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# **Vehicle Spares for Transport Connect**

Lincolnshire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Lincolnshire County Council

County Offices, Newland

Lincoln

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKF3 - Lincolnshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

### I.3) Communication

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

https://procontract.due-north.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://procontract.due-north.com

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

## I.5) Main activity

General public services

## **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Vehicle Spares for Transport Connect

Reference number

DN710724

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 34300000 - Parts and accessories for vehicles and their engines

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Contract is for the supply of vehicle parts to TransportConnect Limited.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKF3 - Lincolnshire

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

TransportConnect Ltd. ('TCL') own and operate a fleet of adaptive minibuses and cars (the 'Fleet') in addition to this they also maintain the Lincolnshire gritter fleet along with some LCV's and a small number of trailer mounted items of plant. These vehicles deliver demand-responsive transport and SEND ('Special Educational Needs and Disability') home to school transport.

The reliable operation of the Fleet is a critical factor in the delivery of these essential public services and as such the Services shall include the following key elements:

- (1) fast and competent identification of spare parts;
- (2) good availability of spare parts;
- (3) the provision and management of imprest stock;
- (4) good quality spare parts;
- (5) responsive delivery service;
- (6) a parts booking system;
- (7) proactive contract management.

Contract expenditure has been in the region of £300,000 per annum, however TCL does not guarantee any level of business through this contract.

Further information including details on the procurement, T&C's and the specification are available free to view at: <a href="https://procontract.due-north.com">https://procontract.due-north.com</a>

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Criteria / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Start date

1 February 2025

End date

1 February 2028

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

There will be an option for the Customer to extend the Contract by a period of up to a further two 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

### 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: Yes

### IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

18 November 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

#### IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

18 November 2024

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

High Court of England and Wales, Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand, London. WC2A 2LL.

London

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Country

**United Kingdom**