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## **Heavy Plant and Operator Provision for Waste and Large Industrial and Agricultural Building Fires**

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority

Service Headquarters Kelvedon Park, London Road

Rivenhall

CM8 3HB

#### **Contact**

Procurement

#### **Email**

[contracts@essex-fire.gov.uk](mailto:contracts@essex-fire.gov.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1376576000

## **Country**

United Kingdom

## **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.essex-fire.gov.uk](http://www.essex-fire.gov.uk)

Buyer's address

[www.essex-fire.gov.uk](http://www.essex-fire.gov.uk)

## **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Rivenhall:-Hire-of-industrial-vehicles-with-driver./ZE2EN99YSE>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

## **I.5) Main activity**

Public order and safety

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Heavy Plant and Operator Provision for Waste and Large Industrial and Agricultural Building Fires

Reference number

ECFRS00205

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 60182000 - Hire of industrial vehicles with driver

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Essex County Fire and Rescue Service (ECFRS) provide a response to a multitude of complex incidents that often require or would be enhanced by specialist skill sets/equipment. Two such incident types in which we often encounter difficulties are waste fires and fires within industrial/commercial/agricultural buildings. To enable ECFRS to effectively respond and resolve the aforementioned incident types, we require operational support anywhere across Essex 24 hours a day, 365 days a year in the form of Heavy Plant provision and specialist advice.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £100,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKH3 - Essex

Main site or place of performance

Essex

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

Tenderers are referred to the full specification of requirement within the tender documents but in summary, the successful Contractor must be able to provide a Plant and Machinery Specialist Advisor to provide remote advice immediately by telephone or video call. The Specialist Advisor would then be required to attend the incident within 2 hours of a request being made to attend the site to offer specialist advice as to the suitable, available plant machinery that could support the tactical plan and provide accurate advice regarding the use of heavy plant to gain access/egress into a collapsed structure allowing safe firefighting operations to take place. The plant must be delivered to site within 4 hours of agreeing the appropriate plant, and if required and agreed, a second machine should be delivered within 24 hours. The Contractor is to provide an operator who would be required to operate the agreed machinery once delivered to site in line with all risk assessments. Attendance and supply of heavy plant could be requested anywhere in the county of Essex.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Start date

1 June 2023

End date

31 May 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Authority will have the with an option to extend the contract beyond the initial four (4) year term in 2 x twenty-four (24) month blocks for a maximum contract term of 8 years.

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

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### **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

##### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

6 January 2023

Local time

1:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

6 January 2023

Local time

1:01pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

Tender responses must be submitted by the date and time specified in section IV.2.2. The Authority reserves the right not to accept requests to participate that are received after the deadline. Tenderers are encouraged to submit their submissions well in advance of the stated date and time in order to avoid issues such as technical difficulties with the electronic system that may be due to the high volumes of traffic attempting to submit applications on the same date at the same time.

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### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

**VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority

Essex

Country

United Kingdom

**VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority

Essex

Country

United Kingdom