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Planning

## **PME - Cashless Parking Solution**

Leicester City Council

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

DDT1148

### **Description**

The Council is aiming to procure a solution which will deliver and future proof the current functionality and additionally to provide flexibility to exploit the use of new technology, where this provides benefit to the business, in relation to putting in place an option to pay by phone using an app and phone based digital parking payments system for on and off street parking spaces.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £860,000 excluding VAT
- £1,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2029
- Possible extension to 31 March 2031
- 5 years

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

### **Contract locations**

- UKF21 - Leicester

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## **Engagement**

### **Engagement deadline**

29 July 2025

## **Engagement process description**

Objectives of the Preliminary Market Engagement Exercise are to:

- ? gain initial supplier awareness, engagement and opinion;
  - ? provide confidence around viability of concept;
  - ? gain insight to the market possibilities and potential innovative solutions;
  - ? understand risks and issues not previously considered;
  - ? inform the Outline Business Case;
  - ? inform the Procurement Strategy; and
  - ? prevent the Council from advertising an unachievable project at UK e-notification service [www.find-tender.service.gov.uk](http://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk) stage.
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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Publication date of tender notice (estimated)**

1 October 2025

## Contracting authority

### Leicester City Council

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