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Planning

Workington Christmas Lights

Workington Town Council

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Scope

Reference

CL2025-2031

Description

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Budget: Approximately £50-55,000 per year

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 June 2026 to 31 May 2031
- Possible extension to 31 May 2033
- 7 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 31522000 - Christmas tree lights
- 31523000 - Illuminated signs and nameplates
- 31600000 - Electrical equipment and apparatus
- 50232000 - Maintenance services of public-lighting installations and traffic lights

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom

Engagement

Engagement deadline

6 August 2025

Engagement process description

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Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

7 August 2025

Contracting authority

Workington Town Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PYQR-1381-YHGX

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government