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#### Contract

# **Sustainable Fleet Solutions**

North Western Universities Purchasing Consortium

F03: Contract award notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

North Western Universities Purchasing Consortium

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### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

04045190

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://nwupc.ac.uk/

Buyer's address

https://uk.eu-supply.com/ctm/Company/CompanyInformation/Index/91080

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Sub-central contracting authority

# I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Sustainable Fleet Solutions

Reference number

**VEH 3137 NW** 

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 34110000 - Passenger cars

### II.1.3) Type of contract

**Supplies** 

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Sustainable Fleet Solutions VEH 3137 NW Framework is looking to provide services for APUC, CPC, HEPCW, LUPC, NEUPC, NWUPC and SUPC members to facilitate vehicle hire (of manual and automatic, petrol and diesel fueled, and or electric powered) over a broad option of vehicles up to a maximum hire length of two years (Lot 1). The use of Virtual Fleet Car Club Services on an ad hoc basis, the leasing of Onboard Car Club Technology along with required support to utilise Member fleet as Car Club vehicles and finally the leasing of dedicated Car Club Pool Vehicles (Lot 2). Leasing services with an emphasis on the transition to ultra-low emission vehicles (ULEV) (Lot 3) and ULEV Salary Sacrifice Schemes (Lot 4).

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £25,000,000

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 Vehicle Hire

Lot No

1

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

- 34120000 Motor vehicles for the transport of 10 or more persons
- 34136000 Vans
- 34136100 Light vans
- 34136200 Panel vans
- 79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Covers the hire of vehicles including both automatic and manual vehicles, both petrol and diesel vehicles along with ultra-low emission or low emission options. The vehicles will consist primarily of cars, including 4x4s off road vehicles, light commercial vehicles with a weight up to 3.5 tonnes (LCV) of varying size, self-drive minibuses.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Requirements / Weighting: 50.00

Price - Weighting: 50.00

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Identification of the project

The framework may be used for ERDF funded projects

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 - Car Club

Lot No

2

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

- 34120000 Motor vehicles for the transport of 10 or more persons
- 34136000 Vans
- 34136100 Light vans
- 34136200 Panel vans
- 79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Car Club Services including the use of the Supplier's established virtual fleet to allow both pre-booking and ad-hoc short-term rental of vehicles once a Car Club membership has been created; the provision of onboard car club technology in Member owned fleet vehicles to facilitate Car Club style provision; and the provision of dedicated Car Club pool vehicles for Member use

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Requirements / Weighting: 50.00

Price - Weighting: 50.00

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

## II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Identification of the project

The framework may be used for ERDF funded projects

#### II.2.14) Additional information

The award process for Lot 2 Car Club has not been concluded and, as such, will be covered in a separate contract award notice in line with the conclusion of the contract.

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 - Leasing

Lot No

3

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

- 34120000 Motor vehicles for the transport of 10 or more persons
- 34136000 Vans
- 34136100 Light vans
- 34136200 Panel vans
- 79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

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

Covers the leasing of vehicles. Participating Consortia Members will have a requirement for both automatic and manual transmission, and both petrol and diesel vehicles alongside the option for ultra-low emission or low emission vehicles. Vehicles will consist primarily of cars, including 4x4s off road vehicles, light commercial vehicles with a weight up to 3.5 tonnes (LCV) of varying size and self-drive minibuses.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Requirements / Weighting: 50.00

Price - Weighting: 50.00

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Identification of the project

The framework may be used for ERDF funded projects

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 - Salary Sacrifice for Ultra-Low Emission Vehicles

Lot No

4

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

- 34120000 Motor vehicles for the transport of 10 or more persons
- 34136000 Vans
- 34136100 Light vans
- 34136200 Panel vans
- 79000000 Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - United Kingdom

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Provision of an Ultra Low Emission Vehicle Salary Sacrifice Scheme enabling the employees of participating organisations to obtain a new fully maintained and insured ultra low emission vehicle in exchange for a monthly deduction from their gross salary.

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Customer Requirements / Weighting: 70.00

Price - Weighting: 30.00

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Identification of the project

The framework may be used for ERDF funded projects

#### II.2.14) Additional information

The award process for Lot 4 Salary Sacrifice has not been concluded and, as such, will be covered in a separate contract award notice in line with the conclusion of the contract.

## Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

## IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

## IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## IV.2) Administrative information

### IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: 2022/S 000-017331

# Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 Vehicle Hire

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## V.2) Award of contract

## V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 September 2022

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

#### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Arnold Clark Car & Van Rental

Arnold Clark Car & Van Rental Head Office Volvo Complex Kerse Road Stirling FK7 7LA

Stirling

Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

## V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Car Hire (Day of Swansea) Ltd t/a Days Rental

Swansea Road Garngoch Swansea SA4 4LL

Swansea

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

## V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Limesquare Vehicle Rental

PO Box 208 Weybridge Surrey KT13 0TU

Surrey

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

## V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Wessex Fleet Solutions

Unit 6, The Guild, King Street, Wilton, Salisbury, SP2 0RS

Salisbury

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

## V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £25,000,000

# Section V. Award of contract

#### **Contract No**

3

#### **Title**

Lot 3 - Leasing

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## V.2) Award of contract

## V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 September 2022

## V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Arnold Clark Car & Van Rental

Stirling

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

#### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Car Hire (Day of Swansea) Ltd t/a Days Rental

Swansea

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UK - United Kingdom

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Limesquare Vehicle Rental
Surrey
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor
Wessex Fleet Solutions
Salisbury
Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
The contractor is an SME
Yes
V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £25,000,000

The contractor is an SME

No

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

Please note that this notice relates only to the award of Lots 1 & 3 of this tender exercise. The award process for Lot 2 Car Club and Lot 4 Salary Sacrifice has not been concluded and, as such, will be covered in a separate contract notice in line with the conclusion of the contract.

Please note that the contract conclusion is still to be finalised with additional supplier(s) on Lot 1. Once the contract(s) are concluded, a further contract award notice will be published.

The members of the Participating Consortia who intend to utilise this framework agreement are as follows:

NWUPC <a href="https://www.nwupc.ac.uk/our-members">https://www.nwupc.ac.uk/our-members</a>

APUC <a href="http://www.apuc-scot.ac.uk/#!/members">http://www.apuc-scot.ac.uk/#!/members</a>

HEPCW http://www.hepcw.ac.uk/about-us-2/

LUPC https://www.lupc.ac.uk/member-list

NEUPC <a href="http://www.neupc.ac.uk/our-members">http://www.neupc.ac.uk/our-members</a>

SUPC <a href="https://www.supc.ac.uk/about-us/our-members/our-members/our-members/our-members/our-members/">https://www.supc.ac.uk/about-us/our-members/our-members/our-members/</a>

CPC <a href="https://www.thecpc.ac.uk/members/">https://www.thecpc.ac.uk/members/</a>

At some point during the life of the Framework Agreement the current members of the following may wish to utilise the Agreement and should have access at any point with the permission of NWUPC. This Agreement is not intended to replace any current Agreements that either participating or non-participating Institutions may already have in place. A list of the current members is available as follows:

Central Government Departments, Local Government and Public Corporations that can be accessed at the Public Sector Classification Guide

https://www.ons.gov.uk/economy/nationalaccounts/uksectoraccounts/datasets/publicsectorclassificationguide

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations

**Local Authorities** 

https://www.gov.uk/find-local-council

https://www.local.gov.uk

**NDPBs** 

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations

National Parks Authorities

http://www.nationalparks.uk

Police Forces in the United Kingdom

http://www.police.uk/?view=force\_sites

https://www.police-information.co.uk/index.html

Fire and Rescue Services in the United Kingdom

https://www.nationalfirechiefs.org.uk/Fire-and-Rescue-Services

NHS Bodies England

https://www.nhs.uk/servicedirectories/pages/nhstrustlisting.aspx

Hospices in the UK

https://www.hospiceuk.org/about-hospice-care/find-a-hospice

Registered Social Landlords (Housing Associations)

Third Sector and Charities in the United Kingdom

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/charity-commission

http://www.oscr.org.uk

Citizens Advice in the United Kingdom

http://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/index/getadvice.htm

www.cas.org.uk

Scottish Police

http://www.scotland.police.uk

**NI Public Bodies** 

Northern Ireland Government Departments

https://www.northernireland.gov.uk/topics/your-executive/government-departments

https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/contacts/government-departments-in-northern-ireland

Northern Ireland Public Sector Bodies and Local Authorities

https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/articles/list-public-bodies-which-ni-public-procurement-policy-applies

Schools and Universities in Northern Ireland

https://www.education-ni.gov.uk/

Health and Social care in Northern Ireland

http://online.hscni.net

Northern Ireland Housing Associations

https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/contacts/housing-associations

Police Service of Northern Ireland

https://www.psni.police.uk

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

**NWUPC Ltd** 

Salford

Country

# United Kingdom

# VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

NWUPC Ltd

Salford

Country

United Kingdom