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Tender

Provision of Ice Creams & Refreshments

Liverpool City Council

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Scope

Reference

DN739431

Description

Liverpool City Council is conducting an open procedure for the provision of ice creams and refreshment concessions in designated areas within the city's parks. The concessions will provide high-quality ice cream, refreshments and related products to residents and visitors, contributing to the vibrant and diverse culinary scene of Liverpool.

Total value (estimated)

- £5,000,000 excluding VAT

- £6,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 October 2025 to 30 September 2028
- Possible extension to 30 September 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Two 12 month extension options available on each lot

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 15800000 - Miscellaneous food products
- 15900000 - Beverages, tobacco and related products
- 55320000 - Meal-serving services
- 55330000 - Cafeteria services

Contract locations

- UKD72 - Liverpool

Lot constraints

Maximum number of lots a supplier can be awarded: 5

Description of how multiple lots may be awarded:

Detail of how the awarding of the lots will be conducted is detailed within the tender instructions

Lot 1. Croxteth Hall

Description

Croxteth Hall and Country Park - 3 locations Muirhead Avenue Carpark; Hall Adjacent and West Derby Gates/Play Area

One Vendor and can have up to Three Sites by agreement with LCC

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £750,000 excluding VAT

- £900,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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

Lot 2. Otterspool Promenade

Description

Otterspool Promenade - 2 locations either Jericho Lane Car Park 1 or 2

One Vendor and can have up to Two Sites by agreement with LCC

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £750,000 excluding VAT
- £900,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 3. Calderstones Park

Description

Calderstones Park - Yew Tree Carpark

One vendor with one site

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £250,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 4. Stanley Park

Description

Stanley Park - Dahlia Walk to Mill Lane area

One Vendor can cater for up to 10 sites on Match Days. In terms of major events these are planned and LCC are required to sign these off at least 12 weeks in advance for major events which occur in June.

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £250,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 5. Sefton Park

Description

Sefton Park - 2 locations Lark Lane Car Park & Revue Field Car Park

Please note that due to contractual requirements the tenant within the café has the first right of refusal for this site

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £750,000 excluding VAT
- £900,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 6. Everton Park

Description

Everton Park - Viewing Terrace

One vendor with one site

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Lot value (estimated)

- £250,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 7. St Johns Garden

Description

St Johns Garden

One vendor can have up to two sites by agreement with LCC

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £500,000 excluding VAT
- £600,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 8. Princes Park

Description

Princes Park - 2 locations either Boathouse or Play area adjacent

One vendor can have up to two sites by agreement with LCC

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £500,000 excluding VAT
- £600,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 9. Festival Gardens

Description

Festival Gardens - 2 locations Otterspool Prom entrance or play area adjacent plus new Southern Grasslands

One Vendor and can have up to Two Sites by agreement with LCC

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £500,000 excluding VAT
- £600,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 10. Wavertree Playground

Description

Wavertree Playground "The Mystery" - central junction adjacent athletics track

One vendor one site

Please note the lot value is an estimated total based on potential turnover

Lot value (estimated)

- £250,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

Same for all lots

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Lot 11. Springfield Park

Description

Springfield Park adjacent *New* Car Park/Play Area

One vendor one site

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Lot value (estimated)

- £250,000 excluding VAT
- £300,000 including VAT

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Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Croxteth Hall

Lot 2. Otterspool Promenade

Lot 3. Calderstones Park

Lot 4. Stanley Park

Lot 5. Sefton Park

Lot 6. Everton Park

Lot 7. St Johns Garden

Lot 8. Princes Park

Lot 9. Festival Gardens

Lot 10. Wavertree Playground

Lot 11. Springfield Park

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

2 July 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

9 July 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Home/About>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

1 October 2025

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Quality 60%	60% Quality	Quality	60%
Cost per Lot	Cost per lot - 30%	Cost	30%
Social Value Cost per Lot	Social Value Cost per Lot	Cost	10%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Concession

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Home/About>

Technical specifications to be met

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Home/About>

Contracting authority

Liverpool City Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PRVY-7813-WLPG

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