed).

If your company wishes to make use of this independent support, please contact Business Wales directly. See attached presentation for Business Wales' contact details.

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Sell2Wales Web Site at

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/Search/Search\_Switch.aspx?ID=122125.

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