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Contract

NW2733 - NWL Tankering Framework

NORTHUMBRIAN WATER LIMITED

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.6) Main activity

Water

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NW2733 - NWL Tankering Framework

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

NWL have a requirement for contractors to provide adhoc tankering services for the transportation of septic sludge, liquid sludge and/or cake sludge using a variety of vehicles

including but not limited to rigid tankers, articulated tankers, artic tipper, 8-wheeler rigid

body tanker, 8 wheeler rigid tipper, and tractors & barrel. These services will cover NWLs Northumbrian Water operating area only. Essex and Suffolk is not included.

The framework will be divided into the following lots:

2.3.1 LOT 1 - WASTEWATER TANKERING

- Suppliers must be able to meet a lead time of next day for any planned work
- Supplier must maintain a green status on the Operator Compliance Risk Score (OCRS)
- As waste water treatment is a continuous operation, communication and logistics support

must be available 365 days a year and 24 hours a day.

- NWL Bioresources move sludge from NWL Sewage Treatment works to NWL Treatment

Centres Howdon, Hendon & Bran Sands.

- Lot 1 covers a requirement for a 3rd party transport provider for us on an ad hoc basis and

volumes will vary from week to week. NWL Bioresources predominantly hire 44T artics which

can carry around 27 tonne of sludge.

- NWL Bioresources typically hire 1 to 2 tankers a week (Mon to Fri), but on some weeks we don't require any. On days tankers are hired they will each do around 5 loads a day for the full

day.

- NWL Bioresources occasionally have a requirement for a rigid 32T vac tanker, but this is not on a frequent basis.

- Articulated Tankers with a minimum capacity 28 m3 (inclusive with 1 Driver)

- Articulated Tipper Trucks with a minimum capacity 28-30 tonne loads (inclusive of 1 Driver)

- Rigid Tankers with 14m³ to 18m³ capacity (inclusive with 1 Driver)

2.3.2 LOT 2 - WATER SLUDGES TANKERING

- Suppliers must be able to meet a lead time of next day for any planned work
- Suppliers must be able to provide 24-hour emergency call out.
- Suppliers must be capable of offering large fleet of vehicles equipped for all types of liquid

sludge transport.

- Supplier must maintain a green status on the Operator Compliance Risk Score (OCRS)
- Supplier must be capable of undertaking a clean wash out of tankers and provides a clean

wash out certificates for tankers undertaking duties on NWL water sites

- As water treatment is a continuous operation, communication and logistics support must be available 365 days a year and 24 hours a day.
- NWL Water Supply move water sludges from NWL Water Treatments Works to another WTWs for sludge treatment to be undertaken.
- Articulated Tankers with a minimum capacity 28 m³ (inclusive with 1 Driver)

2.3.3 LOT 3 - NWG GROW

- Suppliers must be able to meet a lead time of next day for any planned work
- Supplier must maintain a green status on the Operator Compliance Risk Score (OCRS)
- Rigid Tipper Trucks with a minimum capacity 18-20 tonne loads (inclusive of 1 Driver)
- Tractors and tipping trailer

o tractor & min 15 tonne tipping trailer

2.3.4 LOT 4 - RURAL TANKERING

- Suppliers must be able to meet a lead time of next day for any planned work
- Supplier must maintain a green status on the Operator Compliance Risk Score (OCRS)
- As water and waste water treatment is a continuous operation, communication and logistics support must be available 365 days a year and 24 hours a day.
- In the main a driver will be required to drive the tractor unit and trailer barrel to one of NWL

remote wastewater sites to assist with tankering out from the site with emptying of primary and final tanks, and full site cleans with movement of any waste product transported to STW

- Requirement for emptying of NWL owned Septic tanks for transporting of waste into NWL

STW.

- Provision of tractor and trailer across a range of barrel sizes including but not limited to:
 - o 10m³ tractor & barrel trailer
 - o 14m³ tractor & barrel trailer
 - o 16m³ tractor & barrel trailer
 - o 20m³ tractor & barrel trailer

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Wastewater Tankering

Lot No

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34144520 - Sewage tankers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Water Sludges Tankering

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34133100 - Tankers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

NWG Grow Tankering

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34134200 - Tipper trucks

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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including but not limited to rigid tankers, articulated tankers, artic tipper, 8-wheeler rigid

body tanker, 8 wheeler rigid tipper, and tractors & barrel. These services will cover NWLs Northumbrian Water operating area only. Essex and Suffolk is not included

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Rural Tankering

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34223000 - Trailers and semi-trailers

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

1 & 3

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 July 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 9

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 9

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

3R Solutions

Edinburgh

EH3 9EE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

SC336768

The contractor is an SME

Yes

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

1 & 4

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 July 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

AWSM Farming

Richmond

DL11 7HF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

Companies House

7578789

The contractor is an SME

Yes

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

2, 3 & 4

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 July 2025

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

3

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 July 2025

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

1, 2, 3 & 4

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

4

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

11 July 2025

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NW2733

Lot No

1

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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