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Tender

Road Weather Forecasting and Ice Prediction Services

Cumberland Council

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Scope

Reference

DN785210

Description

Cumberland Council requires a Contractor to supply a council wide road weather forecasting (weather patterns of heavy rain all year round that may cause flooding to properties and roads) and ice prediction service which provides an adequate level of information to enable the Authority to determine whether roads in their area will require treatment to prevent the formation of ice, or settling of snow, such as might impede or endanger traffic on these roads.

Total value (estimated)

- £460,000 excluding VAT
- £552,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 13 October 2025 to 30 September 2027
- Possible extension to 30 September 2029
- 3 years, 11 months, 19 days

Description of possible extension:

2 x 12 months

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 71351600 - Weather-forecasting services

Contract locations

- UKD1 - Cumbria

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

26 August 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

10 September 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Suppliers wishing to express an interest and obtain access to the tender documents should go to www.the-chest.org.uk and click on current opportunities from the navigation area on the left of the screen. On the next screen enter the contract Reference (DN785210) in the box labelled 'contains' then click search. Click on the Blue link for the contract title to view the opportunity.

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Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

19 September 2025

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality	Quality	50%
Price	Price	40%
Social Value	Quality	10%

Other information**Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://www.the-chest.org.uk>

Contracting authority

Cumberland Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJGX-9191-DYLV

Cumbria House, 107-117 Botchergate

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United Kingdom

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Region: UKD12 - East Cumbria

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

