

This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/027144-2025>

Pipeline

## **Bus Services**

Cumberland Council

UK1: Pipeline notice - Procurement Act 2023 - [view information about notice types](#)

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-027144

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05251e

Published 23 May 2025, 6:29pm

## **Scope**

### **Description**

To procure suitably qualified transport operators to run subsidised scheduled bus service routes or enhance existing services as part of Cumberland's Bus Service Improvement Plan. The council can only subsidise or support bus services where they are not commercially viable.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £3,600,000 excluding VAT
- £4,320,000 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 October 2025 to 30 November 2026
- 1 year, 2 months

## **Main category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 60100000 - Road transport services

## **Contract locations**

- UKD1 - Cumbria

---

## **Submission**

### **Publication date of tender notice (estimated)**

9 June 2025

---

## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

### **Above or below total value threshold**

Above or equal to threshold

---

## Contracting authority

### Cumberland Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJGX-9191-DYLV

Cumbria House, 107-117 Botchergate

Carlisle

CA1 1RD

United Kingdom

Email: [peopleprocurement@cumberland.gov.uk](mailto:peopleprocurement@cumberland.gov.uk)

Region: UKD12 - East Cumbria

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government