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Tender

## **South West & Mid Wales Regional Civil Engineering Services Framework 2025**

Carmarthenshire County Council  
Carmarthenshire County Council  
Cyngor Sir Ceredigion County Council  
Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council  
Pembrokeshire County Council  
Powys County Council  
Swansea Council

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

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[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0491](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0491)

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Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0274](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0274)

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<https://www.pembrokeshire.gov.uk>

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[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0255](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0255)

**I.1) Name and addresses**

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Main address

<https://en.powys.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0354](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0354)

**I.1) Name and addresses**

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKL18 - Swansea

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Main address

<https://www.swansea.gov.uk/dobusiness>

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0254](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0254)

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>

**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**

South West & Mid Wales Regional Civil Engineering Services Framework 2025

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

- 71300000 - Engineering services

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

Services

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

Carmarthenshire County Council in association with Ceredigion County Council, Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council, Pembrokeshire County Council, Powys County Council and Swansea Council ('the Councils') wish to appoint suitably qualified Consultant Engineers who will provide a full range of civil engineering design related services across the Region.

The Framework will consist of two lots, one for Specialist Consultancy Services and one for Multi-Disciplinary Services.

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 1

## **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Multi-Disciplinary Services

Lot No

2

## II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services
- 71300000 - Engineering services
- 71310000 - Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71311000 - Civil engineering consultancy services
- 71311100 - Civil engineering support services
- 71311200 - Transport systems consultancy services
- 71311210 - Highways consultancy services
- 71311220 - Highways engineering services
- 71311300 - Infrastructure works consultancy services
- 71312000 - Structural engineering consultancy services
- 71313000 - Environmental engineering consultancy services
- 71320000 - Engineering design services
- 71330000 - Miscellaneous engineering services
- 71340000 - Integrated engineering services
- 71350000 - Engineering-related scientific and technical services
- 71400000 - Urban planning and landscape architectural services
- 71500000 - Construction-related services
- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services
- 71700000 - Monitoring and control services
- 71800000 - Consulting services for water-supply and waste consultancy
- 71900000 - Laboratory services
- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services
- 90710000 - Environmental management
- 90720000 - Environmental protection
- 90730000 - Pollution tracking and monitoring and rehabilitation

- 90731000 - Services related to air pollution
- 90732000 - Services related to soil pollution
- 90733000 - Services related to water pollution
- 90733700 - Groundwater pollution monitoring or control services
- 71240000 - Architectural, engineering and planning services
- 71322100 - Quantity surveying services for civil engineering works
- 71322500 - Engineering-design services for traffic installations
- 71332000 - Geotechnical engineering services
- 71354500 - Marine survey services
- 71355000 - Surveying services
- 71351810 - Topographical services
- 90522000 - Services relating to contaminated soil

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

NUTS codes

- UKL14 - South West Wales
- UKL17 - Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot
- UKL18 - Swansea
- UKL24 - Powys

Main site or place of performance

Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion, Neath Port Talbot, Pembrokeshire, Powys and Swansea.

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

The Framework will include a lot for Multi-Disciplinary Services in sectors such as highways, structures and transportation engineering to include project management, technical advice, design, technical surveys, construction management and management of services.

### **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**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for up to a further 12 months.

#### **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**

There are restrictions in place for this lot. Tenders may be submitted for one or both Lots, however, Tenderers will only be awarded a place on one Lot. Tenderers will be required to specify their preferred Lot should they submit successful bids for both Lots. Full details are outlined in the tender documentation.

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Specialist Consultancy Services

Lot No

## **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services
- 71310000 - Consultative engineering and construction services
- 71311000 - Civil engineering consultancy services
- 71311100 - Civil engineering support services
- 71311200 - Transport systems consultancy services
- 71311210 - Highways consultancy services
- 71311220 - Highways engineering services
- 71311300 - Infrastructure works consultancy services
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Main site or place of performance

Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion, Neath Port Talbot, Pembrokeshire, Powys and Swansea.

