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## **Vehicle Spares for Transport Connect**

Lincolnshire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04ace9

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

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

Lincolnshire County Council

County Offices, Newland

Lincoln

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#### **Contact**

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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

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## **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: <https://procontract.due-north.com>

#### **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

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## **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.

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United Kingdom