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Planning

## **BwDBC Waste Contracts 2026**

Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

DN777613

### **Description**

1. Treatment / Processing and Disposal of Recyclable Waste
2. Treatment / Disposal of Residual Waste
3. Treatment / Disposal of Food Waste

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

- £100,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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

- 1 June 2026 to 1 June 2034
- Possible extension to 1 June 2036
- 10 years, 1 day

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 90510000 - Refuse disposal and treatment

### **Contract locations**

- UKD41 - Blackburn with Darwen

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## **Engagement**

## **Engagement deadline**

1 August 2025

## **Engagement process description**

The Council intends to hold one to one meetings with interested parties and exchange information with bidders - confidentially - through email, phone etc, in order to ensure there is a competitive process attached to the procurement.

There is no fixed deadline for completion of the pre-market engagement although it is intended to complete by the 31st of July 2025.

Bidders can submit answers to the questions below by email or via The Chest. However, the intention of the Council is to make themselves available to discuss these with bidders in the one-to-one meetings.

To access the pre-market engagement document and supporting information relating to this exercise, please register and find the opportunity on The Chest using the link below:

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register>

Please contact [mark.winder@blackburn.gov.uk](mailto:mark.winder@blackburn.gov.uk) to arrange a one to one meeting or exchange information regarding this exercise.

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## **Submission**

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

2 October 2025

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## Contracting authority

### Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYGR-1856-CVXM

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government