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

The Framework will include a lot for specialist consultancy services such as ecology, structural surveys, landscaping, hydrology, street-lighting design etc., for commissions up to a value of 50,000 GBP.

The Councils wish to encourage Small & Medium Businesses within the Region to bid for a place on this Lot.

Please refer to the tender documentation for more details of the types of services required in this Lot.

#### **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**

Duration in months

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This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for up to a further 12 months.

#### **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**

There are restrictions in place for this lot. Tenders may be submitted for one or both Lots, however, Tenderers will only be awarded a place on one Lot. Tenderers will be required to specify their preferred Lot should they submit successful bids for both Lots. Full details are outlined in the tender documentation.

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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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

#### **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-028546](#)

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

Date

6 December 2024

Local time

2:00pm

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

English, Welsh

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

Duration in months: 5 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

9 December 2024

Local time

10:00am

Place

Carmarthenshire County Council Offices

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure

Carmarthenshire County Council Officers

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

**OTHER PARTICIPATING BODIES** - In addition to the named authorities, any other subsidiary company wholly or partially owned by the Employer or the other participating local authorities, have an option to utilise the Framework but have made no commitment to the usage of the Framework during its Term.

**LOTS** - There are restrictions in place for the lots. Tenders may be submitted for one or both Lots, however, Tenderers will only be awarded a place on one Lot. Tenderers will be required to specify their preferred Lot should they submit successful bids for both Lots. Full details of restrictions are provided in the tender documentation.

**RESERVE CONSULTANTS** - To ensure the resilience of Lot 2 of the Framework throughout its term, the Employer will be operating a reserve list of consultants. Further detail is provided in the tender documentation.

**BUSINESS WALES TENDER SUPPORT** - Business Wales will be hosting a free 'Live-Tender Webinar' specifically for those tendering for this Framework, to be held on 01/11/2024 (10.30am – 1:00pm). Business Wales can offer advice and guidance on accessing the e-tender and submitting a bid. Registration is essential in order to reserve a place on the webinar. To register, please contact Business Wales on 01656 868500 or by email at: [trading@businesswales.org](mailto:trading@businesswales.org)

**ETENDERWALES PORTAL** - This procurement exercise will be conducted via the eTenderWales portal. To assist you in locating these opportunities on the eTenderWales portal, the project code is: project\_56733. This tender is comprised of one main Invitation to Tender (ITT) under this project, itt\_111457, in addition to lot-specific ITTs. TO CONSTITUTE A VALID TENDER, TENDERERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT ONE COMPLETED ITT (111457) AND A LOT-SPECIFIC INVITATION TO TENDER (ITT) (CONTAINING A TECHNICAL AND COMMERCIAL ENVELOPE) FOR THE LOT THEY ARE BIDDING FOR. All tender documents such as the Framework Agreement, Instructions to Tenderers etc. are all contained within itt\_111457 and the Lot-specific ITTs. Tenderers should also check the attachments area for any documents/ information which may assist them with their submission or they are required to upload as part of their submission, as per information contained within the tender pack. To access the tender documents, please register your company on the eTenderWales portal at: [www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk](http://www.etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk)

NOTE: The authority is using eTenderwales to carry out this procurement process. To obtain further information record your interest on Sell2Wales at  
[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search\\_switch.aspx?ID=144650](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search_switch.aspx?ID=144650)

Under the terms of this contract the successful supplier(s) will be required to deliver Community Benefits in support of the authority's economic and social objectives. Accordingly, contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations. The Community Benefits included in this contract are:

Consultants appointed to Lot 2 of the Framework will be expected to deliver community benefits to support the Employer's economic and social objectives. Community Benefits will not apply to Lot 1. More information is included in the tender documentation.

(WA Ref:144650)

The buyer considers that this contract is suitable for consortia.

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

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

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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